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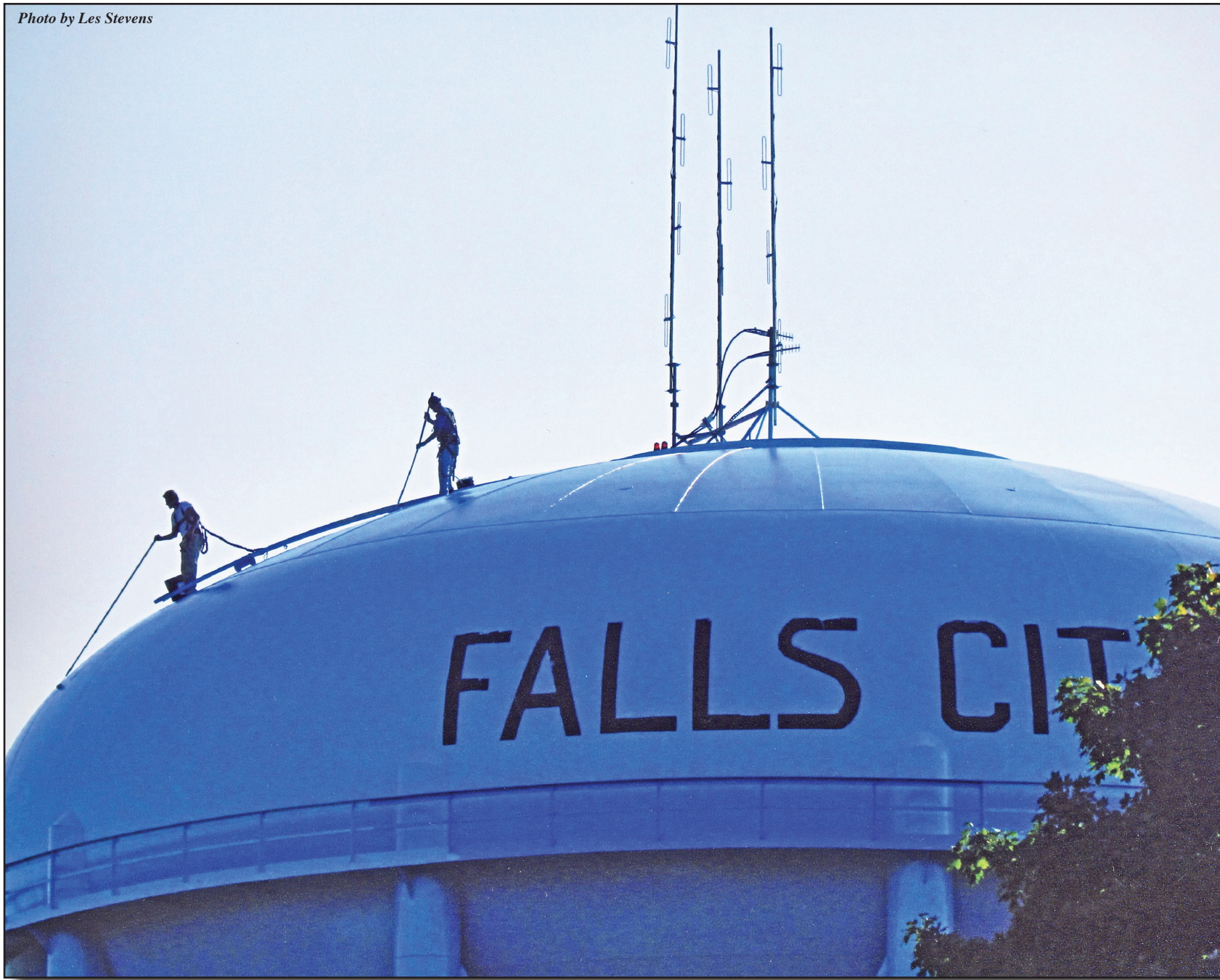
Think back. Could it be our beloved Cornhuskers are allergic to national TV?

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Falls City, Nebraska

Tuesday, Sept. 11, 2012

Photo by Les Stevens



Afraid of heights?

These workers with Utility Service Co., based out of Perry, GA, obviously were not, as they gave a fresh coat of paint to the Falls City water tower. It had been more than 20 years since the focal point of the town skyline had received aesthetic treatment.

City offers \$200,000 for vacant CMC office

After an executive session, the City Council moved to authorize an offer to the Community Medical Center's Board of Directors for the possible purchase of the former Family Medicine Clinic building 2307 Barada.

