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FC man, 62, electrocuted after accident

A Falls City resident died Wednesday morning as a result of electrocution, after the pickup he was operating crashed into a power pole south of Rulo.

Charles E. Furrow, 62, was pronounced dead at the scene at 703 Trail near the intersection with 664 Road in rural Richardson County. The first Iowa Tribal Police Officer to arrive at the scene found Furrow laying face down underneath the power lines, then radioed for assistance and started CPR. Efforts to revive Furrow were not successful.

A witness told the Richardson County Sheriff that Furrow's pickup truck and trailer skidded off the icy road and struck a power pole. The power pole fell across Furrow's trailer and two lines were suspended approximately two and four feet above the ground. The witness said that Furrow exited his vehicle and stated that he was not injured.

After the witness notified authorities of the accident, Furrow said he would return to his truck to stay warm and the witness left.

Charles E. Furrow was born Sept. 15, 1951 at Table Rock to the late William J. and Vera I.

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FESTIVAL OF TREES

A warm and hearty thank you to all who helped make the "Festival of Trees" a great success at the Richardson County Museum. The ten trees displayed were decorated by organizations and individuals. Over 100 came to see the trees and vote for their favorites.

Susie Sailors and Kellie Pfister placed first with their tree themed "A Natural Christmas." Second place went to "Purple and Gold" entered by DOES Drove #56 and decorated by Mary Ann Wenz. Nikki Dunn of Dunn's Greenery placed third with "Fencing in Christmas." Each winner received a monetary award from an anonymous donor.

Other decorated trees were "Mary Kay" by Ann Hill, "Count Down to Christmas" by Susan Nutzman, "Heaven and Nature Sing" by Mid Bauer, "Find the Golden Bird" by Linda Santo of CMC, "Founder Daisy" by Jeri Elwonger and Juliet Low of the Girl Scouts, "Stars and Daisies" by PEO Chapter CY, NE, and "Antiques and Old Lace" by Kathy Martin. Other special decorations were the stairway by Barb Parrish and the Christmas display case by Cathi Koso.

Christmas treats were served by Auntie Ann's Catering. The trees will remain on display through Dec. 22, when the museum closes for the months of January and February. Those who decorated are reminded that the trees need to be undecorated by Jan. 15.



Susie Sailors and Kellie Pfister placed first with their tree themed "A Natural Christmas."

Photo by Jason Schock



SANTA CLAUS flew into Shubert Saturday before the snow fell and took requests at the Community Center, promising a return to the area Dec. 25. He allowed Bob Davis, of Barada, to navigate the sleigh around Shubert and made a stop at the Auburn home of John Constantine before returning to the North Pole. Sitting next to Mr. Davis is Layna Gerdes, 5, daughter of Erica Alexander and Tyler Gerdes, of Auburn, and Lillian Foster, 7, daughter of Kim Foster and Lee Foster, both of rural Auburn. In the sleigh's back seat, from left, are Wyatt Karpinski, 7, Brandon Buchner, 8, and Tyler Karpinski, 5. The Karpinski boys are sons of Bud and Lacey Karpinski, of Falls City, and Brandon is the son of Paul and Jennifer Buchner, of Shubert.

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FCSH unveils plans for new activity center

At a presentation held Friday night at halftime of the FC Sacred Heart season-opening boys' basketball game at Prichard Auditorium, School Supt. Msgr. Robert Roh announced the school's plans for a new activity center and the gift of a large monetary donation that will go a long way in making it happen.

Msgr. Roh announced a \$200,000 donation from the John and Amalia Morehead Family to kick off fundraising efforts for an activity center projected to cost in the neighborhood of \$2.5 million. The building is to be located just east of the school and will house a basketball/volleyball arena, locker rooms, a weight room, kitchen and lunch room.

The hope is to have \$1 million collected by April 1 of next year so construction can start the summer of 2014 and be completed before school opens in 2015.

The Schwerdt Design Group of Topeka, KS, is the architect for the project. Construction will be managed by AHRS of Bern, KS.

The school will be sending out letters and pledge cards in



Photo by Jim Langan

Participating in Friday's kickoff event to raise funds for a new activity center at Falls City Sacred Heart School, from left: Dick and NiNi Frederick, FCSH Supt. Msgr. Robert Roh, the Marc Morehead Family (Marc, William, Teresa and Marcia) and Erison and Easton Vonderschmidt.

the next few days.

In addition to the Morehead gift, Msgr. Roh announced another donation, smaller only in fiscal terms. Erison and Easton Vonderschmidt,

FCSH students and children of Chance and Jamie Vonderschmidt, in lieu of birthday gifts asked family members and friends for money to go toward the activity center.

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When I lived in Moberly, MO, my best friends were all golfers and each of us was struggling to make ends meet on skimpy salaries. I was the lucky one because, as golf coach at Moberly High, I got to meet my kids at the Country Club course for spring and early summer practice. That meant I also swatted some golf balls most every day, which gave me the advantage over my golfing buddies.

None of us could afford to join the Country Club in Moberly, so we either paid green fees at the local public, sand green course, or drove 30 miles to Columbia to play. That’s what we did most Saturday mornings when the weather allowed. We’d take turns driving south, leaving as early as possible so that we could get on one of two courses, the Municipal or University. We didn’t have to worry about electric or gas carts because we couldn’t afford them, either, and, besides, they weren’t available at either course. The University course, located not far from the Mizzou football field, was a bear — very hilly and forested, which amplified the humidity not untypical of central Missouri.

I think each of us looked forward to Saturdays in the summer. We were very good friends, young and competitive. But not so competitive that we couldn’t leave our matches on the course. Those days were the best I ever had playing the game, although the four-some after moving back to Falls City was very, very close.

My dad, Bill Schock, taught me how to play the game, just like James (Bo) Dodson’s dad taught him. Dodson, an editor and golf writer and not to be confused with Dr. James Dobson of *Focus on the Family* fame, occupied an entire Wednesday for me last week. His book, *Final Rounds*, is about as good as it gets. And it’s not just for golfers (or in the case of my dad and I, former golfers). It’s a true story about relationships — specifically fathers and sons.

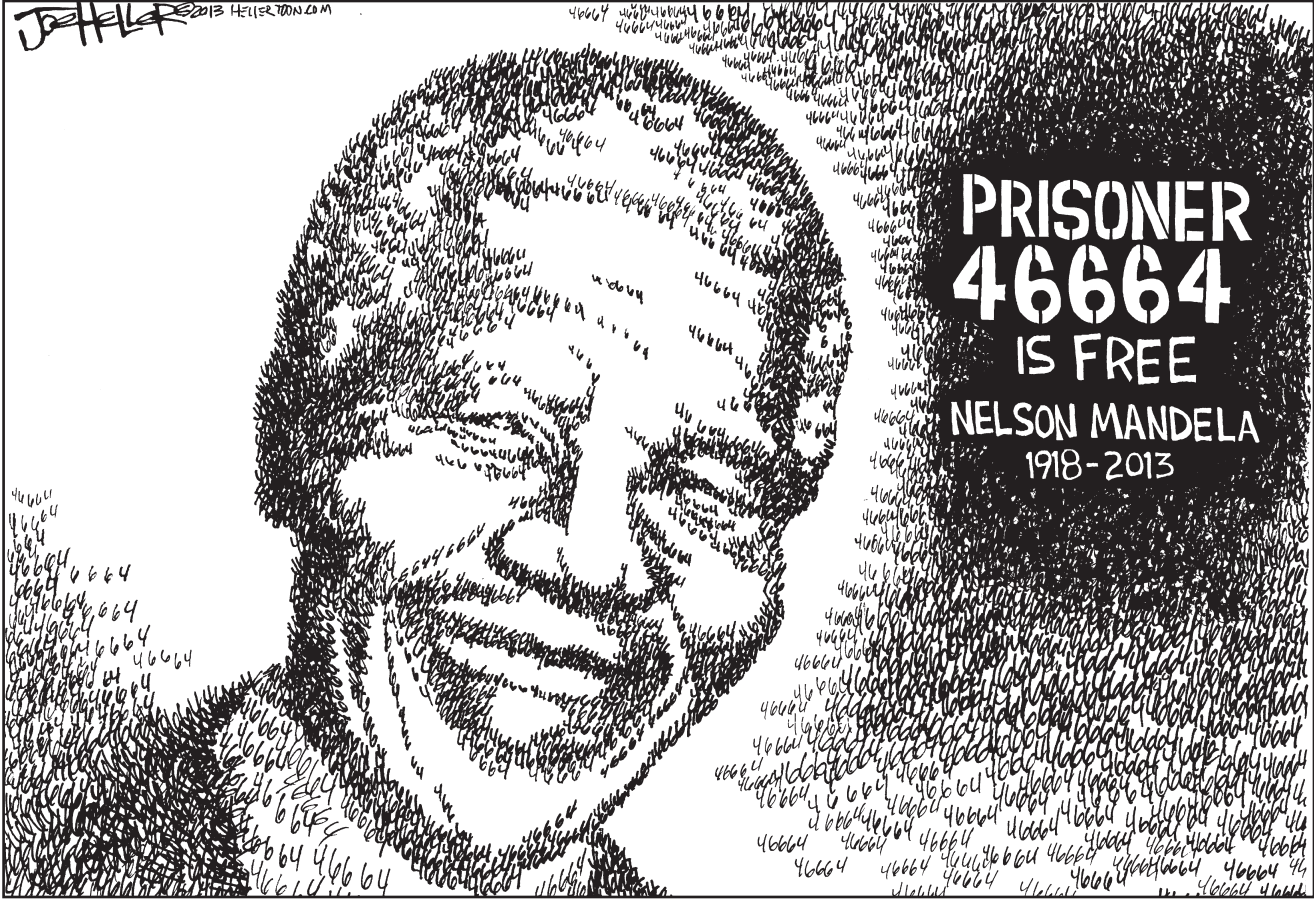
Friend John Weaver loaned me the book when we met in Lincoln for the UCLA football drubbing of the Huskers. I brought it into my house the next day and put it on a stack of “books to read.” Then I kind of forgot about it.

I don’t work on Tuesday afternoons and Wednesdays anymore. Guess you could say I’m semi-retired. So on those hours off, I’m usually looking for something to do and, especially in cold weather, that involves reading between and around loads of laundry and other mundane, dreaded household chores. Last week, *Final Rounds* registered in my memory, I located it and, after reading the morning paper and Tuesday’s Journal, sat down with a full cup of coffee to give it a look. I could not put it down. So much registered with me.

It’s the story of a wise father, tabbed by his son as Opti the Mystic, his love of golf and the lessons he taught his son, both on and off the golf course. After attaining success in his career, son Bo invites his elderly dad, who served in England during WWII, on a playing tour of some of the most famous, historic golf courses on the British Isles. Dad accepts, but complications arise. Still, the golfing trip of a lifetime takes place. More lessons are learned.

I remember a Saturday morning in Missouri when my parents were visiting. My dad accompanied our group to Columbia for a hot, hot round at the Municipal course. Again, no riding carts — you either carried your bag or towed it on a Bag Boy. I don’t remember what our conversations were about that day, but I do recall how well my dad got along with the other guys, all very much his junior. We all had a great time and were very grateful when the round ended to stop by a local establishment for a frosty mug or two. It was a good, good day.

Wish I had thought of a golf tour to England and Scotland during the days both Bill and I were playing. Instead, we settled for the occasional round at the Falls City Country Club and workdays spent here at the newspaper, where we both can be found most of the time. Honestly, I wouldn’t trade that for a golf fling in England.



It’s that awkward time of the year

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

We’ve entered that awkward lull in news in the Capital City — the few cold weeks between the regular Cornhusker football season and the beginning of the Legislature. The discussion of the 8-4 Husker season will only last a couple weeks. There will be a slight bump during the revelation of bowl game assignments, but it’s hard to get too excited about playing the Little Sisters of the Poor in the Spam and Cheese Casserole Bowl.

Excitement about the Legislature’s short session — Jan. 8 to April 17 — will be minimal at best. There is a primary election in May that will determine the Nov. 4, 2014, pairings in the nation’s only non-partisan unicameral legislative body. The primary race for U.S. Senate and Governor will draw a little more interest with large numbers of Republicans in both races being narrowed to just one who will face off with the Democrat of choice.

Seventeen state senators will be going home to stay in April because of term limits. Of that number, nine are Republicans, seven Democrats and one Independent in the officially non-partisan offices. Only the party faithful keeps track of those affiliations. Another seven state Senators face re-election. The earliest that senators or senate hopefuls can file for the \$12,000 — a — year job is Dec. 1. There are already at least a dozen people who have indicated they will run and many more are probably waiting even though political analysts and lobbyists will tell you that those who announce early stand a better chance of making it because they have more time to take the pulse — and the contributions — of their constituents.

State Senators up for re-election and the handful running for higher office will watch their words and their votes carefully, making it difficult to have spirited debates or even meaningful discussions of the 406 carry-over bills from the 2013 session, let alone the anticipated major tax bills that lame duck Governor Dave Heineman will likely push. You might remember that senators Charlie Janssen of Fremont, Tom Carlson of Holdrege and Beau McCoy of Elkhorn are seeking the Republican gubernatorial nod.

Senator Annette Dubas of Fullerton dropped out of the race with former UNL Regent Chuck Hassebrook of Lyons for the Democratic Party governor’s candidacy. State Senator Pete Pirsch of Omaha is running for state Auditor. Incumbent Auditor Mike Foley has joined the race for the GOP nod for governor.

Look for veteran lawmaker Ernie Chambers of Omaha — the Legislature’s senior member (38+ years) who has already sat out his mandatory four-year term limit abstinence — to have a hey-

day with all of his colleagues who are running for something else. It’s one thing to please potential voters. It’s quite another to avoid the wrath of Ernie who likes to talk about the Repellicans and the Demagogues. One can only speculate if he’ll weigh in on the Pelini saga — but it’s important to remember that Ernie has pushed before to allow colleges to pay football players.

Yes, it’s going to be a long cold wait, but the drama unfolding January 8th just might be worth it!