The council's authorization was for an offer of \$200,000 for the building that is located on the southeast side of the block that was the site of the old Community Medical Center. The building has been vacant and for sale following the move to the new hospital and clinic, and the demolition of the old hospital.

With expensive renovations needed (and difficult to achieve) at the present City Hall building, the idea is that the clinic build-

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Husker hero Matt Davison to crown Fair King, Queen

The coronation program, which always packs the Humboldt Square, at 7 p.m. Wednesday opens three days of the Richardson County Fair.

The king and queen, whose identities are secret until the coronation program, will be crowned by former Cornhusker football star Matt Davison, who did his growing up at Tecumseh and now, along with other pursuits, does the knowledgeable commentary for radio station KFAB during Big Red football games.

During the coronation program Humboldt's "Woman of the Year" will be revealed.

The fair's theme is "It's a Wunnerful, Wunnerful Fair."

A parade will be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 11 a.m. with high school bands marching and playing and numerous floats drawing "ohs" and "ahs."

Free acts are scheduled for 2 and 8 p.m. On Thursday, it will be Six Appeal, on Friday, Delisa Dawn, and on Saturday, Cowboy Up Band. Opening Thursday evening's program will be the Southeast Nebraska Community Band in concert at 6:30.

The livestock judging is Thursday, Friday and Saturday, beginning at 1 p.m.

Photography, flowers, textiles, crafts and ag products foods will fill the Ag Building.

D. C. Lynch Spectacular Shows will surround the Square, as will food stands.

Last week's Humboldt Standard's fair edition pays special tribute to Steve Stastny, his music and his family, know throughout SE Nebraska as "The Happy Czechs," will entertain at 6 p.m. prior to the Coronation Program.

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The Wartime Escape: Margret and H.A. Rey's Journey from France

Exhibit from 'Curious George' creators now open at Falls City Library

The Wartime Escape: Margret and H.A. Rey's Journey from France opened last week at the Stalder Gallery inside the Falls City Library and Arts Center.

More than three generations of Americans have grown up reading the stories of an irrepressible little brown monkey known in this country as "Curious George." But few people know about the incredible journey made by his creators, Margret and H.A. Rey, to escape the Nazi invasion of Paris at the start of World War II. Stashing a few precious belongings and manuscripts in their knapsacks and the baskets of their bicycles, the Jewish couple fled Paris in June 1940, starting a five month odyssey by bike, train, and boat that would eventually bring them to American shores.

Beginning in the years prior to the war, *The Wartime Escape* explores the Rey's early creative collaborations and traces how the story of George himself (originally titled *The Adventures of Fifi*) spanned the wartime period. The monkey emerged as a character in one of the Rey's pre-World War II stories, and the manuscript that became Curious George was already in progress by 1939. However, wartime constraints on printing as well as the general turmoil of the period

prevented the original contract from being fulfilled. When the Reys were forced to flee Paris along with thousands of other refugees in advance of the German occupation, the manuscript and illustrations for the book were among the few personal possessions that they managed to take with them. Escaping via Spain and Portugal, then across the Atlantic to Brazil, the Reys finally reached the United States in October 1940. A month later, they received a new contract

from Houghton Mifflin for *The Adventures of Fifi*, later re-titled *The Adventures of Curious George*.

The exhibition features 27 framed art prints by artist Allan Drummond and supplemental archival images from the holdings of the DeGrummond Collection of Children's Literature at the University of Southern Mississippi. The exhibition is based in part on the 2005 publication, *The Journey that Saved Curious George: The True Wartime Es-*



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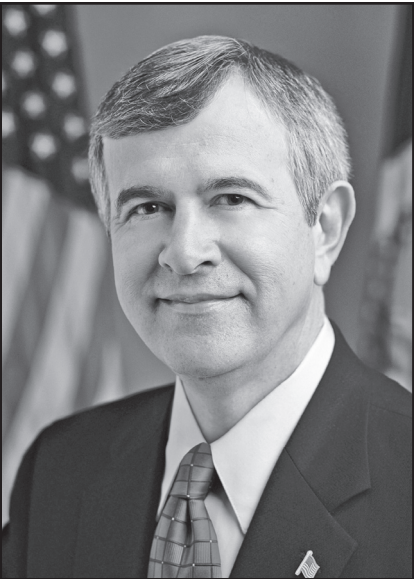
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Wrong perscription for rural Nebraska



My August travels throughout the state included meetings with doctors and hospital administrators who are bracing for major changes in the way they operate as a result of President Obama’s health care law. Unfortunately, the facts tell us rural Nebraska health care is likely to take a very hard hit from the law.

In our rural communities, access to health services is already limited. Every cut slices deeper and every regulation weighs heavier, hurting health care providers and the patients they

serve. That’s why the law’s cuts to Medicare reimbursement rates is of great concern in rural Nebraska.

A report by Medicare’s chief actuary states that because of cuts in the law, “Medicare and Medicaid payment rates for inpatient hospital services would both represent roughly 39 percent of the average level for private insurance.” That means a hospital treating someone on Medicare or Medicaid will be reimbursed less than half the amount they’ll receive when treating someone with private insurance. The report also predicts that under these rates, 40 percent of providers would become unprofitable in the years ahead. The alternative will be to limit or stop accepting Medicare and Medicaid patients.

The law also cuts Medicare Advantage by \$308 billion. This could prompt plan providers to move out of rural areas, limiting options for nearly 30,000 Nebraskans enrolled in this program, many of whom will not be able to keep their current coverage.

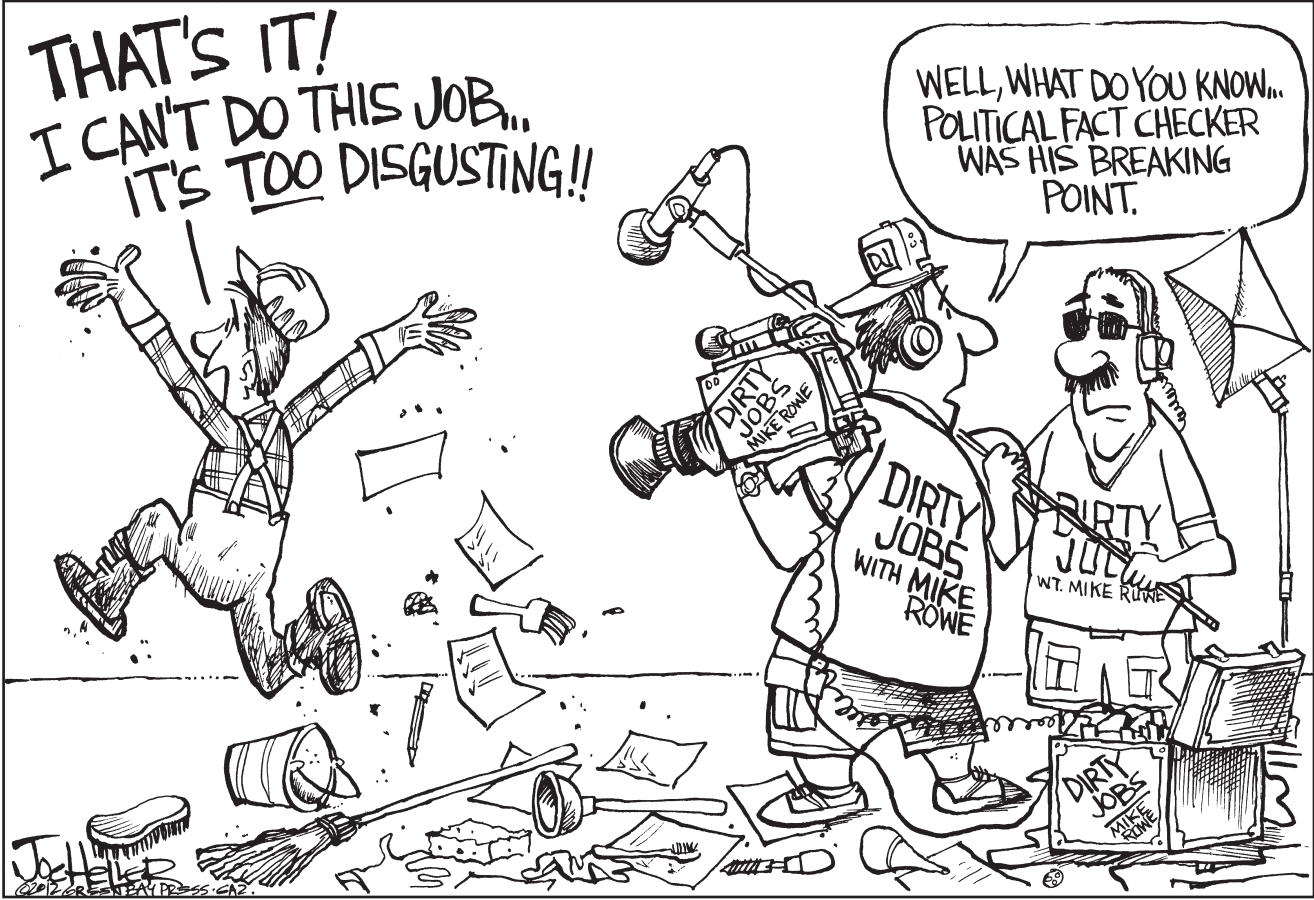
Medicare home health programs are facing \$66 billion in reductions—another setback for rural Nebraska, where serving patients in the comfort of their own home is a monumental task. Health care providers often travel many miles to treat patients, requiring added time and resources in transportation alone. As these services become less available, patients may have to seek care in nursing homes, which are already facing \$39 billion in cuts as a result of the law.