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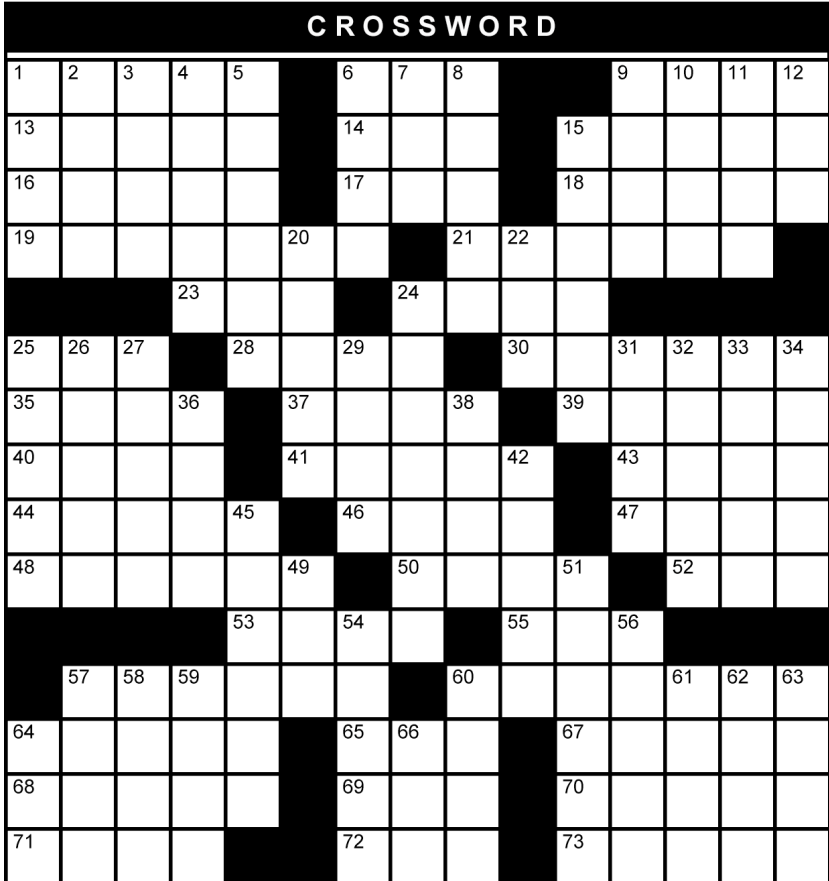
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Strength of Small Business

By Congressman Jeff Fortenberry

On a recent trip to Wahoo, I stopped in a local store in the center of town. The owner of the business was kind enough to show me around his newly rebuilt building and store. A fire destroyed the former site and he took the opportunity to rebuild a very modern meat locker with an old fashioned feel. Charlie and his staff process animals for farmers and hunters, and he customizes other meats for retail. I bought one of the specialty products, some “jaternice” Czech sausage. You could see the pride that Charlie and his employees - some young and right out of school - have in their work. He told me that it’s tough and “not a way to get rich quick.” It’s steady, good work.

Charlie is a small business entrepreneur. His efforts are the heart of America’s economy. It’s impressive to see someone with great pride working hard to provide good products and help others along the way.

Recognizing the importance of small business to the American economy, “Small Business Saturday” – which last Saturday resulted in an estimated \$5.5 billion at local small businesses across the U.S. - was established four years ago. When I first heard of the idea for a “Small Business Saturday,” I was intrigued. I called the CEO of American Express, who sponsors the initiative, and learned the concept originated from an entrepreneurial young employee. It has been embraced as a national celebration of independent businesses, reminding Americans preparing for the holiday season that shopping locally is good for everyone involved.

America embraces small business, but small business is not easy. It’s hard work. A number of years ago, I gave a speech about what it takes to be successful in business. It takes knowledge, education, access to capital, access to technology, labor, and low regulatory barriers to entry. But perhaps most of all, it also takes sheer will and desire to see the idea through, no matter how hard it gets.

Many small business efforts fail, but many others succeed. Those that do are critical to our nation’s economic well-being. America’s 28 million small businesses create two out of every three net new private sector jobs, with half of working Americans either owning or working for a small business. In Nebraska, small businesses employ nearly 400,000 persons, with most of the employment coming from firms with 20 – 499 employees.

We need to creatively encourage and support small business owners. This week, the House of Representatives passed the Small Business Capital Access and Job Preservation Act. The legislation will help open new doors for small businesses to secure capital needed to get off the ground.

Another important idea is identifying entrepreneurs at a young age so natural skills and abilities can be directed and young people encouraged to develop innovative ideas. It’s promising that the Lincoln public school system, in partnership with Southeast Community College, established an educational track focused on entrepreneurial skill development in young people.

In a recent meeting with the head of Gallup, it was pointed out that there are outstanding ways to measure one’s intellectual capacity and athletic ability, but there is no standard by which we identify entrepreneurial talent. Embedded in this observation may be an important public policy consideration. Elevating entrepreneurial potential in society is a key to fighting economic malaise, stagnation, and lagging opportunity.

It’s very exciting to watch persons who have a gift or a unique talent use their own two hands to produce goods or services that benefit the community as a whole. Not only can persons find great meaning in life through these endeavors, America’s economic well-being depends on a revival of the “git-r-done” attitude of small business.



SENTC members present for the picture at the Nov. 1 meeting, front row, from left: Merrith Baughman – Homestead National Monument; Micheal Collins – Nebraska Tourism Commission; Judy Coe-Johnson Co; Bobbie Meints-Five Rivers RC&D; back row, Carolyn Gigstad – Otoe Co; Sandy Corbitt-Sears – Website Designer/Webmaster; Sandy Stalder – Richardson Co; Steve Delay – Thayer Co; Yvonne Dalluge-Pawnee Co; Lorraine Mares & husband – Saline Co;

Tourism Council awarded by state

The Southeast Nebraska Tourism Council has been chosen as the Outstanding Tourism Association in Nebraska by the Nebraska Tourism Commission.

The Nebraska 2014 Tourism Industry Awards were announced at the annual Nebraska Travel Conference in Norfolk on Oct. 24, 2013. SENTC received a beautiful stained glass award (pictured), recognition in the 2014 Nebraska (state) Travel guide magazine, and a free extended listing on the Tourism Commission’s website for 2014.

President Judy Coe stated that “SENTC has been promoting tourism in the southeast corner of the state for over 25 years and the county representatives significantly promote the small towns and rural areas in the 12 county region. In 2013 the group produced its 25th Annual Travel Guide for tourists and travelers which contained history, information about attractions in the

area and the annual events.

SENTC is comprised mostly of volunteers who provide the information and promotion of southeast Nebraska year round from the counties of Cass, Fillmore, Gage, Jefferson, Johnson, Nemaha, Otoe, Pawnee, Richardson, Saline, Sarpy and Thayer.

The Nebraska Tourism Commission stated that “The council (SENTC) members take great pride in their communities and do a great job of encouraging visitors to take multi-day trips resulting in overnight stays and dollars being spent in the communities.

Tourism is often not thought of as an industry but it is. It is the third largest industry in the United States, in Nebraska and most probably in the southeast region of this state. The promotion of tourism to this area is very important – to encourage travelers to make the attractions and events in this area not only a visit, but a destination, where they may stay and eat and spend their dollars, which in the end results in making substantial contributions to the area’s economy.

Our current projects include installation of barn quilts in the 12-county area, gathering the Native American information

in each county and self-guided tours as well as bus tours of the area which are available on the SENTC website: visitsoutheast-nebraska.org

The annual SENTC Travel Guide has been a showcase for all communities in the 12 counties and is provided FREE, being published through fund from the advertising within. The 2014 Edition of the Southeast Nebraska Tourism Guide will be available in January 2014.

We welcome anyone interested in tourism and promoting our area to become a member by calling 402-335-5900, visiting the website or contacting the local Richardson County representative, Sandy Stalder.

FCPS, HTRS earn Sixpence grants

The Falls City and Humboldt-TR-S school districts are among eight in the state of Nebraska to receive Sixpence Early Learning grants that will benefit at-risk babies and toddlers. The Falls City and Humboldt-Table

The Sixpence program is designed to meet the developmental needs of at-risk children, from birth to age three. The grant is for a total of \$250,000.

Judi Carter and Kathy Martin wrote the grant for the Falls City School District.

With those funds, District 56 will hire one person full-time and one part-time person who will go into homes of qualifying children from birth to three years of age and provide curriculum that will help prepare the children for pre-school. Mrs. Martin will supervise the grant.

Carter says the program will go beyond working with the children, but will also provide monthly training for parents in things like car and home safety. Carter says there are four ways a family can qualify for the program offered through the grant. That includes those who qualify for free or reduced lunch, non-native English speakers, if the baby is born prematurely or with a low birth weight, or if the parent is not a high school graduate or is under 20 years of age.

Sixpence programs are now serving approximately 500 babies and toddlers in 25 Nebraska communities and their families. The grants are funded through a combination of public and private dollars.

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Brenda Guilliams and Mike Frederick of Richardson County Transit each qualified for the National “Roadeo” event in St. Paul, MN, next summer after they finished first and second, respectively, at the state competition in Kearney this fall.

Giddyup: Local Transit drivers qualify for National ‘Roadeo’

The Nebraska Association of Transportation Providers held the Annual Statewide “Roadeo” at the Nebraska Safety Center in Kearney in September and both Brenda Guilliams and Mike Frederick of Richardson County Transit qualified for the June 2014 Nationals in St. Paul, MN.

Guilliams placed first in the small bus division, earning \$250 and an engraved clock. She also took home the traveling trophy for small bus driver of the year. It was Guilliams’ fourth first-place finish. She’s also previously finished second four times and is a past Driver of the Year recipient, recording the highest overall score. In addition, the Roadeo Committee awarded Guilliams for exemplifying good sportsmanship during the event, presenting her with a colorful beach bag cooler and a tropical houseplant.

Frederick was second in the van division and came away with \$150 and an engraved keyring that features the state seal. It was the second runner-up finish for Frederick, who this year also earned the Most Spirited Award.

The Roadeo competition consists of a written test, pre-trip inspection and wheelchair securement segments, and a driving skills course. This year, a new mini-van category was added to go along with the van and small bus divisions already in place.

A total of 23 drivers from across the state competed in the two-day event.

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GFWC/NFWC Research Club

The GFWC/NFWC Research Club met at the home of Jan McMullen Nov. 18. President McMullen called the meeting to order and Raylene Dunn gave the opening prayer. Everyone repeated the Pledge of Allegiance. Roll call was answered by 10 members and two guests, Trudy Fankhauser and Susan Wissmann, who told what they are thankful for. Secretary Elizabeth Ketner read the minutes of the Oct. 18 meeting and they were approved as read.

It was reported that the club’s balance is good after all dues had been sent to state.

Jan Mason said cards had been sent to Byford Lockard and Cornette McFadden. Mrs. Ketner reminded members to work on their craft items, as March will be here before we know it. Vicki Beilke reported that 36 people entered the costume contest. Santa’s visit will be Dec. 14 at 10 a.m. Posters are to be made. Bob Davis will bring his horse and carriage to town for those wishing a ride. Cathy Donahoe will decorate the flower barrels in town with greenery and ornaments.

As the love offering for the December meeting, the club will gather unused and clean bedding to be taken to the Open Door Mission in Omaha.

The March meeting will be hosted by Bonnie Mehlin. Some program changes were made. President McMullen explained how difficult it is to find programs the club would enjoy and told of a meeting from the early 1900s when the club members were responsible for the programs. Sherry Runnels offered to present a members’ contest at the January meeting. Mrs. McMullen will give a history lesson.

Members were reminded that the next meeting will be Dec. 16 at Mrs. Donahoe’s home.

Mrs. Ketner gave some tidbits from the GFWC newsletter.

Mrs. Fankhauser, HTRS counselor, was formally introduced. She explained the Backpack program, which assists students with nutrition needs for a weekend. Presently, 11 students are helped with food.

Refreshments were provided by Raylene Dunn and absentee hostess, Jackie Uhri.

WELCA

The women of the ELCA of St. Peter’s Lutheran Church met Tuesday, Dec. 3, at the church, with five members present.

The meeting opened with the group singing Christmas carols, with Norma Lee Duerfeldt and Roxann Stitzer at the piano. The group read and discussed Chapters 2 and 3 of the book, “The Lord Is My Shepherd And That Is All I Need to Know,” by Joyce Elliott. The Missionary Benediction and the Lord’s Prayer were then recited.

President Roxann Stitzer opened the business meeting, called roll and read the minutes from the November meeting. Becky Runyan gave the treasurer’s report. An update on the flower fund was given. A thank you from the Falls City Ministerial Association was read.

A Christmas Eve program will be held at 6:30 p.m. at the church.

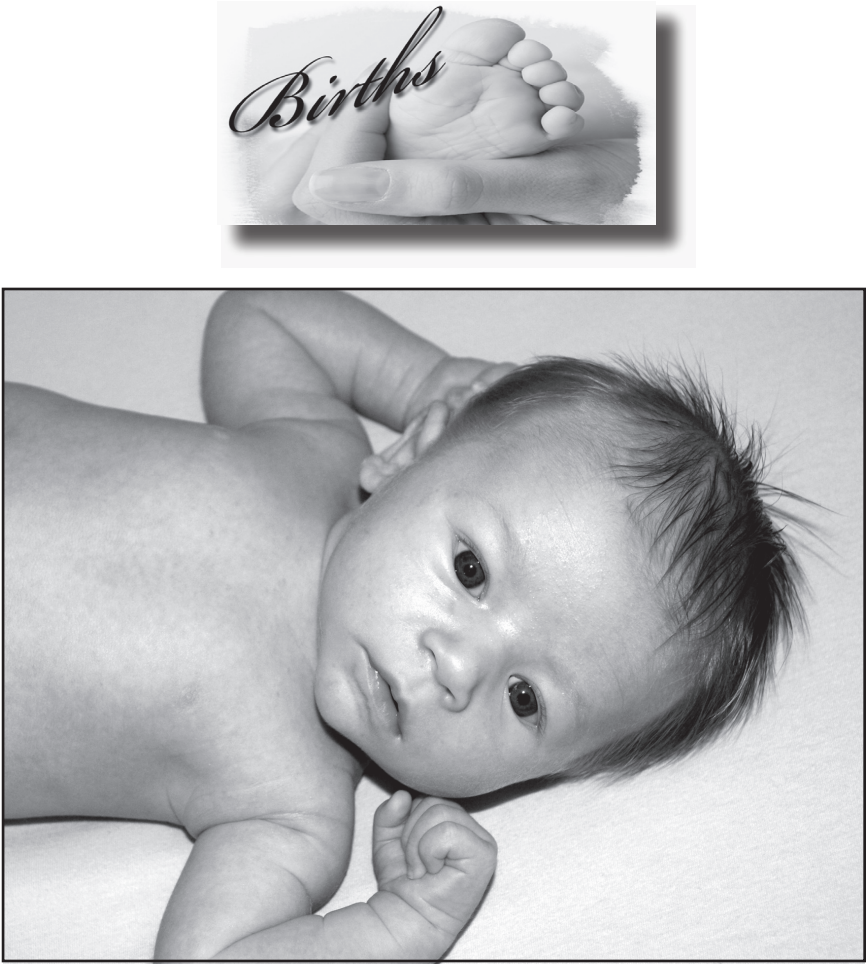
Joni Milam heads the Altar Committee this month. “Happy Birthday” was sung for Verna Mae White. Refreshments were served by Nelle Pfister at the close of the afternoon.

The next meeting will be Jan. 7, 2014, with Nelle Pfister as lesson leader and Becky Runyan as hostess.

VFW Auxiliary

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 1765 met Dec. 2 at the Legion Club with their Christmas potluck and gift exchange. President Vickie Zeigler called the meeting to order with the Pledge of Allegiance and the singing of the national anthem. Chaplain Sharon Sells gave the opening prayer and read the ritual in the absence of the Patriotic instructor, Kim Oliver.