Overall, the Medicare cuts in the health care law total more than \$700 billion, which is spent on new entitlements. You simply cannot claim the law protects seniors’ benefits when it threatens the very care they rely upon.

While the law cuts funding for major health care programs, it brings in millions more new patients, asking doctors to do much more with much less. Rural areas are already facing doctor shortages. Twenty percent of the nation’s population lives in rural America, but only nine percent of physicians practice here. Our rural health care providers are already stretched thin. If you think you have trouble finding a doctor today, just wait until the law is in full effect.

Rural America is facing less funding and fewer doctors who must travel more miles to serve more patients. The math doesn’t add up to better outcomes for patients and providers. To top it off, families, farms, ranches and other small businesses that serve as the engine of job creation will face a sharp tax increase under the health care law. The nonpartisan Congressional Budget Office projects \$1 trillion in new taxes from 2013 to 2022. Employers who cannot afford their workers’ health premiums will face penalty taxes of up to \$2,000 per full-time employee.

These looming realities are causing great concern across the country – especially in rural communities. Clearly, President Obama’s health care law is not the right prescription for rural Nebraska.



A look at Nebraska from 30,000 feet

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

A new month has started. While unseasonable weather lingers, natural disasters, the cycle of life and a looming election continue to captivate our minds.

As I sit in an airplane 30,000 feet above Nebraska in a mad dash for some brief time off, I contemplate what is happening below.

Streams of cars flow from Omaha to Lincoln for an opening football game, driving on a nearly completed six-lane Interstate highway that has been under construction for a long time. Likewise, cars flow to and from the Nebraska State Fair and its fairly new location in Grand Island. The only slow spots on Interstate 80 west being in the Aurora area.

While the relentless hot wind and temperatures continue to dash the hopes of farmers, another natural disaster – lightning strike fires – burn thousands of acres in Keith and Box Butte and Dawes and surrounding counties of northwest Nebraska. These are new fires, adding to the blackening of the prairie that started with the July 20-29 wildfires that burned more than 75,000 acres in Boyd, Brown, Cherry and Keya Paha counties. Governor Dave Heineman, and U.S. Senators Mike Johanns and Ben Nelson have signed on in seeking federal relief to meet the estimated \$5 million in costs and damages associated with the earlier fires.

With fewer than 60 days remaining until the election in which Nebraskans pick a new United States Senator to replace the retiring Nelson and vote for more than half of the 49 members of the state Legislature, there appears to be plenty on people’s minds. The lingering question of more debates in the Deb Fischer and Bob Kerrey race for Nelson’s seat fuels almost daily speculation. Pundits continue to ponder whether Kerrey’s 10-plus years away from the state – he lived in New York City after all, as if a stint in Iowa or Kansas would have been more palatable – will hurt him.

Husker football, the State

Fair, drought, wildfires and elections aside – the cycle of life captures my attention:

-- A new Grandma in Lincoln apologizes to her Facebook friends for misinforming them of the name of her new grandson;

-- A young couple in Fremont captures every day in the life of their young son, born with underdeveloped lungs, who is on home hospice;

-- Newlyweds finish unpacking and putting away wedding gifts;

-- A friend in hospice awaits the Lord’s final calling as her husband and children make arrangements for the life that goes on;

--A friend in a hospital in Kearney recovers from surgery to repair calcified arteries.

And there, spread out below this gleaming silver bird, it is.