Secretary Marilyn Capps read the minutes of the last meeting, treasurer Charlotte Gentry gave the treasurer’s report and treasurer



RHODD — Carla and Josh Rhodd are proud to announce the birth of their first child, a son, Garrett Michael Rhodd, who was born at St. Elizabeth Hospital in Lincoln at 6:32 p.m. Friday, Oct. 4, 2013. He weighed 9 pounds, 10 ounces, and was 21 inches long. Maternal grandparents are Mike and Sherri Hunzeker, of Rulo. Paternal grandparents are Mike and Carla Marx, and Jerry Rhodd, all of Falls City. Great-grandparents are Gary and Marilyn Coulter, and Leslie and Claudette Stevens, all of Falls City.

Charlotte Gentry reported membership of 97 continuous members and 20 life members. Membership and cancer policy premiums are now due and can be sent to the treasurer. Any member not having dues paid Dec. 31, 2013, will not be considered in good standing. Membership stands at 77.8 percent. Marilyn Capps reported 136 veterans’ hours, 74 community service hours, donations of \$226, 620 miles driven, 21 cards sent, 14 hours Americanism and 20 hours youth. Gail Froeschl said all entries had been mailed to district.

President Zeigler reported no

cancer requests. She thanked everyone for the service for the past year, and proceeded to new business. Members voted to purchase a new memorial banner. Marilyn Capps reported that the Christmas gifts for veterans had been purchased and will be delivered in the next week. The Food Pantry donations also will be delivered this week. Bills were paid and the meeting adjourned to reconvene Jan. 6 at 6 p.m. with light refreshments of ice cream. The business meeting will begin at 6 p.m. for the winter months in case of bad weather.

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Civil Court

Judgment entered in favor of Cavalry SPV I, LLC, and against Nichole Leon, Salem, in the amount of \$1,983.11, plus pre-judgment interest of \$205.31 and Court costs of \$77.52. Post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.041 percent.

Judgment entered in favor of Red Credit Solutions, LLC, and against Traci L. Wlaschin, Falls City, in the amount of \$2,039.97, plus attorney fees of \$209.00 and Court costs of \$70.00. Post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.041 percent.

Judgment entered in favor of Credit Management Services and against Andrea Scates, Falls City, in the amount of \$783.30, plus pre-judgment interest of \$31.32, attorney fees of \$83.33 and Court costs of \$51.31. Post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.041 percent.

Judgment entered in favor of Credit Management Services and against Justin Mosher, Falls City, in the amount of \$153.00, plus pre-judgment interest of \$6.42, attorney fees of \$20.30 and Court costs of \$51.31. Post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.041 percent.

Judgment entered in favor of Credit Management Services and against Debra Fredericks, Falls City, in the amount of \$1,460.29, plus pre-judgment interest of \$111.19, attorney fees of \$151.03 and Court costs of \$57.62. Post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.041 percent.

Judgment entered in favor of Credit Management Services

and against William Roberts Jr., Falls City, in the amount of \$476.00, plus pre-judgment interest of \$234.43 and Court costs of \$57.62. Post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.041 percent.

County Court

Tia Harkendorff, Falls City, two counts of disturbing the peace. Trial set for Dec. 16.

Nickolas C. Campbell, Falls City, misdemeanor stalking. Sentencing Dec. 16.

Jonathan M. Barber, Hiawatha, KS. Sentencing for DUI, first offense. Fined \$500, plus Court costs of \$49, lab costs of \$144.72 and probation fees of \$250. Driver's license revoked for 60 days (ignition interlock permit ordered) and eight months probation.

Collin M. Stan, Falls City, no proof of insurance amended to license vehicle without liability insurance. Plead guilty. Fined \$150, plus Court costs of \$49.

Toni M. Davis, Falls City, criminal mischief (\$500-\$1,500). Fined \$250, plus Court costs of \$49.

Heidi L. Kopf, Beatrice, sentencing for driving under suspension and speeding (11-15). Fined \$175, plus Court costs of \$31, Sheriff costs of \$133.44 and other costs of \$18. Driver's license impounded for one year and 12 months probation.

Jason L. Arington, Stella, refusal to submit to chemical test, first offense. Case continued to Dec. 18 for entry of plea.

Steven L. Schulenberg, Falls City, domestic assault in the third degree. Case continued to Jan. 15 for disposition.

Patrick Beethe, Humboldt,

show cause hearing for failure to appear on issuing a bad check (less than \$200) set for Jan. 6.

Seth A. Dunn, Falls City, leaving scene of an accident. Plead guilty. Sentencing Jan. 8.

Jeffrey A. Morley, Falls City, count one, refusal to submit to chemical test, first offense; count two, driving under suspension; count three, criminal mischief (less than \$200); count four, refusal to submit to pretest; count five, possess/consume open alcohol container. Plead guilty to counts one and three; counts two, four and five dismissed with prejudice. Sentencing Jan. 15.

County Court Waivers (Court costs not included)

Aaron M. Gittinger, speeding (11-15), \$75.

Christopher D. Smith, speeding (11-15), \$75.

Jimmy L. Barnett, speeding (16-20), \$125.

Robert S. Whiteman, speeding (11-15), \$75.

Drew A. Chandler, speeding (11-15), \$75.

Richard L. Gibson, count one, speeding (11-15), \$75; count two, failure to use seat belt, \$25.

John T. Nightingale, speeding (36-plus), \$300.

Barbara R. Pohlman, speeding (11-15), \$75.

Louis C. Willems, count one, speeding (6-10), \$25; count two, failure to use seat belt, \$25; count three, failure to use child passenger restraint, \$25; count four, CMV-marking, \$50; count five, CMV-brake general, \$50; count six, CMV-wheel/rims, \$25; count seven, CMV-HOS log, \$75; count eight, UCR-no registration, \$100; count nine, failure to have or carry fuel permit, \$100.

Pedro Sanchez-Loarca, speeding (6-10), \$25.

Alan J. Hedstrom, UCR-no registration, \$100.

Cody L. Moran, count one, speeding (6-10), \$25; count two, passing in opposite direction, \$25.

FCPD Chief Caverzagie to retire

Falls City Police Chief John Caverzagie has submitted his notice to Mayor Tim Hersh of his intent to retire at the end of the month after 35 years as a member of the FCPD. He was appointed Chief in 1997 by then-Mayor Marshall Maddox.

Caverzagie first served seven years as a Patrolman, and was promoted to Assistant Chief, a position he held for 12 years.

Currently, the FCPD has eight officers including the Chief, plus two part-time officers. Applications will be accepted for the position of Chief of Police and Mayor Hersh will submit a name to be appointed to the position. That appointment must then be confirmed by the City Council.

Sheriff Houser files for re-election

Richardson County Sheriff Randy Houser has filed for re-election. Houser, who is completing his first term as RC Sheriff, filed last week for the Republican Party nomination, making him the first person to file for any of the positions up for election in 2014. The primary election will be held May 13, 2014.

Incumbents have until Feb. 18, 2014 to file for election regardless of what position they seek. Nonincumbents have until March 3, 2014 to file.

Table Rock man, 46, dies in one-car accident

Lavon Sharpe, 46, of Table Rock, was killed in a one-car accident on a rural Pawnee County road the evening of Nov. 30.

Sharpe was a passenger in a 2000 Chevy pickup driven by his son, Brandon, 15, of Lincoln, that left the road and rolled, ejecting Lavon Sharpe.

The elder Sharpe was pronounced dead at the scene and Brandon was taken to a Lincoln hospital for treatment of multiple injuries. Alcohol was not a factor in the wreck.

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Lady Irish ground the Jets

By Jim Langan

When we last saw Falls City Sacred Heart's girls basketball team, they were making it rain three-pointers all over Lindsay Holy Family to seal up a 50-35 victory in the third place consolation game at the state tournament.

The preseason top-ranked Lady Irish picked up right where they left off in March Friday night at Prichard Auditorium and connected on 10-of-18 threes in a 59-31 season-opening win over rival and preseason No. 3 Sterling.

Sacred Heart converted 7-of-10 three-point attempts in the first half and finished the game 10-for-18 from long range to turn an 11-8 first quarter lead into a rout.

SH juniors Abby and Elizabeth Magdanz traded three-pointers to account for SH's first nine points and went on to combine for six first-half threes. Abby finished the night 4-for-5 from downtown and Elizabeth was 2-for 3.

Unfortunately for Sterling, the intermission didn't affect SH's rhythm, as the Lady Irish connected on 10-of-11 field goal attempts, including three more three-pointers, and outscored the Jets 22-3 in the third quarter.

Senior Ashli Jordan, who missed all three shots in the first half, knocked down a pair of threes and scored 12 second half points.

Meanwhile, Sterling senior Jordan Lempka failed to get it going and quietly finished the night with 10 points. SH's guards harassed the young backcourt of Sterling and kept the ball away



Photo by Jim Langan

FC Sacred Heart junior Abby Magdanz scores her only two-point field of the game and in difficult fashion, as 6-4 Jordan Lempka of Sterling crashes down for the block attempt. Magdanz paced the Lady Irish with a game-high 15 points and connected on 4-of-5 three-points shots, as the top-ranked Irish cruised past the Jets, 59-31.

from Lempka.

Coming off a great sophomore campaign in which she led SH in points-scored, steals and assists, all-stater Abby Magdanz finished with a game-high 15 points and appeared ready to build on her 39.2 three-point percentage from 2012-13 when she made 51-of-130 attempts.

SH sophomore Maggie Goltz chipped in 12 points on 4-of-8 shooting and Jordan also finished with a dozen on 5-of-9 shooting.

Those three were the only SH players in double figures, although nine different players finished with a made field goal, including three freshmen.

As a team, the Lady Irish made 23-of-48 shot attempts (47.9 percent) and turned the ball over just 11 times.

Sterling on the other hand, was frigid from the floor. The Jets shot 23 percent from the floor and were 1-for-11 from the three-point line.

Junior Kelsi Fouraker led the Irish with five rebounds, while Goltz was tops with three steals and five assists. SH recorded 18 assists and held the Jets to only eight.

Sure, it is only one game, and

the first one at that, but the Lady Irish looked to be in mid-season form already, a scary thought for future opponents.

Sacred Heart (1-0) hosts South Holt, MO tonight at 5 p.m., then Hiawatha, KS comes to Prichard Auditorium Thursday night. Friday the Lady Irish hit the road for the first time when they travel to Wetmore, KS.

Scoring vs. Sterling

FCSH – Jordan, 12; A. Magdanz, 15; Schock, 2; Fouraker, 4; E. Magdanz, 6; Goltz, 12; Schulenberg, 2; Hill, 4; Heits, 2.

Sterling – Goracke, 7; J. Lempka, 10; M. Hestermann, 4; T. Hestermann, 4; Kahler, 2; Williams, 2. Jasa, 2.

Lady Irish Frosh/Soph

The FC Sacred Heart Lady Irish defeated Humboldt-TR-S, 27-18, in a one game abbreviated version of the HTRS Freshmen/Sophomore Tournament, held this past Saturday.

Jade Hill led the Lady Irish with 11 points and Haylee Heits chipped in 10 of her own.

HTRS was led by Laura Stalder's seven points, while Rhyllie Niedzielski added five points.



Photo by Jim Langan

Irish seniors Matt Goltz (right) and Colin Niemeyer apply the pressure, as Jesse Phillips of Sterling attempts a close range shot during the third quarter Friday night at Prichard Auditorium.

Irish get defensive, rout No. 6 Sterling

Two of Class D2's best teams met Friday night at Prichard Auditorium in a highly anticipated season-opening matchup. Sacred Heart, ranked No. 2 and 4 by the Omaha World Herald and Lincoln Journal Star, respectively, hosted No. 4 and 3 Sterling, but as is the case most times, the product failed to live up to the billing.

The Irish, less than three weeks removed from their state championship in football, showed a little rust but clamped down defensively on the Jets en route to a decisive 45-34 victory.

Tied 17-17 at the half, Sterling scored the first four points of the third quarter – two from senior Jesse Phillips and two from senior Kody Benson – before Irish seniors Jarod Fiegener and Chaz Dunn combined for five quick points to put SH up 22-21 with 4:28 left in the third quarter. The Irish never trailed again and opened up a 15-point lead midway through the fourth quarter. SH outscored the Jets 15 to six

in the third quarter, 28-17 in the second half and held Sterling to less than 30 percent from the floor.

Senior Matt Goltz had a terrific night, as he finished a perfect 6-for-6 from the floor and 8-of-10 at the free-throw line for 20 game-high points to go along with seven rebounds and five blocks.

Dunn added nine points and junior Austin Malone led the Irish with eight rebounds.

The Irish struggled from behind the arc and finished 1-for-9, but converted 15-of-23 two-point field goals.

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Scoring vs. Sterling

FCSH – Niemeyer, 4; Dunn, 9; Malone, 1; Goltz, 20; Arnold, 1; Scheitel, 6; Fiegener, 2; Strasheim, 2.

Sterling – Bessey, 3; Wenzl, 12; Trauernicht, 1; Julian, 2; Phillips, 9; Benson, 7.

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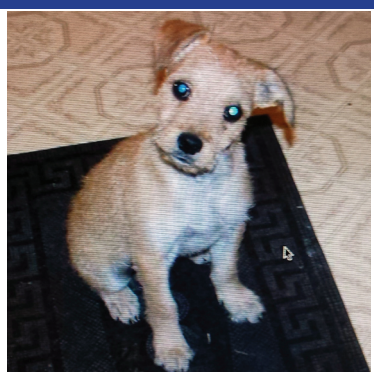
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Tigers split opening night games

The Tiger boys capitalized on a big second quarter Friday night in their season opener at Syracuse and held off the Rockets, 49-38.

Falls City, who was recognized last week as a contender in the *Lincoln Journal Star's* preseason rankings, scored 20 points in the second period to open up a 31-20 halftime lead and Syracuse wasn't able to take advantage of a six-point FC third quarter.

Neither team shot the ball and the two were nearly identical from the field. FC finished 15-of-41 from the floor and 1-for-13 from the three-point line, while Syracuse converted 14-of-41 field goal attempts, but knocked down 5-of-20 threes to keep it respectable.

The difference in the game came at the free-throw line, where the Tigers were 18-of-21 compared to just 5-for-7 from the Rockets. FC was 10-for-10 from the stripe in the second quarter, then 6-for-7 – all coming from junior Jordy Stoller – in the fourth quarter.

Senior Mitchell Harling led a trio of Tigers in double figures with 14 points, while Stoller and fellow junior Jack Hartman each added 13. Harling added six assists to go along with his 14 points and Hartman pulled down a game-high eight rebounds.

The Rockets were led by Aaron Halvorsen's 11 points.

FC (1-0) travels to Hiawatha, KS tonight then hosts rival Auburn Friday.

Scoring vs. Syracuse
FC – Harling 14, Stoller 13, Hartman 13, Witt 4, DiGiacomo 3, Mount 2.
SYR – Halvorsen 11, Orchard 6, Meyer 5, C. Cameron 5, T. Stillmock 3, J. Cameron 3, Moore 3, M. Stillmock 2.

The Lady Tigers dropped their season opener at Syracuse 49-32, despite leading 8-7 at the end of the first quarter.

FC Head Coach Max Milam said his team hung right with the Lady Rockets for three quarters, but some miscues late in the game did them in.

“We played well for three quarters and then had five very poor offensive sets to start the fourth,” Milam said. “To many mental mistakes versus a good team like Syracuse.”

Senior Brooke Scheitel and junior Sydney Armbruster each scored 10 for FC.