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STATEPOINT CROSSWORD
THEME: Cartoon Families

- ACROSS
1. Fastener
6. Herney, e.g.
9. Thunderous character
13. One who avoids company
14. ___ Kilmer
15. Southern chicken stew
16. Grossly unconventional
17. One of Bo Peep’s flock?
18. Daytime host
19. *Peter or Lois or one of their children
21. Onion-like bulb
23. Blue feeling
24. Better ___ Ezra, band
25. DNA transmitter
28. Alternative for Liz?
30. *Todd or Tina or Timmy
35. Right side of U.S.
37. Seed cover
39. Like yellow polka dot bikini
40. Musical finale
41. Linear particle accelerator, for short
43. Castle material
44. Wrong
46. *Heckle and Jeckle, e.g.
47. Test answer
48. **"Rugrats" character
50. As opposed to a wood
52. Knightly title
53. Affirm solemnly
55. Former Soviet Socialist Republics
57. *Flintstones’ neighbors
61. *Surname of family in longest-running American sitcom
65. It can melt
66. Pine juice
68. Lowest part of a ship
69. Rooster to a farmer
70. In the past
71. Another spelling for Layla
72. Low-cal
73. Hitherto
74. *Papa Smurf, e.g.
- DOWN
1. Dutchman’s wooden gear
2. Frown
3. Opposed to
4. Feudal lord’s property, pl.
5. Modular dwelling
6. Two, e.g.
7. "___ & Order"
8. "Pound of ___"
9. Sound of a bell
10. *Hank or Peggy or Bobby
11. Butter substitute
12. Smallest, as in litter
15. Jimmy Carter product
20. Vitruvian Man, e.g.
22. Mad Hatter’s accessory
24. "Into ___"
25. Summary
26. Actress Watts
27. Echo sounder
29. Stumble
31. Catch one’s breath
32. Approaches
33. Boredom
34. *"Red ___"
36. Homework to a student
38. Batman’s cave, e.g.
42. Crocus, pl.
45. Downhill race
49. The day before
51. Jack is this and quick?
54. Test format
56. Pitch
57. Iranian money
58. Tangerine-grapefruit hybrid
59. Cry plaintively
60. A dull person
61. See him run?
62. Skidded
63. Stare amorously
64. Not far
67. *"The Jetsons" were a Space ___ counterpart to "The Flintstones"

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Sez I

Valuation soars; levy decreases

Sees red flag

Fellow citizens of Richardson County, I had the opportunity to attend the Falls City “City Council” meeting held on 08-20-2012. I was anxious to learn more about an effort of a local economic development group, EDGE, to bring a new business, Consolidated Grain & Barge (CGB) to Falls City.

I soon learned, from the impressive size of the audience, that many others were also interested in this new venture. It was apparent from the outset that many of the local citizens had reservations regarding the “fit” of this type of business in our community/county. A few spoke in favor of the venture, and several against.

First of all, I wish to let it be known that I am a member “investor” in the EDGE group. I believe that an Economic Development group/organization is a very healthy approach, IF, it is supported by the citizens and operated in an open, educated, and logical manner.

I was rather amazed that I had not heard anything about the CGB venture until I read the article in the *Falls City Journal*. Not to my credit, I had not thoroughly considered the economic effects, pros or cons, until a concerned citizen approached me and shared her concerns of the potential downside and the possible negative economic impact this type of business could have not only locally, but just as importantly, regionally, and nationally.

To make a long story short, the organizational ownership of CGB (by their own literature) is a privately owned venture by four Japanese companies. The company literature states that its interest in Falls City is grain purchasing, marketing, and transporting, however, the company website says they also are involved in Banking activities (such as real estate loans, operating loans, etc.), Crop Insurance, Fertilizer, and other areas of business.

Now, I realize that many nations are pushing for a global economy. I also see that as a RED FLAG for good old USA patriotic values and the Independence that we have “so hard and dearly” fought (many times with blood) to preserve. In other words, does it really make sense to foster a foreign company in controlling the purchase, movement, and EXPORT of our most precious natural resources (raw food commodities)? Wouldn't you feel more secure with American owned businesses deciding how much of the resources are needed on the home front before we export to other countries rather than having it bypass our ability to decide what is in our own National best interest?

The goal of CGB (and other Japanese Grain exporters which make up 1/3 of all grain business in the U.S. already) is to control the export of grain to the Asian

market (including China). That is a great kettle of fish! We grow it, they buy it locally, and then they sell globally. Where does that leave our domestic users? Just exactly, may I ask, what is wrong with this picture? If you still don't get it, go to a gas pump where we purchase another commodity, which is largely controlled by foreign interests. We are the tail being “wagged by the dog”!

Through ventures like CGB, we are setting ourselves up for future DEPENDENCE, rather than, INDEPENDENCE! On top of all that, we are going to give FOREIGN interests OUR tax money and pay them to make us DEPENDENT!! Good call, huh?