The Lady Tigers (0-1) will look to bounce back tonight at Hiawatha. FC hosts Auburn Friday night.

Scoring vs. Syracuse
FC – Scheitel 10, Olberding 2, Frederick 6, S. Armbruster 10, Beckner 2, Libby Bauman 2.
SYR – Reed 23, Harsin 7, Brinkman 5, Nordhues 2, Lintner 8, Kapperman 4.



Falls City High medaled four Saturday during the season opener in Wamego, KS, from left to right, Morgen Valentine (2nd, 145 pounds), Jeremy Zimmerman, (1st, HWT), Chase Thompson, (4th, 192) and Deven Nycum (4th, 132). The Tiger wrestlers travel to Crete next Saturday. *Photo courtesy of Angie Hunzeker.*

Four Tigers medal in season opener

Falls City High wrestlers traveled to Wamego, KS for their first competition of the 2013-14 wrestling season and brought home four medals.

Junior heavyweight Jeremy Zimmerman captured first place and was the top FC finisher. Morgen Valentine, a 145-pound sophomore, finished second, while senior 195-pounder Chase

Thompson was fourth, as was freshman Deven Nycum at 132.

A 12-man scramble format was used, which allows wrestlers more matches than a traditional bracketed tournament. It also allows junior varsity wrestlers to enter the tournament as nonscoreing participants to fill the weight classes.

Falls City entered 12 varsity

wrestlers into the tournament and came home with four medalists.

The Tigers are busy next week with the JV team competing at Nebraska City tonight, then again Friday at Syracuse. The varsity wrestlers travel to the Crete Invitational Saturday with wrestling scheduled to start at 9 a.m.

Busy start to season for Titan wrestlers

The Humboldt-TR-S/Pawnee City wrestling team opened the season with a bang last week, as they had their first meet at the six team Palmyra Duals last Thursday and followed that up with a trip to the Cougar Classic in Conestoga on Saturday.

The Titans finished in ninth place at Conestoga with 63 points. Fort Calhoun captured the team title with 197.5 points, while Bishop Neumann and Douglas County West rounded out the top three.

HTRS sophomores Dalton Rohrs (220) and Jesse Hickey (182) each finished in third place, while two others – junior Ben Railsback (170) and freshman Jacob Wilhelm (113) brought home fourth.

Hickey earned his medal by finishing 3-1 with three pin falls, while Rohrs finished 3-2 on the day. He cruised to two first period pins and won his fourth match of the day in a 16-8 major decision.

HTRS went 2-3 with wins over Palmyra, 54-18, and Free-

man, 60-81, in their season opener at Palmyra. Full results can be found at www.fcjournal.net.

The Titans travel to the Sabetha, KS Invite Saturday.

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FC Middle School teams combined 9-1

The Falls City Middle School's boys basketball season is in full stride and the young Tigers are off to a great start. The teams – A, B and C – have combined for an 9-1 record through the first month of the season.

The 'A' team leads the way with a 3-0 record, picking up wins over Nebraska City (33-25), Auburn (43-15 and HTRS (54-24). Leading scorers for the 'A' team are Noah Milam, 37 points; Brandt Chapple, 36; Rudy Vrtiska, 25.

The 'B' team is 2-1 with wins over Auburn (28-16) and HTRS (36-7). Nebraska City defeated them 35-27. Chaydin Butler and Ransom Campbell lead the team with 20 and 18 points, respectively.

The Tiger 'C' squad is 2-0 while the 7th grade 'A' and 'B' teams each sit at 1-0.

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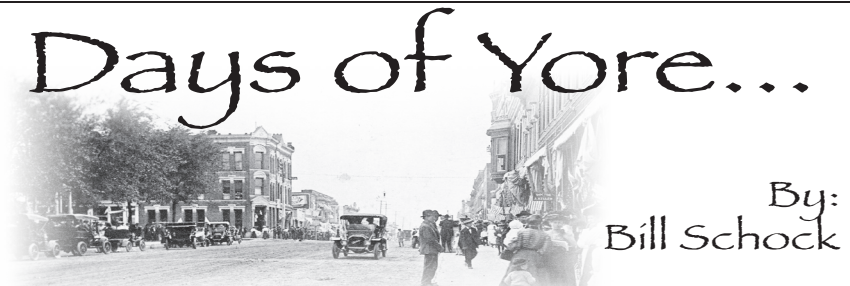
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(Dec. 9-14, 1963)

Twenty-nine crippled children from the area were examined at a clinic sponsored by the Elks Lodge and the county assistance office.

Elmer “Rod” Rogers, manager of the Safeway store, was elected president of the Chamber of Commerce and E. R. “Dick” Baker of Baker’s Bakery vice president.

Falls City’s population was 6,200.

Chuck Simon of the FC Mercantile Co.’s Pabst’s Blue Ribbon Division, was elected to the board of directors of the Kansas Wholesalers and Malt Beverages Assn.

James Stewart and Doris Day were starring in “The Man Who Knew Too Much” at the Rivoli.

Bill Beasing emceed the Christmas prom of the FCHS Girls Athletic Assn. Marsha Cramer and Judy Merz were co-chairmen of table decorations.

The stork report: son Dec. 8 to Mr./Mrs. William Ely, Stella; son Dec. 11 to Mr./Mrs. Carl Braun, FC; son Dec. 11 to Mr./Mrs. August Strecker, FC.

Hested’s would sell you a 6-foot aluminum Christmas tree for \$5.99 and furnace filters for 44 cents. At Herman Shestak’s Drug Store Timex watches were going for \$7.95.

Clarke Witt, FC, was accepted into UNL’s College of Medicine.

Charles Smith, who also owned Tucker’s Hardware, bought FC Hardware from O. P. Ward.

Air Force Sgt. Maynard G. Speers, FC, completed a tour of duty in Turkey and now was stationed at Goodfellow AFB, TX.

Terry Thacker, scoring 19, led D-V to a 62-52 win over Shubert. Lonnie Wing had 20 for Shubert.

LeRoy Auxier was elected president of the FC Amateur Radio Club.

John Honea gave his 40th pint of blood at the Red Cross Blood-mobile stop in FC.

Army Pvt. Donald Gould, Humboldt, completed a radio, teletype operation course at Ft. Gordon, Ala.

Charles Hatfield, FC, a 3rd class petty officer in the Navy, was in San Diego awaiting an assignment in South America.

An item from United Press:

Carlisle, England—Roy Baker, head of a hair dressing school, planned to include a course in “conversation” to teach pupils how to gossip with customers. No further comment from this corner.

25 Years Ago

Richardson County Commissioner Gerald Bucher, Humboldt, was installed as president of the Nebraska Association of County Officials.

In a Christmas project, Church Women United prepared 200 bags of fruit for the residents of Ketter Manor and FC Healthcare.

Robert A. “Pud” Fouraker, Salem, retired after 22 years as a rural mail carrier with never an accident.

Leland Shubert, Southeast Consolidated, was the Journal’s Richardson County Athlete of the Week.

Jason Merz, FCHS, and Amy Frederick, Sacred Heart, were Jr. Rotarians of the Month.

U.S. Senator Jim Exon nominated Daniel Couse, FC, and Jamie Weyers, Humboldt, for appointments to the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, NY.

Ada Magdanz was the B.P.O. Drove #56’s Doe of the Year.

Jr. Strasil, FC, was presented the Hall of Fame Award of the Nebraska Blacksmiths, Welders and Machinists Assn.

Steve Dorste and Roy Beckner were FCHS Wrestlers of the Week.

Richard Arington, Humboldt, was the new county veterans’ service officer. Pat McDermott retired after 41 years in that position.

Sacred Heart boys won the SE Consolidated Invite, slamming Rock Port 69-53. Steve Simon tossed in 16 points.

15 Years Ago

The Ne-Mo-Ka Craft Guild held its 26th Craft Fair at Prichard Auditorium. Deb Fritz was president; Doris Simpson, vice president; Carolyn Joslin, secretary, and Pat Joy, treasurer.

The NE Dept. of Economic Development gave special recognition to the FC Chamber of Commerce Aim for Tomorrow Committee for its assembly of its accomplishments and for the plans for restoration and preservation of Jug Brown Stadium. The committee included: Phyllis Krause, Martha Wolfe, Tracy Brantner, Carole De-Busk and Linda Rasmussen.

Gayle Swisgood, FC, Richardson County commissioner, was installed as president of the Nebraska Association of County Officials.

Rodney P. Vandenberg, president and CEO of First National Bank, was appointed a director of the Nebraska Chamber of Commerce.

The stork report—daughter Dec. 1 to Mr./Mrs. Marc Buckminster, FC; daughter Nov. 30 to Mr./Mrs. Jeff Findlay, Stella; twins, son and daughter, Dec. 11 to Mr./Mrs. Terry Lotter, FC.

Jason Wayne Kreutzer, Rulo, graduated from Wayne State College with a bachelor of science degree.

The Journal’s Athletes of the Week were Julie Froeschl, Sacred Heart, and Brent Shubert, Southeast Consolidated.

A fisherman is a fisherman in any kind of weather. The Journal ran a photo of Don Gerdes, FC, with a 22-pound carp he had wrestled to shore in the Nemaha River south of Rulo.

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Obituaries

Dorothy E. Sierks

Dorothy E. (Shiveley) Sierks, 84, of Brownville, passed away Wednesday, Dec. 4, at the University of Nebraska Medical Center in Omaha.

She was born March 27, 1929 to Floyd and Georgia (Conover) Shiveley. Dorothy graduated from Auburn High School in 1947. She obtained her teaching certificate and taught school in rural Nemaha County.

On Dec. 24, 1948, she married John Sierks. Dorothy was a member of Eastern Star, Gideons, and the United Methodist Church.

Dorothy was preceded in death by her parents; her sister, Lois Keene; brother-in-laws, Charles “Duroc” Moore, Donald “Bud” McMann, Ivan Keene and Everett Shaw.

She’s survived by: her husband, John; children, Lonnie (Wanda) Sierks, Myrna (Stan) Brooks, Michele (Bill) Hawkins, Dave (Bonnie) Sierks, Chuck (Kayla) Sierks, and Melissa Sierks; 14 grandchildren; siblings, Esther Moore, Betty McMann, Deloris Shaw, and Donald “Buckshot” (Georgia “Sam”) Shiveley; 10 great grandchildren; five step grandchildren; 11 step great grandchildren; nieces, nephews and many friends.

Memorials to Eastern Star, Gideons, or family choice

A funeral service was held at 10 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 7, at the Hall Funeral Chapel in Auburn. Burial followed at the Walnut Grove Cemetery, Brownville. Visitation was Dec. 6, at the Funeral Chapel.

June Peck

June Peck, 48, of Spokane, WA, formerly of Falls City, died Tuesday, Nov. 26, 2013, after a courageous battle with cancer.

June worked for the Spokane School District for 28 years before her retirement in 1996. June was a gifted seamstress and loved children. She combined the two when she was asked to coordinate the Spokane Chapter of ConKerr Cancer, an organization that sews pillowcases for children battling cancer. She took on the challenge, offering her artistic skills and technical knowledge to those around her. June was a quilter extraordinaire and lent her skills to Charity Quilts. In addition, she volunteered her time helping children with their reading skills at Ridgeview Elementary School.

She is survived by her husband of 28 years, Larry; sons, Mike (Claudia), Steve (Debbie) and Keven (Allison), grandchildren and special friends.

In lieu of funeral services, there will be a wake in late spring or early summer to celebrate June’s life. Contributions can be made in June’s name to local Cancer Societies.

Charles E. Furrow

(Continued from Page 1)
(Waters) Furrow. He was raised in Table Rock and later moved to Falls City, where he worked in the salvage business.

He is survived by four daughters, Angela (Greg) Folsom, and Bailey and Gabby Furrow, all Falls City, and Vanessa (Jason) Gibson, of Horton, KS; brother, Eugene “Buddy” Waters, Table Rock; sister, Ethel (Wilbur) Nitzsche, of Rulo; and special friend, Deirdre Hall, of Falls City; three grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

The body of Mr. Furrow has been cremated and Memorial Services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Friday, Dec. 13, 2013 at Dorr & Clark Funeral Home, Falls City. Inurnment will be in the Prairie Union Cemetery at Shubert.

Harold Bunge

Harold Bunge, 83, Grand Island, formerly of Falls City, died Tuesday, Nov. 19, 2013, at Good Samaritan Society in Ravenna.

He was born Aug. 17, 1930, at Falls City to Edwin and Laura (Albers) Bunge and was raised on a farm near Falls City. He graduated from Falls City High School in 1948.

Harold served in the U.S. Air Force from 1951-1955, during the Korean War.

On June 29, 1957, he married Jacquelyn Zoe Tockey at Wichita, KS. They lived in Wichita for six years before moving to Fort Worth, TX, where they re-

sided for 17 years. He retired as a U.S. Government Quality Aircraft Assurance inspector. They moved to Grand Island in 1980, where he worked as an auto mechanic. Harold had a hobby of restoring classic Mustangs. He was a member of St. Paul’s Lutheran Church.

Harold is survived by his wife of 56 years; two daughters; brother, Leonard, and his wife, Tucson, AZ, and a sister, Arlene Wright, and her husband, Tecumseh.

Funeral services were held Nov. 22 at St. Paul’s Lutheran Church in Grand Island and burial was in Soulville Cemetery, west of Boelus.

Kathleen M. Williams

Kathleen M. Williams, 89, of Falls City, passed away Monday, Dec. 2, 2013 at the Falls City Health Care Community. She was born Feb. 8, 1924 in Falls City, to David and Margaret (Warren) Portrey. She was the oldest of 10 children.

In her early years her family moved to Pontiac, MI, later moving to Salem and then Preston, where she resided until her marriage to Charles Kirkendall. They were later divorced. She worked at various hospitals in the northwest until settling in Cherokee, IA, where she worked for 24 years until retirement. She was united in marriage to Earl Williams. Kathleen returned to Falls City where she lived the rest of her life and was a member of Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Church in Falls City.

She is survived by her son, Larry (Joyce) Kirkendall, of Lincoln; three granddaughters; brothers, Ronald (Barb) Portrey, of St. Joseph, MO, Dennis (Charlotte) Portrey, of Omaha; sisters, Betty Massey of Falls City, Patsy (Roger) Mandery,

of Greenwood; nieces, nephews other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband Earl; four brothers; and one sister.

A funeral mass for Kathleen Williams was held Thursday, Dec. 5, 2013 at the Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Church in Falls City. Burial followed at the Catholic Cemetery in Falls City.

Hall Funeral Home, of Falls City, was in charge of arrangements.

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Buckminster Upholstery, owned and operated by Kim Buckminster, received an Award of Excellence for its 1890’s Turkish couch project. The project was recognized in the competition’s Upholstery category.

IFAI received a total of 236 entries from 13 countries that were submitted for 29 categories in this year’s competition. Winners were selected based on complexity, design, workmanship, uniqueness and function. Judges included industry experts, editors, architects, educators and design professionals who were chosen for their knowledge in a particular field of study or product area.