In closing, I want to commend the City Council members and the EDGE group and staff for their continuing efforts to improve our economic climate in our community and county, but, as I briefly stated at the meeting Monday night, I think that this kind of venture should require a tremendously cautious approach with extensive research by people “in the business” of evaluating the pros and cons of Economic Development (such as the UNL Marketing or Economic departments or other qualified entities). These professionals should have the education, expertise, and models to give us a clear picture of jobs “gained/lost”, tax “benefits/downfalls”, and overall the “plus or minus” of the monetary and social impacts. This approach would ensure that the process would be unbiased and we could avoid the undue speculation and hard feelings that are prevailing. Part of this process would naturally involve meetings for public input so that all aspects of the pros and cons could be considered.

Finally, I urge our elected leaders to use sound judgment and reason before possibly “selling us out” to foreign interests. Also, please don't forget that a venture such as this is greater than just the “City”! It also needs to be noted that the rural residents who would be most greatly affected by this venture are the CUSTOMERS of our businesses and services and basically keep this community viable, and, I hope to keep it that way!

Ted Godemann

A sad development

On Aug. 12, 2012, the Shubert Alumni met at the auditorium in Falls City, with 90+ alumni, spouses and guests attending. Thanks to the kindness and generosity of a wedding reception in the auditorium the previous evening, it was beautifully decorated and felt like you were entering a magic garden.

The meal was excellent and great fellowship with classmates and friends was enjoyed by all.

BUT, at the clean-up time, it

A public hearing on the Richardson County fiscal year 2012-13 budget is scheduled for 11:15 a.m. Tuesday, Sept. 18, with action expected to be taken following the hearing.

County Clerk Mary Eickhoff provided the numbers that were reviewed when Commissioners Dave Sickel, Bill Ely and Jim Davidson met in regular session Sept. 4.

The county's valuation increase for 2012 is estimated at \$85,287,668, or 9.3 percent, from \$914,271,446 in 2011 to \$999,559,114 in 2012. The estimated/requested tax requirement is \$3,895,126.77 for 2012, a 1.2 percent (\$48,706.43) decrease from the actual requirement in 2011.

Other decreases are estimated/requested in the budget of expenditures and the tax levy for 2012. Expenditures are estimated to decline by \$422,173.38, or 3.5 percent, from \$11,906,054.58 in 2011 to \$11,483,881.20 in 2012. The tax levy is estimated to decrease from .431363 in 2011 to .389684 in 2012, a whopping 9.65 percent decrease.

As an example, Mrs. Eickhoff used a \$100,000 valuation. The taxes on that property would be \$41.68 less (from \$431.36 in 2011 to \$389.68 in 2012).

The county's valuation has dramatically increased in the past 10-plus years. In 2002, for example, the valuation was close to \$474 million. That's less than half of the 2012 valuation. At the same time, tax levies have remained fairly constant, increasing slightly in some years and decreasing in others. The 2002 levy was .35216; for 2012, .389684.

After an executive session during which the board met individually with bridge foreman Roger Lee, road foreman Doug Workman, shop foreman Pat Kelly and administrative assistant Julie Vollmer, the commissioners unanimously approved pay increases of 2.5 percent for each of the four positions, effective July 1, 2012.

Sheriff Randy Houser met with the board to discuss several topics, including the planned purchase of a patrol unit from Gene Steffy Chrysler, Jeep, Dodge, Ram, Fremont. Steffy has a state bid price on patrol units. The board voted to rescind a motion from April 17, 2012, to authorize the purchase. Instead, they voted to authorize the advertisement to accept sealed bids for the purchase of a patrol truck unit. The bids are to be received by Tuesday, Sept. 18, at 11 a.m., when they will be publicly opened and reviewed.

Proposed salary increases within the sheriff's and jail departments were reviewed. Sheriff Houser provided salary information he had obtained for departments in similar-sized counties in Nebraska.

A motion to approve a 2.75 percent wage increase for all Sheriff's Department employ-

ees died for the lack of a second, as did a motion to set the hourly wage for jailers and dispatchers at \$13.75 an hour. The following wages were approved in separate motions: \$13 per hour for jailers and dispatchers; increase of 2.75 percent for Sheriff's deputies; \$13.42 per hour for the clerical position in the Sheriff's Department. All wages are effective as of July 1, 2012.