All entries receive prominent recognition at the IFAI Specialty Fabrics Expo 2013 and Advanced Textiles Conference & Trade Show, the largest specialty fabrics trade show in the Americas. Entrants receive additional publicity through coverage in IFAI magazines and press releases distributed to media professionals.

The International Achievement Awards competition is sponsored by IFAI, a not-for-profit trade association whose 1,800 member companies represent the international specialty fabrics and technical textiles marketplace.

Kim Buckminster has been in business for over 35 years and has won numerous awards for his upholstery work. Specializing in traditional, restoration and general upholstery, Buckminster has provided his services for museums, government offices and clientele throughout the Midwest. For more info, visit www.buckminsterupholstery.com



(LEFT) Second place in the Festival of Trees went to “Purple and Gold” entered by DOES Drove #56 and decorated by Mary Ann Wenz. (RIGHT) Nikki Dunn of



Dunn's Greenery placed third with “Fencing in Christmas.”

FC Library patron database update

The Falls City Library and Arts Center will update the patron database with photo identification.

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The library’s website is www.fallscitylibrary.org.

Neal Kanel files for HTRS School Board

The Richardson County Clerk’s office reported that Neal A. Kanel, of rural Dawson, is a candidate for the District 70 (HTRS) School Board. This is a non-partisan position.

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Holiday Schedule & Hours

2013 HOLIDAY PRINT SCHEDULE

Christmas week, The Journal will be delivered on **MONDAY, DEC. 23rd.**
DEADLINE will be Friday, Dec. 20th before noon.

New Years Week, The Journal will be delivered on **MONDAY, DEC. 30th**
DEADLINE will be Friday, Dec. 27th before noon.

CLOSED - Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, New Year’s Eve and New Year’s Day

Students

Katelyn A. Wheeler, Falls City Sacred Heart High School graduate and daughter of Doug and Linda Wheeler, will graduate from Bryan College of Health Sciences this month with a Bachelor of Science in Nursing.

Graduation will be held on at 5:30 p.m. Friday, Dec. 20, at Saint Paul United Methodist Church.

Bryan College of Health Sciences is affiliated with the Bryan Medical Center and is located in Lincoln. For more information goto www.bryanhealthcollege.edu

Wayne State College will hold commencement for graduate and undergraduate students Dec. 13 in Rice Auditorium on campus.

A total of 231 degrees -- 200 undergraduate and 31 graduate -- will be conferred at the ceremonies by Wayne State President Curt Frye.

Dylan Grant Smith, of Table Rock and a graduate of HTRS, will earn a Bachelor of Science in Chemistry/Health Science, Biology. He will graduate cum laude (GPA between 3.7 and 3.8).

Agenda for the Board of Education Meeting, 7:00 PM, Monday, December 9, 2013 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 Absences

1.3 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 Reports:

2.2 Principal's Reports

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 Policy Planning

2.4e Annual Planning Workshop

2.4f Superintendent Evaluation Documents (closed session)

2.4g Superintendent Meetings

2.4h Board Member Meetings

2.4i Other

2.5 Board Member Comments and/or Reports

2.6 Additions
- 3.0 Old/New Action Items:
- 3.1 2014-2015 Certified Teacher Master Contract

3.2 First and Second Reading on Policy Revision Recommendations

3.3 Recognize the FCEA as the bargaining agent for 2015-2016.

3.4 Other
- 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, Jan. 13, 2014 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.

StsX3 Youth Group Soup Supper Sunday

The StsX3 Youth Group in Falls City (St. Mark's, St. Paul's and St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Churches) is having a Soup Supper at St. Paul's Lutheran (20th and Towle) from 4:30-6:30 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 15.

After walking and viewing the trees and houses in Falls City, and before heading to First Presbyterian Church for the Longest Night Service, come warm up with a bowl of homemade soup.

We used tree branches and berries...

...to decorate. Then we made ornaments.

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I finished decorating my burrow and tunnel areas. Now, I just have to finish putting the ornaments and lights on my prickly pear cactus... carefully, of course... ha ha ha ha!

I love to visit up North when it snows!

Hey! Where are the reindeer?

Every year families "Deck the halls with..." everything that has special meaning for them. Our ancestors brought many decorating customs to America from their homelands. Over the years many other people, delighted with the different decorations, have adopted them for their homes too! Today you can see many families adding their special touches using:

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Area Churches

Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church
LCMS
(23rd and Barada)
402-245-3324
www.fallscitylcms.com
Holy Communion celebrated 2nd and 4th Sundays.
Sunday: Divine service, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.
First Tuesday Care & Outreach - 6:30 PM.
LLL - 7:30 PM
Wednesday: Confirmation, 6:30 p.m. (after Ash Wednesday, 6 p.m.); 5 p.m., Midweek.
Every Thursday Morning 6:30 a.m., Break-fast Bible Study.
Third Thursday of every month: Lutheran Women's Missionary League, 7:30 p.m.
Dan Gifford, pastor

St. Paul's Lutheran Church
LCMS
(6 miles North)
402-245-4643
www.fallscitylcms.com
Holy Communion celebrated the 2nd and 4th Sundays.
Adult Bible Study every Wednesday, 5 p.m.
Sunday: Bible study, 9:15 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; worship service, 10:30 a.m.
Monday Evening 6:00 p.m. Bible Study.
Tuesday: Second Tuesday of the month, Dorcas Circle.
Wednesday: 9 a.m., Sew 'n Sews; Adult choir, 7:30 p.m.; first Wednesday of the month, LWML; 10 a.m., Ladies' Bible Study, 2nd and 4th Wednesdays.
Wednesday Evening, 5:00 p.m. Midweek Class. 6:30 p.m. Confirmation at Christ Lutheran.
Dan Gifford, pastor

St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church-ELCA
(12 miles NE)
Sunday: Worship service, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Communion first Sunday each month.
First Tuesday each month, WELCA, 1:30 p.m.; third Tuesday each month, Church Council, 7:30 p.m.
Caring, welcoming, sharing in Jesus' name.
Pastor John Sipf

St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church - ELCA
(20th and Towle Streets)
402-245-3828.
Sunday: 9 a.m. Sunday School (pre-school thru adult, during school year);
10 a.m. Worship with Communion on the 1st & 3rd Sundays of each month;
Wednesday: 9:30 a.m. Men's coffee; 6:30 p.m. Confirmation; 7:30 p.m. choir practice.
Saturday: 3:00 p.m. Communion Worship before the 1st & 3rd Sunday of each month;
Call for youth, Bible studies and women's group schedules.
God's Work. Our Hands.
Pastor Andrew Chavanak

St. Mark's Evangelical Lutheran Church-ELCA
(64725 710 RD, Verdon)
402-883-2513
Sunday: Worship service, 9:00 a.m.; Communion first Sunday each month;
Church Council, 7:30 p.m., second Tuesday each month; WELCA, 1:00 p.m., second Thursday each month.

Welcome all to the caring country church.
Pastor John Sipf

First United Methodist Church
(1700 Harlan Street)
fume@sentco.net
402-245-3281
Sunday: Morning schedule, worship service, 10:30 a.m.; listen live on KTNC AM 1230.
Tuesday: Girl Scouts every other Tuesday, 5:30-7 p.m.
Open Hearts, Open Minds, Open Doors.
Lyle K. Schoen, pastor

First United Presbyterian Church
(20th and Harlan)
Sunday: Worship, 9:00 a.m., Cookies and Fellowship 10:00 a.m., first Sunday of the month.
Sunday School - 9:15 a.m
Second Monday of month: Women's Circle, 7 p.m.
Church website:
<http://www.firstpresfallscity.org>
Rev. Roxie Sullivan, pastor
402-245-2650

Seventh-day Adventist Church
(1618 Wilson)
Saturday: Meet on the 3rd Sabbath. Sabbath School, worship service, 3 p.m.; services can be viewed on satellite 24/7, Dish Network channel 3ABN 9393.
<http://fallscity22.adventistchurchconnect.org>
Dean Carlisle, pastor

Catholic Churches
Sts. Peter and Paul
(1820 Fulton)
Weekend Mass Times: Saturday, 5:30 p.m.; Sunday, 7 a.m. and 10 a.m.
Daily Mass: Monday through Friday, 6:45 a.m.
Daily Rosary at 5:30 p.m.
Sacrament of Penance: Saturday, 5 p.m., Sunday, 30 minutes before Sunday Masses, weekdays, before each Mass daily or by appointment.
Adult Inquiry and Instruction Classes: Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.
Monsignor Robert A. Roh, pastor - 245-3002

St. Anne's
(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. Hoelsing pastor

St. Mary's
(Dawson)
855-3595 or 245-4151
Weekend Mass: Saturday, 5:30 p.m.; first, third and fifth Sunday, 8:30 a.m.; second and fourth Sunday, 10:30 a.m.
Daily Mass: Schedule varies, call rectory; confessions before Mass.
Fr. Kenneth F. Hoelsing pastor

Immaculate Conception
(Rulo)
Sunday Confessions, 8 a.m.; Mass, 8:30 a.m.
Daily Mass schedule: Monday-Friday, 6:30 a.m.
Fr. David Oldham, pastor

Good News Assembly of God
(600 Reavis Street)
402-245-3977
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; worship, 10:40 a.m.
Wednesday: Good News Kids, 6:30 p.m.
A variety of small group Bible studies are available for adults throughout the year. Listen to sermons online, www.mynag.com
Tim Boatright, Pastor

NorthRidge Nebraska
(1820 Morton Street)
Reaching & Equipping people for Christ
Non-Denominational, Bible-based Contemporary worship
Sunday: Worship Services, 10 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.
(402) 245-2167
northridgenebraska.com

First Church of Nazarene
(1812 Wilson)
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; children's church and morning worship, 10:40 a.m.; evening service, 6 p.m.
Wednesday: Bible study, 7 p.m.; teens and children's program.
Stephen Floyd, pastor
402-245-3755

Bethel United Methodist Church
(70654 656 AVE)
(1/2 mile N of Preston Corner)
Sunday: Worship, 10:45 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday choir, 6:30 p.m.
Karla Shafer, pastor

Barada United Methodist Church
(717 Road and 652 Blvd.)
883-2485
Worship, 9:30-10:30 a.m.; Sunday School/ Bible Study, 10:45-11:30 a.m.
Jerry Yount, pastor

Prairie Union Baptist Church
(Rural Shubert)
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; morning worship, 11 a.m.
Please join us to worship the Lord. Communion is served the first Sunday of every month.
Rhonda Boeckman, Associate pastor

Trinity United Methodist Church (Rulo)
fume@sentco.net
402-245-3281
Sunday: Worship service, 9 a.m.; Sunday School for children held during worship.
Lyle K. Schoen, pastor

Verdon Christian Church
(Verdon)
Sunday: Worship, 9 a.m.; Sunday school.
Daniel S. Farley, pastor

River of Hope Fellowship
River of Hope Fellowship
120/Hwy 159
PO Box 176
Mound City, MO 64470
Church Phone: 660-442-0197
Sunday: 9:45-10:30 a.m., Christian Fellowship and food; 10:30 a.m., Praise and Worship service (nursery and children's church provided).
"In Christ There Is Always Hope."
Pastor David Showalter
660-442-6305
Pastor Will Certain
816-824-8566

Christ Church of Falls City
(Nondenominational)
701 Stone Street
Phone: 402-245-5972
Sunday: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; worship, 11 a.m.; evening service, 6:30 p.m.
Monday: Men's prayer meeting, 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday: Adult Bible study, 6:30 p.m.; MAD4GOD Youth Group, open to all teens in the community age 13 and over, 6:30 p.m.
Thursday: Ladies Bible study, 2212 Harlan Street #2, 6:30-8:30 p.m.
"We exist to love our community into a life-changing relationship with Jesus Christ by showing God's love in practical ways."
Jim Berry, pastor
402-245-7026

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1305 Harlan
Falls City, NE 245-3525

Joy To The World!

The Bible says a time shall come when our world's woes will end.
God will impose His power on behalf of His people.
Are you one of them?
If not, you can be.
Find out how this week in church.

They shall obtain joy and gladness.
Isaiah 35:1-10
James 5:7-10 Matthew 11:2-11 Psalm 146:5-10
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Third Sunday of Advent

Jim Hill's
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402-245-4444 or 1-800-232-6558

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Screen Printing and Embroidery
Falls City, NE 245-5323

Stella Community Church
Sunday: Church service, with children's Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; adults' Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.
Kyle Paustian, pastor

St. Mary's
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Don Shafer, moderator
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Monday: Prayer and Share Monday, 8:30 a.m.
Wednesday: Children's, Youth and Adult Bible study, 7 p.m.
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Karl Forehand, pastor

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Sunday: Worship service, 9:30 a.m.; Fellowship time, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:45 a.m.
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County Board

RICHARDSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
NOVEMBER 19, 2013
CALL TO ORDER

The regular meeting of the Richardson County Board of Commissioners was called to order by Chairman Sickel at 3 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 19, 2013. Roll call was answered by Standerford, Davidson and Sickel. The Invocation was given by Chairman Sickel and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Vice-Chairman Davidson. Chairman Sickel announced that the open meeting laws have been posted at the entrance to the meeting room.

Motion was made by Davidson to approve the minutes of the Nov. 12, 2013, meeting as read. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

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

ROAD AND BRIDGE DEPT.

Scott Huppert, Highway Superintendent, updated the Board on the routine maintenance being done on county roads and bridges this week. A report was also given on the progress of the completion of the Preston Road hard surfacing project and that bridge inspections are being done. Mr. Huppert also reported that he has ordered the rural address signs to replace those that have faded.

DOUG MERZ,
COUNTY ATTORNEY

County Attorney, Doug Merz introduced to the Board newly hired Deputy County Attorney, Zachary Blackman. He began his duties on Nov. 11, 2013.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

with Veterans Service Committee

Motion was made by Standerford to go into an executive session to discuss personnel matters and for the prevention of needless injury to the reputation of an individual with the Veterans Service Committee, County Attorney, Doug Merz and County Clerk, Mary L. Eickhoff at 3:55 p.m. Motion seconded by Sickel. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. The individual involved was contacted and did not wish to attend or have a public session.

Motion was made by Standerford to close the Executive Session at 4:55 p.m. Motion seconded by Davidson. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

SHERIFF HOUSER

Motion was made by Sickel to enter into the agreement with the City of Humboldt for the County to provide law enforcement services for the period of Sept. 1, 2013 through Aug. 31, 2016 at a total cost for the 36 month contract of \$185,763.00. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Davidson to enter into an agreement with the Village of Shubert for the County to provide law enforcement services to enforce the ordinances of the Village at an annual fee of \$100 per year. Motion seconded by Sickel. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

The Board also reviewed with the Sheriff claims submitted for reimbursement to be made to the Sheriff petty cash fund. It was noted by the County Board that all receipts must be detailed for services or goods received and/or performed and that in the future that claims without detailed receipts may have to be denied.

CORRESPONDENCE/OTHER
Fee Report

A fee report was approved for Sheriff Houser totaling \$3,756.40.