A second executive session, this with County Attorney Bob Meyer, was held to discuss potential litigation. After the session, it was noted that a counteroffer of \$700,000 to settle a claim for damages done to a bridge northwest of Humboldt has been made to the insurance company, with the stipulation that the counteroffer will remain open for two weeks from Aug. 31, 2012.

In their weekly meeting with Highway Supt. Scott Huppert, it was noted that the Preston Road North and South project would be let out for bids by the State of

Nebraska Department of Roads. The bids are to be received by Tuesday, Oct. 2, 2012.

The board moved to enter into a contract with Mainelli Wagner & Associates, Inc., for a bridge replacement project. This is a cost-share project with the City of Humboldt. A resolution was adopted for the relaxation of standards to the Board of Classifications and Standards for the Stella SE bridge project, as well as for the Verdon NW bridge project.

The board also reviewed resumes from people wishing to be considered for the appointment to fulfill the vacancy for the unexpired term of office as Richardson County Treasurer. Six resumes were received. Interviews were scheduled during today's meeting to select finalists and the interview process will continue with the finalists at a special Thursday, Sept. 13, meeting that is to begin at 9 a.m.

City Council meets Monday

Mayor Tim Hersh and the City Council will meet in regular session at 7 p.m. Monday, Sept. 17, in Council Chambers. Their tentative agenda:

Routine Business; Consent Agenda; Old Business: final reading, Ordinance 2012-105, Alcoholic Beverages, hours of sale.

Regular Agenda: Discussion and Action, Towle Addition as recommended by Planning Commission; discussion and action, CGB Addition as recommended by Planning Commission; public hearing, CGB Addition zoning change from Agriculture to Industrial as recommended by Planning Commission; discussion and action, CGB Addition zoning change from Agriculture to Industrial as recommended by Planning Commission; public hearing, setting property tax levy, 2012-13 City of Falls City Budget; discussion, introduce Eric Barr, Chamber/Main Street Executive Director, Tony Brunette from Main Street and Billie Jackson from Chamber; discussion and action, Main Street Falls City quarterly report for 1st and 2nd quarters 2012, Tony Brunette; discussion and action, request to purchase 2013 digger derrick truck as recommended by the Board of Public

Works, \$178,666; discussion and action, request to purchase a 2013 one ton truck as recommended by the Board of Public Works, \$35,763.

Gallery exhibit

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cape of Margret and H.A. Rey, written by Louise Borden and illustrated by Allan Drummond (Houghton Mifflin Company, New York). The exhibition is organized and curated by Beth Seldin Dotan, Director of the Institute for Holocaust Education in Omaha.

The exhibition is toured by ExhibitsUSA, a national program of Mid-America Arts Alliance. ExhibitsUSA sends more than 20 exhibitions on tour to more than 100 small- and mid-sized communities every year. Mid-America is the oldest nonprofit regional arts organization in the United States. More information is available at www.maaa.org and www.eusa.org



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Farmland Auction
Date: Wednesday, September 19, 2012
Time: 10:30 a.m.
Location: The Klub in Mound City, MO

was discovered that an antique football helmet that decorated one of the tables was missing. It is worth quite a lot as it had come from the beginning of the Shubert High School and had been in the Shubert Library and Museum from its start.

It's sad when something like this has to happen to ruin such a memorable day. If anyone noticed anything that maybe they didn't think about at the time, please contact one of the Shubert Alumni Committee members. Thank you.

Connie Hillyard Shafer, Class of 1952, and a long-time member of the Shubert Library and Museum Board



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2012 Richardson County 4-H Junior Fair

Very Valuable Booster Award
4-H and FFA rely upon the support of the business community as a whole. The 4-H boosters, livestock auction supporters and silent static auction supporters play a great part in this.

Each year the Richardson County 4-H Council selects a Very Valuable Booster. This year's very valuable booster has provided outstanding support to the 4-H program through many avenues. This year's very valuable booster is **Stalder Cattle, Co., Salem.**

The 2012 Very Valuable Booster has roots in Switzerland. The family emigrated in the 1800s, settling on land in the Honey Creek area near Sabetha, KS, Salem, and Dawson. This booster raises corn, soybeans, and hay, and operates a commercial feedlot. The late Ralph Stalder formed Stalder Cattle Company in the 1950s. Ralph Stalder was a tireless community worker who served on the Honey Creek school board and the Zion Church board, and worked in many other organizations. He served on the Richardson County Fair Advisory Board from 1947 to 1972, bringing back memories for Jim Standerford. Jim recalled an advisory board meeting at the Zion Church, followed a meeting for the men and "entertainment" for the ladies at Ralph and Erva Stalder's home. Ralph's school board years were many and included every year Merle Stalder was in school.