Richardson County Transit Report

Motion was made by Davidson to approve the Richardson County Transit Report as submitted by SENCA for the month of October, 2013 in which \$2,804.00 will be requested from Federal and State Public Transportation Assistance Program funds. Motion seconded by Sickel. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

Subdivision

Motion was made by Standerford to adopt Resolution 2013-2014-13 to approve a subdivision for Ruth M. Fishwood, Nancy J. Nemechek and Kathryn M Hayward which is located in S5, T2, R14. Motion seconded by Sickel. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried. (Resolution Book 21, Page 12)

4 County Juvenile
Services Program

Motion was made by Davidson to approve the agreement with Nemaha, Pawnee and Johnson Counties with Laura Osborne to implement the 4 County Juvenile Services Plan. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

The Board recessed at 5:35 p.m. and reconvened at 6:35 p.m.

JAIL COMMITTEE

The Board met with members of the appointed jail committee with those present being Phil Bletscher, Ray Joy, Jake Ankrom, Mark Joy, Jerry Duerfeldt, Charlie Fiegenger, Ken Arnold and June Bowers. Representatives from Prochaska & Associates, Jay Weingarten and Scott Lundberg presented

to the Board an overview of what the Committee has been researching and reviewing.

The preliminary design plans that were presented to the Committee were presented to the County Board. Preliminary costs of the facility construction budget (hard costs) are expected to be \$2,821,020.00 with the addition of a project overhead budget (soft costs) at \$805,260 making the total preliminary cost \$3,626,280.

A question was asked of how much of the county’s total valuation was made up of agriculture land, residential and commercial. This information will be researched and sent to the committee members before the next meeting.

The committee again made a vote to recommend to the County Board to proceed with the project to renovate the armory building into a jail/law enforcement facility with the vote being 7 for and 1 against. The Board will take this recommendation under advisement.

CLAIMS

Motion was made by Sickel to allow the payment of all claims that were submitted today including the claim held from last week to the Richardson County Sheriff Petty Cash Fund for \$1,282.48 and to note that the claim that has been held for further review to the City of Falls City for \$192.50 has been resolved and is being withdrawn. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried. ZNEZ

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

GENERAL FUND

Alamar Uniforms, supp.....	106.89
Animal Health Center, serv.....	32.61
Armbruster Motor Co., supp.....	955.98
Blecha 66, fuel.....	12.00
Clerk of Dist Court, costs.....	163.00
James Cockerham, trng.....	30.00
Comfort Inn, jail/dispatch trng serv.....	1,995.57
Consolidated Mgt Co., serv.....	228.00
Jan Deckinger, trng.....	30.00
Des Moines Stamp Mfg, supp.....	32.70
BrianDixon, reimb.....	10.00
Electrical Eng & Equip, supp.....	19.46
F&M Bank, petty cash.....	1,000.00
FC Auto Supply, supp.....	16.77
Radio Shack, supp.....	236.77
FC Family Practice, serv.....	230.00
FC Journal, adv.....	385.56
FC Mercantile, supp.....	264.53
FC Pharmacy, presc.....	514.48
Farm & City Supply, supp.....	36.96
Galls/Quartermaster, supp.....	244.97
James Gerweck, reimb.....	360.95
Charles Houser, reimb.....	15.97
Hullmans Ford, serv.....	264.04
Jones Air Conditioning, serv.....	132.00
Kawres, serv.....	57.60
Kochs Truck Service, serv.....	199.78
Orrin Krous, serv.....	496.80
Sterling Lampe, serv.....	50.00
Law Enforcement Targets, supp.....	65.32
Manatron, supp.....	1,049.56
Roland Merwin, reimb.....	37.23
Midtown Service Center, serv.....	513.14
Miller Monroe, insurance.....	273.00
MIPS, serv.....	117.62
Morrissey, Morrissey & Dalluge, fee.....	4,376.69

NE Assoc of Co Officials, registr.....	840.00
Postmaster, postage.....	250.00
Pro Serv Business Systems, supp.....	198.99
Quill Corp., supp.....	292.20
Richardson Co. Med Reimb, fund.....	650.00
Richardson Co. Sheriff, costs.....	649.77
Sheriff Petty Cash Fund, reimb.....	1,282.48
Sapp Bros., fuel.....	3,509.95
Charlene Schuetz, fee.....	250.00
Secretary of State, supp.....	10.00
Shopko Pharmacy, jail presc.....	33.17
Shopko Stores, supp.....	12.74
SE NE Assoc of Assessors, dues.....	20.00
SE NE Communications, serv.....	436.07
Streckers Gun & Supply, supp.....	190.89
Stripes & Signs, supp.....	83.00
Sunmart, jail meals.....	3,043.50
Swiftlink 4 State Wireless Internet, serv.....	574.00
Pam Vice, reimb.....	116.39
W&D Auto Care, serv.....	380.00
Weaver & Merz, reimb.....	1,196.03
Windstream, serv.....	111.20
Wolffes, supp.....	158.61
Total General Fund.....	\$28,844.94

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND

Lawson Products, supp.....	186.97
Martin Marietta, rock.....	41,920.09
Miller Monroe, insurance.....	597.00
NPPD, serv.....	51.31
Norris Quarries, rock.....	2,009.78
OPPD, serv.....	16.59
Sapp Bros., fuel.....	22,140.93
Unifirst Corp., serv.....	76.30
Total Road/Bridge Fund.....	\$66,998.97

CHROMATOGRAPH FUND

Community Medical Center, serv.....	104.00
NE Dept of Health & Human Serv., serv.....	105.00
Total Chromatograph Fund.....	\$209.00

COUNTY VISITOR’S PROMO
FUND

Arts & Humanities Council, adv.....	2,000.00
Richardson Co. Cancer Fund, adv.....	1,500.00
Total County Visitor’s Promo Fund.....	\$3,500.00
STATE INSTITUTIONS FUND	
NE Dept of HHS, serv.....	372.00
Total State Institutions Fund.....	\$372.00
INHERITANCE TAX FUND	
Midwest Mobile Radio Serv., serv.....	1,392.52
Total Inheritance Tax Fund.....	\$1,392.52

NATURAL DISASTER FUND

General Fund, transfer.....	1,646.37
Road/Bridge Fund, transfer.....	221,632.30
Total Natural Disaster Fund.....	\$223,278.67

ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Davidson to adjourn the meeting at 9:12 p.m. Mo-

tion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried. The Board will meet again on Tuesday, Nov. 26, 2013 at 9 a.m. in the Commissioner’s Meeting Room, Courthouse, Falls City. The agenda is kept current at the County Clerk’s Office.

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

City of Falls City

GENERAL CLAIMS
OCT 2013
ADMINISTRATIVE

PAYROLL, SA.....	\$8,489.39
ALLIED INS., EX.....	\$217.00
CITY OF F.C. DEBIT CARD, EX.....	\$185.75
F.C. EDGE, EX.....	\$10,258.96
FC MERCANTILE, EX.....	\$158.12
PETTY CASH, EX.....	\$10.69
GENESIS EMPLOYEE BENEFITS, EX.....	\$7.46
HALBERT, DUNN & HALBERT, EX.....	\$3,453.32
JULIE DECKINGER, EX.....	\$123.17
MID-AMERICAN BENEFITS, INC., EX.....	\$13.00
PEST CONTROL SERVICES OF SE NE, EX.....	\$50.00
PRAIRIE PLACE DESIGNS, EX.....	\$50.00
QUILL CORP, SU.....	\$274.76
SNC, SR.....	\$233.11
TRUE VALUE, EX.....	\$19.64
UNIFIRST CORP, EX.....	\$19.80
UTILITY DEPT, EX.....	\$861.09
Total.....	\$24,425.26

POLICE DEPARTMENT

PAYROLL, SA.....	\$41,187.23
ARMBRUSTER’S, EX.....	\$72.00
AS CENTRAL FINANCE, EX.....	\$448.00
CHIEF TIM LORDINO, EX.....	\$55.00
CITY OF F.C. DEBIT CARD, EX.....	\$105.39
FARM/CITY SUPPLY, EX.....	\$7.99
FLEET SERVICES, EX.....	\$1,448.23
PETTY CASH, EX.....	\$121.63
HALBERT, DUNN & HALBERT, EX.....	\$1,335.76
HARMONS OK TIRE, EX.....	\$455.00
HULLMANS FORD, EX.....	\$163.59
MECHANIC SHOP, EX.....	\$37.89
MID-AMERICAN BENEFITS, INC., EX.....	\$71.50
POLICE DEPT- PETTY CASH, EX.....	\$35.20
QUILL CORP, SU.....	\$21.66
SNC, SR.....	\$328.61
TRUE VALUE, EX.....	\$17.94
UTILITY DEPT, EX.....	\$25.23
Total.....	\$45,937.85

FIRE

PAYROLL, SA.....	\$9,303.21
DEARBORN NAT’L, EX.....	\$211.20
ED M FELD EQUIPMENT, EX.....	\$80.00
FLEET SERVICES, EX.....	\$162.70
K-T’S FIRE EXT. SERVICE, EX.....	\$13.00
MID-AMERICAN BENEFITS, INC., EX.....	\$13.00
QUILL CORP, SU.....	\$3.61
SNC, SR.....	\$48.47
UTILITY DEPT, EX.....	\$1,696.14
Total.....	\$11,531.33
STREET DEPARTMENT	
PAYROLL, SA.....	\$17,938.98
CONCRETE IND., EX.....	\$206.50
CONVENIENCE CARD #4458, EX.....	\$13.99
ECHO GROUP, EX.....	\$22.32
FLEET SERVICES, EX.....	\$1,686.99
FOUR CORNERS AG, EX.....	\$350.00
HARMONS OK TIRE, EX.....	\$35.00
MECHANIC SHOP, EX.....	\$1,946.40
MID-AMERICAN BENEFITS, EX.....	\$19.50
MR. AUTOMOTIVE, EX.....	\$21.71
QUILL CORP, SU.....	\$7.22
ROSE EQUIP., EX.....	\$6,278.74
SNC, SR.....	\$43.56
UTILITY DEPT, EX.....	\$3,826.79
Total.....	\$32,397.70

PARKS

PAYROLL, SA.....	\$8,066.38
CITY OF F.C. DEBIT CARD, EX.....	\$36.83
CONCRETE IND., EX.....	\$443.00
FARM AND CITY, EX.....	\$154.62
FLEET SERVICES, EX.....	\$468.95
HOME LUMBER, EX.....	\$74.81
MECHANIC SHOP, EX.....	\$99.80
MEYER HOME CENTER, EX.....	\$143.00
MID-AMERICAN BENEFITS, EX.....	\$13.00
QUILL CORP, SU.....	\$13.09
SNC, SR.....	(\$96.36)
SUN MART, EX.....	\$13.10
UTILITY DEPT, EX.....	\$2,464.71
Total.....	\$11,894.93

AUDITORIUM

ELECTRONIC CONTRACTING, EX.....	\$535.00
FC MERCANTILE, EX.....	\$150.94
FARM/CITY SUPPLY, EX.....	\$8.49
JONES AC, EX.....	\$65.00
QUILL CORP, SU.....	\$13.09
SNC, SR.....	\$138.84
UNIFIRST CORP, EX.....	\$96.84
UTILITY DEPT, EX.....	\$1,244.07
Total.....	\$2,252.27

ANIMAL CONTROL

PAYROLL, SA.....	\$2,738.96
CITY OF F.C. DEBIT CARD, EX.....	\$4.00
FLEET SERV, EX.....	\$122.63
MECHANIC SHOP, EX.....	\$7.99
MID-AMERICAN BENEFITS, EX.....	\$6.50
OPPD, EX.....	\$0.76
UTILITY DEPT, EX.....	\$8.77
Total.....	\$2,889.61

SENIOR CENTER

JONES AC, EX.....	\$262.50
Total.....	\$262.50

E911 Wireless

SNC, EX.....	\$157.04
SNC, SR.....	\$180.77
WINDSTREAM, EX.....	\$333.53
Total.....	\$671.34

911 EMERGENCY SERVICE

PAYROLL, SA.....	\$19,220.87
CITY OF F.C. DEBIT CARD, EX.....	\$67.58

COMFORT INN, EX.....	\$665.19
CONSOLIDATED MANAGEMENT CO, EX.....	\$104.50
SH MED. GLOVES, EX.....	\$69.90
NE LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING, EX.....	\$150.00
SNC, EX.....	\$235.57
SNC, SR.....	\$78.21
WINDSTREAM, EX.....	\$500.29
Total.....	\$21,092.11

LIBRARY

PAYROLL, SA.....	\$11,698.67
ARBOR DAY FOUNDATION, EX.....	\$15.00
BEST FRIENDS ANIMAL SOCIETY, EX.....	\$25.00
BIRDS AND BLOOMS, EX.....	\$12.00
BON APPETIT, EX.....	\$20.00
COOK’S ILLUST., EX.....	\$14.95
CRICKET MAGAZINE GROUP, EX.....	\$19.95
DELLA PEEK, EX.....	\$377.15
ELECTRONIC CONTRACTING, EX.....	\$538.50
ENTREPRENEUR, EX.....	\$18.97
ENVIRONMENTAL NUTRITION, EX.....	\$24.00
HARPER’S MAG, EX.....	\$14.97
HOME POWER, EX.....	\$14.95
INGRAM, EX.....	\$944.48
INSTYLE, EX.....	\$20.00
INTERIOR DESIGN, EX.....	\$34.95
JIM HILL’S, EX.....	\$199.50
JOHN HOPKINS HEALTH AFTER 50, EX.....	\$18.00
JONES AC, EX.....	\$142.50
KAWRES, EX.....	\$8.00
LIBRARY - PETTY CASH, EX.....	\$143.56
MID-AMERICAN BENEFITS, EX.....	\$6.50
MINDFUL, EX.....	\$24.00
OCLC, EX.....	\$76.04
PC GAMER, EX.....	\$14.95
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REAL SIMPLE, EX.....	\$20.00
ROLLING STONE, EX.....	\$19.95
SAVEUR, EX.....	\$29.97
SCIENTIFIC AMER, EX.....	\$34.97
SELF, EX.....	\$7.97
THE ENGLISH HOME, EX.....	\$27.00
THE LIBRARY STORE, EX.....	\$111.03
THE PROGRESSIVE, EX.....	\$59.40
THE SUN, EX.....	\$34.00
TRADITIONAL HOME, EX.....	\$19.97
TRUE VALUE, EX.....	\$9.99
TYLER BEK, EX.....	\$150.00
US WEEKLY, EX.....	\$69.95
UTILITY DEPT, EX.....	\$1,426.31
VECMAR COMPUTER SOLUTIONS, EX.....	\$216.15
WILDWEST, EX.....	\$29.95
WIRED, EX.....	\$12.00
WOLFES PRINTING, SU.....	\$195.74
Total.....	\$17,500.99

CEMETERY

PAYROLL, SA.....	\$6,357.87
FARM/CITY SUPPLY, EX.....	\$57.04
FLEET SERVICES, EX.....	\$52.02
HALBERT, DUNN & HALBERT, EX.....	\$2,183.18
JONES & JONES, EX.....	\$975.00
K-T’S FIRE EXT SERV, EX.....	\$27.00
MID TOWN SERVICE CENTER, EX.....	\$15.00
MID-AMERICAN BENEFITS, INC., EX.....	\$19.50
QUILL CORP, SU.....	\$3.61
SNC, SR.....	\$42.98
UTILITY DEPT, EX.....	\$48.30
Total.....	\$9,781.50

AIRPORT

BENNETT REFR., EX.....	\$590.00
SUE BUCKMINSTER, EX.....	\$250.00
DAWN BENNETT, EX.....	\$75.00
HALBERT, DUNN & HALBERT, EX.....	\$114.90
KIRKHAM, MICHAEL/ASSOC., EX.....	\$586.44
PHILIP CHAFFEE, EX.....	\$2,320.00
SNC, SR.....	\$132.88
H. SUEDMEIER, EX.....	\$523.54
UTILITY DEPT, EX.....	\$395.10
Total.....	\$4,987.86

1984 - HUD TRUST

NDED, EX.....	\$595.24
SE NE DEV DIST, EX.....	\$2,205.32
Total.....	\$2,800.56

MUTUAL FINANCE

F.C. FIRE DEPT., EX.....	\$16,460.30
CITY/HUMBOLDT, EX.....	\$5,944.50
DAWSON RFD, EX.....	\$387.00
FALLS CITY RFD, EX.....	\$844.00
HUMBOLDT RFD, EX.....	\$1,106.00
ROBERT W. AITKEN, CPA, PC, EX.....	\$829.40
STELLA RFD, EX.....	\$2,913.50
VERDON RFD, EX.....	\$539.00
VILLAGE/DAWSON, EX.....	\$1,270.50
VILLAGE OF RULO, EX.....	\$1,215.50
VILLAGE/SALEM, EX.....	\$1,414.00
VILLAGE/SHUBERT, EX.....	\$1,241.00
Total.....	\$34,164.70

ECONOMIC DEVELOP. SI

HALBERT, DUNN & HALBERT, EX.....	\$294.44
Total.....	\$294.44

CAPITAL IMPROV. SINK

FC SANITATION, SR.....	\$389.85
Total.....	\$389.85

Admin Total.....\$223,274.80

UTILITY CLAIMS
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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION OF

RHN ATTITUDE EXPRESS, LLC
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned have formed a limited liability company under the laws of the State of Nebraska as follows:

1) The name of the company is RHN ATTITUDE EXPRESS, LLC
2) The address of the initial registered office of the corporation is 224 W. Main, Salem, NE 68437.
3) The company is organized to engage in any and all lawful business for which a limited liability company may be organized under the laws of the State of Nebraska and shall have and exercise all powers and rights conferred upon a limited liability company by the Nebraska Limited Liability Company Act and any enlargement of such powers conferred by subsequent legislative acts.

4) The company's existence commenced on the filing and recording of the Articles of Organization with the Secretary of State of the State of Nebraska and shall have perpetual existence.

5) The management of the company shall be vested in one or more managers with the initial manager being Roger J. Ness.

Roger J. Ness Helen I. Ness
MANAGER MEMBER

Kevin D. Urbom #18721
P.O. Box 557
Arapahoe, NE 68922
(308) 962-5455
ATTORNEY 19-26-3-10

NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Hilltop Gardens Bakery & Concessions, LLC, a Nebraska limited liability company, is organized under the laws of the State of Nebraska. The initial designated office of the company is 70461 658 Avenue, Rulo, Nebraska 68431, and the initial agent for service of process at the same address is Carla J. Bachman. The general nature of its business is to engage in all lawful business for which a limited liability company may be organized under the laws of Nebraska. The limited liability company was formed on November 8, 2013, and shall continue perpetually.

MEMBERS:
Carla J. Bachman
Briana E. Bachman
Neal E. Parsons, #13228
Attorney at Law
217 East 18th Street
Falls City, Nebraska 68355
26-3-10

ORDINANCE NO. 2013-110
AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 5-424 OF THE FALLS CITY MUNICIPAL CODE; TO CHANGE PROVISION REGARDING THE PARKING OF DETACHED TRAILERS AND DUMPSTER UPON THE STREETS; AND TO REPEAL CONFLICTING ORDINANCES.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FALLS CITY, NEBRASKA:

Section 1. That Chapter 5, Article 4, Section 5-424 of the Falls City Municipal Code shall be amended to read as follows:

§ 5-424 PARKING OF DETACHED TRAILER OR DUMPSTER. It shall be unlawful for an owner or operator to park a trailer detached from its motor vehicle on the streets in any business or residential district of the City, except a contractor or owner who has obtained a building or demolition permit may leave a detached trailer or dumpster on the street at the site provided it is equipped with proper reflectors, will not obstruct the normal flow of traffic and the street is not a state highway.

Section 2. That all ordinances passed and approved prior to the passage, approval and publication or posting of this ordinance and in conflict with its provisions, are hereby repealed.

Section 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage, approval and publication or posting as required by law.

Passed and approved this 2 day of December, 2013.

Tim Hersh, Mayor
Gary Jorn, Clerk
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

The Board of Supervisors of Drainage District No. 7
Time and place of meeting: Friday, Dec. 13, 2013 at 8 a.m.; 1719 Stone St., Falls City, NE

Meeting agenda: 1. Announcement of Public Meetings Act; 2. Agenda approval; 3. Approve minutes; 4. Treasurer's report; 5. Supervisor's report; 6. Approve claims; 7. Discussion of District levee maintenance; and, 8. Publication of bid notice.
Dated Dec. 3, 2013.

DRAINAGE DISTRICT NO. 7 of Richardson County, Nebraska
Paul H. Benitz, President
Robert Keller, Secretary
WEAVER & MERZ
Douglas E. Merz #12807
Zachary L. Blackman #24921
1719 Stone St.
P.O. Box 569
Falls City, NE 68355
402-245-3015
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NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that WB Bar & Grill, LLC, a Nebraska limited liability company, is organized under the laws of the State of Nebraska. The initial designated office of the company is 66310 703 Lane, Rulo, Nebraska 68431, and the initial agent for service of process at the same address is William P. Schulenberg. The general nature of its business is to engage in all lawful business for which a limited liability company may be organized under the laws of Nebraska. The limited liability company was formed on November 8, 2013, and shall continue perpetually.

MEMBERS:
William P. Schulenberg
Neal E. Parsons, #13228
Attorney at Law
217 East 18th Street
Falls City, Nebraska 68355
26-3-10

NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Bangert Hillside Farms, LLC, a Nebraska limited liability company, is organized under the laws of the State of Nebraska. The initial designated office of the company is 65447 713 Road, Falls City, Nebraska 68355, and the initial agent for service of process at the same address is Joseph G. Bangert. The general nature of its business is to engage in all lawful business for which a limited liability company may be organized under the laws of Nebraska. The limited liability company was formed on November 13, 2013, and shall continue perpetually.

MEMBERS:
Joseph G. Bangert
Kyle J. Bangert
Neal E. Parsons, #13228
Attorney at Law
217 East 18th Street
Falls City, Nebraska 68355
26-3-10

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Separate sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Utilities Superintendent, City of Falls City, **2307 Barada Street, Falls City, Nebraska 68355, until 2:30 p.m., local time, on the 18th day of December 2013**, for the furnishing of all labor, materials, use of Contractor's equipment and plant, and all else necessary to properly construct WATER TREATMENT PLANT EMERGENCY GENERATOR, FALLS CITY, NEBRASKA. The Falls City Water Treatment Plant is located approximately 1 mile south of Rulo, Nebraska on 660 Ave./ Highway 7.

At which hour, or as soon as possible thereafter, the City representative will proceed to publicly open in the presence of bidders and consider the bids received for the furnishing of said labor, materials, and equipment necessary for the proper construction of the improvements. The bids will be considered for award at the regular City Council meeting to be held **January 6th, 2014**.

The extent of the work for said project includes the construction of the items listed below and other related and preparatory work.

Supply, install and place into operation one 600 kw diesel powered engine generator complete with weather proof enclosure, transfer switches, electrical conduit and wiring to water treatment plant building, concrete pad, and other appurtenances as shown.

All work called for in the plans and specifications shall be furnished in strict accordance with the plans and specifications prepared by Kirkham Michael, Special Engineers of the City of Falls City, Nebraska and now on file in the office of the City Clerk, City of Falls City, Nebraska.

The proposals shall be made on a form furnished by Kirkham Michael, and must be accompanied by a certified check on a bank whose deposits are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or a bid bond in the amount of *5% of bid* made payable to the City of Falls City, Nebraska, which shall be considered as liquidated damages and shall be forfeited to the City of Falls City, Nebraska, if said proposal or bid is accepted and the bidder fails to execute the contract and file the required bonds and insurance certificate as provided in the Contract Documents within ten days from award.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish a Performance Bond and a Labor and Material Payment Bond on the form included in the Contract Documents and each in an amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the contract price, said bonds to be executed by a responsible corporate surety approved by the City of Falls City, Nebraska, and shall guarantee the faithful performance of the contract and the terms and conditions therein contained and shall guarantee payment for all labor and materials used in connection with the work.

Plans, Specifications and Contract Documents may be examined at the office of the City Clerk of Falls City, Nebraska, and may be procured from the office of the Engineer, Kirkham Michael, 12700 W. Dodge Rd., Omaha, NE 68154, upon the payment of \$35.00 of which none will be refunded.

The City of Falls City, Nebraska, reserves the right to waive informalities and to reject any or all bids.

Dated this 25th day of November, 2013.
THE CITY OF FALLS CITY,
NEBRASKA
By Gary Jorn, City Clerk
Dates of Publication: Dec. 3, 10
and 17, 2013
3-10-17

NOTICE

In the County Court of Richardson County, Nebraska
Estate of Clara G. Boggess, Deceased
Estate No. PR13-56

Notice is hereby given that on December 4, 2013, in the County Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Decedent and that Esther Boggess, a 10812 Mimosa Drive, Bastrop, LA 71220, was informally appointed by the Registrar as Personal Representative of the Estate.

Creditors of this Estate must file their claims with this Court on or before February 10, 2014 or be forever barred.

Nancy A. DeKlotz
Clerk of the County Court

Prepared by:
David C. Mullin #21985
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500 Energy Plaza
409 South 17th Street
Omaha, NE 68102
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10-17-23

County Board

RICHARDSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
NOVEMBER 26, 2013
Call To Order

The regular meeting of the Richardson County Board of Commissioners was called to order by Chairman Sickle at 9 a.m. Tuesday, Nov. 26, 2013. Roll call was answered by Standerford, Davidson and Sickle. The Invocation was given by Chairman Sickle and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Vice-Chairman Davidson. Chairman Sickle announced that the open meeting laws have been posted at the entrance to the meeting room.

Motion was made by Sickle to approve the minutes of the Nov. 19, 2013, meeting as read. Motion seconded by Standerford. Roll call vote: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickle-aye. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Sickle to approve the agenda as posted. Motion seconded by Standerford. Roll call vote: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickle-aye. Motion carried. The agenda is posted at the Richardson County Courthouse on the First Floor Lobby, the Commissioner's Meeting Room, the Third Floor of the Sheriff's Office and on the Richardson County website www.co.richardson.ne.us

Road and Bridge Dept.

Scott Huppert, Highway Supt., updated the Board on the routine maintenance being done on county roads and bridges this week. The condition of the county roads after the recent snow/ice storm was discussed and the Board reported to Huppert of several roads that need to be rocked. A report was also given on the progress of the completion of the Preston Road hard surfacing project. ZNEZ

Huppert reported that the Verdon NW bridge project is progressing and the plans for the Stella SE bridge project are completed and that right-of-way acquisition will begin.

William VonSeggern

William VonSeggern requested to meet with the Board regarding the contract for the services of the Public Defender which expires Dec. 31, 2013.

Motion was made by Sickle to approve an agreement with O. William VonSeggern to enter into an agreement for the services of the Public Defender for a term of two years, Jan. 1, 2014 through Dec. 31, 2015 at a contracted price of \$48,000.00 per year. Motion seconded by Standerford. Roll call vote: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickle-aye. Motion carried. (Resolution Book 21, Page 13)

Veterans Service Committee

Members of the Veterans Service Committee, Brian Palmer, Ken Coonce and Dick Arington presented to the Board 2 letters recommending that Ralph Huettner not be reappointed for another one year term as the Richardson County Veterans Service Officer.

Correspondence/Other

Subdivision

Motion was made by Sickle to adopt Resolution 2013-2014-14 to approve a subdivision for John M. and Mary Sue Martin, which is located in S25, T1, R15. Motion seconded by Davidson. Roll call vote: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickle-aye. Motion carried. (Resolution Book 21, Page 14)

OPPD Agreement

Motion was made by Standerford to approve an agreement with OPPD for the use of county road right-of-way located 2 miles north of Falls City on 651 Avenue south of 710 Road. Motion seconded by Davidson. Roll call vote: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickle-aye. Motion carried. (Resolution Book 21, Page 15)

Other

Motion was made by Sickle to approve a change to the County's Section 125 Cafeteria Plan to add the Grace Period option to the plan. Motion seconded by Standerford. Roll call vote: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickle-aye. Motion carried.

CLAIMS

Motion was made by Sickle to allow the payment of all claims that were submitted today. Motion seconded by Standerford. Roll call vote: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickle-aye. Motion carried.

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

GENERAL FUND

Alamar Corp., supp152.58
Blue Cross/Blue Shield, insurance45,779.84
Lori Blume, fee22.75
Community Medical Center, serv1,589.04

Dept of Correctional Serv., serv2,649.26
Austin Duerfeldt, reimb49.50
F&M Bank, supp50.99
FC Mercantile, supp239.32
Farm & City Supply, supp359.98
4 Corners Ag & Bldg Supp, supp240.00
Iowa Tribal Police, tower rent600.00
Jefferson Co. Sheriff, fee19.00
The Peavey Corp., supp77.30
Madison Nat'l Life, insurance ...13.53
Doug Merz, fee50.00
Meyer Home Center, serv188.35
Midwest Mobile Radio Serv., serv32.72
MIPS, serv499.68
Pest Control Services of SE NE, serv35.00
Petersen Reporting, serv112.45
Ameritas, retire5,960.57
Richardson Co. Court, costs...1,226.32
Richardson Co. Vendor, FICA6,349.97
Sapp Bros., fuel98.48
Securus Technologies, serv630.00
Smith & Smith Attorneys, fee/exp5,287.22
US Cellular, serv533.39
O. William VonSeggern, contract4,000.00
Wolfe, supp167.36
Payroll Expense53,643.78
Total General Fund\$130,658.38

ROAD & BRIDGE FUND

Orscheln's, supp159.96
Dillon Tire, supp670.00
Humboldt Lumber Co., supp9.40
Koch's Auto Service, tires...17,462.76
NPPD, serv34.82
NNRD, supp47.50
Norris Quarries, rock303.01
Northern Safety Co., supp200.42
OPPD, serv20.36
Pavers, serv785.40
Quill Corp., supp76.05
Windstream Corp., serv50.04
Payroll Expense33,120.83
Total Road/Bridge Fund....\$52,940.55

CHROMATOGRAPH FUND

NE Dept of HHS Labs, serv315.00
Total Chromatograph Fund\$315.00

GENERAL ASSISTANCE FUND

FC Pharmacy, presc135.21
Total Gen. Assistance Fund....\$135.21

INHERITANCE TAX FUND

Midwest Mobile Radio Service, serv2,992.85
Richardson Co. Historical Soc., funding10,000.00
Total Inher. Tax Fund\$12,992.85

JUVENILE SERVICES GRANT FUND

Laura Osborne, serv1,938.00
Total Juvenile Serv Grant Fund\$1,938.00

HIGHWAY ALLOCATION BOND REPAY FUND

BOK Financial Corp., bond pay33,508.75
Total Hwy. Alloc. Bond Repay Fund\$33,508.75

NATURAL DISASTER FUND

Road/Bridge Fund, trans...167,480.12
Total Natural Dis. Fund\$167,480.12

NOXIOUS WEED CONTROL FUND

Holiday Inn Express, serv249.00
NE Assoc of Weed Control, dues125.00
Joseph Wittwer, reimb255.38
Payroll Expense156.00
Total Nox. Weed Cont. Fund ..\$785.38

ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Standerford to adjourn the meeting at 11:48 a.m. Motion seconded by Davidson. Roll call vote: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickle-aye. Motion carried. The Board will meet again on Tuesday, Dec. 3, 2013 at 9 a.m. in the Commissioner's Meeting Room, Courthouse, Falls City. The agenda is kept current at the County Clerk's Office.

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

Village of Shubert

Village of Shubert
Regular Monthly Meeting
Nov. 4, 2013; Shubert Library

The Village Board of Shubert, NE, held the monthly board meeting on Nov. 4, 2013 in the Shubert Library. Chairman Shafer opened the regular meeting at 7:02 p.m. with the following Board members present: Peggy Oliver, Gina Steele and Nathan Handley was absent. Clerk was present to record the meeting. Shafer announced the Posting of the Open Meetings Law. Chairman asked for any additions or deletions to the agenda; hearing none, chairman then opened the regular meeting with no visitors present. There was a motion and second (Oliver/Shافر) to approve the balance and claims sheets. Roll call vote was all "Ayes," motion carried. There was a motion and second (Shafer/Oliver), to approve the Oct. 7 meeting minutes. Roll call vote was all "Ayes," motion carried. ZNEZ

Water/Sewer: Board reviewed Tracy's water and wastewater report. Winterizing has been done. The Delinquent Utility Report was reviewed. Wood/Brush Pile: None. General: Nuisances and Village Ordinances; the Board reviewed the Interlocal agreement for law enforcement services. There was a motion and second (Oliver/Shافر) to approve the contract as presented. Roll call vote was all "Ayes," motion carried. Board vacancy: Will be held over until someone interested in Board position comes forward. The Board updated emergency management information. Buildings/Park: Community Building: Painting Bids: Will be held off until spring. Park: Has been winterized. Tile building needs new roof. Motion and second (Oliver/Shافر) to have four stumps removed in the park. Roll call vote was all "Ayes," motion carried. Library: Library Board will be hosting Santa this year. Santa will be here on Dec. 7 at the Community Building from 1-2 p.m. Shubert 4Kids will also have a Rifle and Bicycle raffle. Streets: Street/Drainage tube repairs were discussed. Motion

and second (Oliver/Shافر) to accept bid from Mr. Howard. Roll call vote was all "Ayes," motion carried. Snow removal was discussed. Board is still accepting bids from anyone with their own equipment. Fire: The Volunteer Firemen will be holding their annual breakfast feed fundraiser on Nov. 24 from 7 a.m.-1 p.m. at the community building. Motion and Second (Oliver/Shافر) to change date for next Board Meeting. Roll call votes all "Ayes," motion carried.

With no further business: Motion and Second (Shafer/Oliver) to adjourn meeting at 8:37 p.m. Roll call all "Ayes," motion carried.

The next regular village board meeting will be Dec. 9, 2013, at 7 p.m. in the Shubert Library.
Jennifer Buchner, Village Clerk

CLAIMS

Tracy Milke, Oct. salary\$450.00
Tracy Milke, Oct. exp\$151.20
Aaron Davis, Oct. salary\$225.00
Aaron Davis, Oct. mileage\$45.00
State of NE Public Health Env. Lab\$725.00
FC Sanitation, trash #84\$1,005.10
SENTCO\$46.45
NPPDPending
Midwest Labs - sewer testPending
W/S/G transfer to USDA loan...\$906.00
Paul Platter, sludge hall\$110.00
Davis PHE - sewer break\$2,053.00
Jenn. Buchner, Oct. payroll...\$600.00
RCB&T, 941 tax dep. to IRS . \$195.08
FC Journal, publicationPending
Gary Wittwer, mowing\$175.00
TonerPending
Return of Bernacki dep.\$0.38
Dearborn Nat'l - Firemen's ins. premium\$34.40

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Applications are available on our website: Lanipet.com 48-49

The Richardson County Clerk will accept applications/resumes through Friday, Dec. 13, 2013, for a position within the County Clerk's Office. Application forms are available at the Office of the Richardson County Clerk and on the Richardson County web-site,

www.co.richardson.ne.us

Submit application/resumes to the Richardson County Clerk, Courthouse, Room 203, 1700 Stone Street, Falls City, NE 68355.

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THE RICHARDSON COUNTY VETERANS SERVICE COMMITTEE will accept resumes through Friday, December 13, 2013, for any interested persons wanting to be considered for the appointment as the Richardson County Veterans Service Officer.

Pursuant to Nebraska §80-410, interested candidates shall have served on active duty in the armed forces of the United States, other than active duty for training, shall have been discharged or otherwise separated with a characterization of honorable from the service and shall be a current resident of Richardson County and have been bona fide resident of the State of Nebraska continuously for at least five years.

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SOUTHEAST NEBRASKA COMMUNITY ACTION PARTNERSHIP (SENCA) HEAD START

is now accepting applications for a Head Start Services Coordinator at the Central Office in Humboldt. The position will oversee the health, transportation and nutrition components of the Head Start program. This position is full time, 40 hours a week with the possibility of reduced summer hours in June and July. Primary responsibilities include oversight of specific content area components for the Head Start program including assuring that services provided are consistent with Head Start Performance Standards, State, and Federal regulations. This position will utilize the program's data software to maintain accurate records and generate reports. Additional duties will include direct supervision of staff and training responsibilities. Minimum qualifications include: high school diploma or equivalent, ability to submit timely accurate reports, and proficient computer skills. The ideal candidate will possess a relevant college degree, related experience and be willing to obtain a CDL with costs paid by SENCA. The starting wage for this position is dependent on education. SENCA offers a competitive benefit package. Complete job description and applications are available online at www.senca.org, or for more information contact Brandi Holley at 402-862-2411 ext. 104. Position will remain open until filled. This position is 80% federally funded. EOE 49-50

POLICE CHIEF

Applications will be received by the City of Falls City, 2307 Barada Street, Falls City, NE 68355, phone (402) 245-2707; until 5:00 P.M., December 17, 2013, for the position of Police Chief for the Falls City Police Department. Competitive salary/benefit package.

Applicants shall have certification from law enforcement training center, five years administrative and supervisory experience in a police department and a resident of Falls City within 6 months.

Gary Jorn - City Clerk 49-50

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Work Wanted

WORK WANTED: Odd jobs; cleaning up brush, small tree removal, snow removal and misc. 402-245-1120. 46-50P

Nutrition Provider. Work in a job that changes the lives of little children. We have an opening for a Nutrition Provider in the NEK-CAP Nemaha County - Sabetha Head Start Center. Please go to www.nekcapp.org for job description and application. NEK-CAP, Inc. is an equal opportunity employer. 41-TF

HTRS Public School #70 currently has an opening for a Para Educator. We look to fill this position as soon as possible. Applications may be picked up in the Superintendent's Office during office hours. Mail applications to: Clinton Kimbrough, Superintendent, 810 Central Ave, Humboldt, NE 68376. Phone 402-862-2235. 49

FALLS CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

is taking applications for a **SPECIAL EDUCATION PARA-EDUCATOR** starting in January 6, 2014 at NORTH SCHOOL

Applications are available at the Central Office at the Middle School, 1415 Morton Street, Falls City, NE 68355 or go online to fctigers.org

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Livestock

Special Bred Cow-Cow Calf & Breeding Bull Sale. Thursday, Dec. 19th at 6:00 P.M. - 3 State Stockyards, 245-5004. 49-50

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Wanted

AMERICAN WALNUT. Buying standing walnut timber, 25 or more. Call 816-232-6781 in St. Joseph for details. 47-tf



The large and successful group that participated in the Jingle Bell Ride this Christmas season. Photo by Lori Gottula.

Seventh annual Jingle Bell Ride a great success

The seventh annual Jingle Bell Ride was a great success, with more than 90 families generously donating gifts for children in need in Richardson County.

Members of the Jingle Bell Ride Committee expressed their thanks to everyone who volunteered to make the event so successful. The following volunteers helped in numerous ways:

The City of Falls City; The Richardson County Commissioners; Time Warner Cable Senior Citizen Center; Falls City Journal; Armbruster Motor Co.; Hoy's Ideal Cleaners; Sidles Mr. Automotive; Sunny 101.3; KTNC 1230; Northridge Church; Dave Clark; Larry Troncin; Alli Lendermon; Kelsey Hayes; Bob and Cathy Davis and family; Jason and Annie Youde and fam-

ily; Chad and Heather Lendermon; Ron and Lisa Huddleston; Mike Harson and Pat Rieschick; Barb Brown; Denise Daake and family; Ed and Sherry Huddleston; Ashley Schramm; Cameron Schramm; Krystal Samqua; Zeb and Garrett Myers; Candace Chandler; Emma Killingsworth; Kathy Mumm; Ryan Schutte; Steve Titus; Jennifer Mumm and Jessica Sells; Lori Gottula; Larry and Bev Chesnut; Falls City Girl Scouts, Jerri Elwonger, Troop #20308, Cassandra Kuker, Troop #20450, Natalie Fouraker/Crystal Eickhoff, Troop #20566, Katie Titus, Troop #20436; Jake Coonce.

Emery and James Hersh; Ed and Sandy Hartman; Dwight Elliott; Robert Fischer; Bobby Campbell; Jeff and Jayme Coonce and family; Adam and Cassandra Lendermon; Christ Church of Falls City; Angel Ralph; Christina "Sissy" Georges; Kelsie Kean; Donnie and Bonnie Kean; Lauren Parrish; Kathy King; Ava Hickey; Jennabell Vasco; Ruth Gossett; Dave and Sandy Gantz with miniatures; Pam Martin; Penny Shafer; James Reigle; Shan-

non Chastain; Lee and Brenda French; Meagan Brockhoff; Lisa and Ella Heineman; Barb Goltz; Dr. Beth Herring-Hill; Tyler Mackey; Jim Wickham; Ele Last; Ashley Popejoy.

Apologies to anyone whose

name was overlooked. The committee expresses a huge thank you to everyone that donated gifts and to the community for its continued support. Without the community's generosity, this event would not be possible.

CSP sign up deadline Jan. 17

LINCOLN — Nebraska landowners and operators have until Jan. 17, 2014, to sign up for the Conservation Stewardship Program (CSP) at their local USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) office.

CSP is a voluntary program that provides financial and technical assistance to help farmers and ranchers conserve and enhance soil, water, air and related natural resources on their agricultural and forestry land.

CSP applications are accepted at any time. However, only applications received by the Jan. 17 cutoff date will be considered for the current ranking and funding period.

Craig Derickson, NRCS state conservationist in Nebraska, encourages Nebraska farmers and ranchers to not miss out on this opportunity. "The Conservation Stewardship Program is unique. CSP participants will receive an annual land use payment for the environmental benefits they produce on their operations. Under CSP, participants are paid for conservation performance — the higher the operational performance, the higher their payment," Derickson said.

According to Derickson, CSP has been a very successful program for Nebraska's farmers and ranchers. Over 2,000 CSP contracts occur in all 93 counties and cover 4.8 million acres in Nebraska.

"CSP is popular in Nebraska because farmers and ranchers don't have to take land out of production to participate. CSP helps conserve natural resources on working lands. Keeping land in production while protecting natural resources creates a win-win for all Nebraskans. CSP makes it possible to produce crops and livestock while also improving water quality, soil

health and wildlife habitat," Derickson said.

CSP is available statewide to individual landowners, legal entities and Indian tribes. Eligible land includes cropland, grassland, prairie, improved pastureland, non-industrial private forestland and agricultural land under the jurisdiction of an Indian tribe. Contracts are set at five years and include all the land controlled by an operator.

Live nativity scenes Sunday

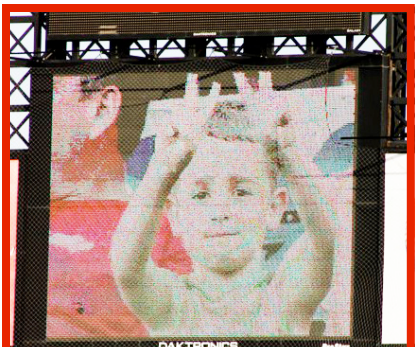
The community is invited to observe and be part of a live nativity at First United Methodist Church, 17th and Harlan, Falls City, at 2 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 15.

The Gospel of Luke will be read with interludes of Christmas carols and pastoral words. Costumed players and animals, including a donkey and sheep, will be part of the scene. Musical selections by the First Church choir and members of the Girl Scouts will be featured.

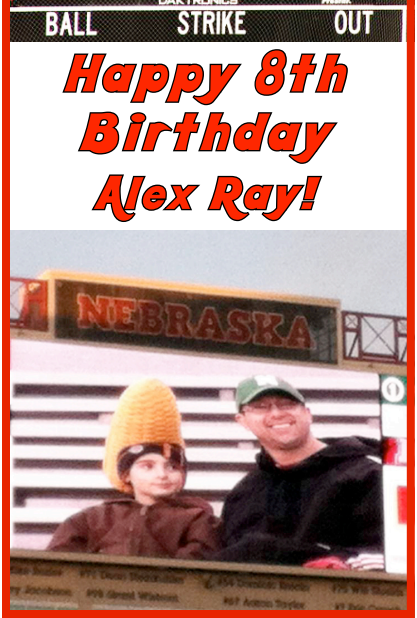
In case of inclement weather, the re-enactment will be moved indoors.

Later Sunday, there will be a live nativity scene at Northridge Church, 19th and Morton Street, from 5 to 8 p.m.

Cookies and cocoa will be served inside the church. All are welcome.



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FCMS 8th graders donate Chautauqua money to Team Jack

Falls City Middle School's eighth grade class collected \$814 during their 6th annual Chautauqua Night performances Nov. 12.

This year's topic was Hollywood Stars: Those who have earned their way onto the Hollywood Walk of Fame.

Since the first Chautauqua in 2008, the project has helped raise over \$4,100 for charitable causes ranging from our local community to around the world.

After over two weeks of researching, writing, and practicing by the eighth grade students, their effort was rewarded with a highly educational experience and the satisfaction of knowing they have helped raise money for a worthy cause. The eighth grade class voted to donate their earnings this year to the Team Jack Foundation, which helps fund research for pediatric brain cancer. The students decided on this foundation not only because of Jack Hoffman's story, but also because they have been inspired by his message of determination.

The FCMS eighth grade students would like to thank the community for their contribution and support.

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