Stalder Cattle Company is now owned by Merle Stalder, Falls City, and his sister Mellicent Adams, Dunn, North Carolina. The Stalder family has been very generous to the Richardson County community. The Stalder gallery, which is part of the Falls City Library and Arts Center, was a gift from Merle Stalder and his late wife, Marcia. The Stalder Foundation has funded several scholarships, including two specifically for Richardson County students interested in the arts. Stalder Cattle has supported many youth with purchases at the 4H Support Auctions over the years.

Lonnie Goff has been the manager of Stalder Cattle since 1982. He oversees a crew of nine full-time and many part-time employees, including cowboys, a diesel mechanic, feeders, office staff, and crop specialists. He and his wife, Kim, raised four sons who all participated in 4H. Lonnie Goff was a long-time leader of the Richardson County Hot Shots and shooting sports



Graduating seniors who were 4-H and FFA members were honored at the closing of the Richardson County 4-H/FFA Junior Fair Awards Night on Sunday, July 29, at the Ag Building in Humboldt. To be eligible to receive a senior glass etching they must have exhibited at the Junior Fair for a minimum of four years and exhibited during this year's Junior Fair. 2012 seniors receiving a glass etching were, from left: T.J. Standerford, Chris Yoesel, Shelby Duerfeldt, Britney Huppert, Levi Lehmkuhl, Kelly Schawang, Levi Heineman and Stephen Thiltges. Not pictured: Justin Dutcher.

instructor. Stalder Cattle and Lonnie Goff provided assistance and part-time employment to many members of local 4H Clubs.

A plaque was awarded recognizing the tremendous support to 4-H and FFA, at the closing to the Richardson County 4-H/FFA Junior Fair Awards Program on Sunday, July 29, at the Ag Building in Humboldt.

2012 4-H Volunteer of the Year

This year's volunteer of the year is someone who truly believes in the 4-H motto "to make the best better." She grew up on a farm and her love for animals was present early. After being a 4-H member herself right here in Richardson County, she settled down and urged her own children to participate in 4-H. As an ongoing 4-H leader for 14 years, she seeks out new members to join her 4-H family.

This volunteer has shared her animals over the years with the schools, senior care centers, shared her knowledge at 4-H extension events. She has helped out at sheep/goat tagging days and offered a helping hand at rabbit tattooing. She even helped teach quality assurance when we were without an extension educator. As a 4-H leader she teaches her members to be more informed about their animals and how to improve their quality of life.

This hard working individual extends herself and helps at the Richardson County Fair. And if you missed it this year, be sure

and catch next year's sheep costume and goat agility competition, which she has organized for our kids.

This Year's 2012 Volunteer of the Year is **Jackie Way, of Rulo.**

Congratulations and thank you for being an outstanding volunteer and role model for our youth.

Special Recognition for 2012 Richardson County 4-H Clover Kids

The Richardson County 4-H Program offers 5 to 7 year olds the opportunity to become familiar with 4-H by doing projects such as clothing, food & nutrition, home environment, crafts, safety, posters, and projects made at summer camps or workshops.

Clover Kids is non-competitive with the emphasis on the experience rather than on the competition. Focus is on self-esteem and building good character.

For exhibiting at the Richardson County Junior Fair each of the Clover Kids receive a certificate and Presidential dollar at the Awards program held at the conclusion of the Richardson County 4-H/FFA Junior Fair on July 29. This year's Clover Kids that participated were:

Kacy Brewer, Justin Brewer, Lexi Brewer, Cayden Dunkhas, Kyle Eickhoff, Olivia Eickhoff, Cayleigh Eickhoff, Dayton Eppens, Adisen Fischer, Kemper Foster, Abby Fritz, Larmie Glathar, Chloe Knobbe, Hannah Koziol, Alexander Koziol, Danyelle Kuker, Vaughn Lenard, Carson Sells, Joseph Snethen, Remington Snoke, Aida Standerford, Sadie Tisdell, Jodie Uhri and Jessica Wertenberger.

2011 Heart of 4-H Award

This year's Heart of 4-H Award goes to an organization who truly knows what it means to help the community. **The Falls City Senior Citizen Center** has been a vital roll for the UNL Extension Office for many years. They provide a facility for any type of program or workshop for 4-H and Extension to use. With no questions asked the Extension Office is able to provide the community with educational/ fun activities.

This year's Heart of 4-H Awards goes to Falls City Senior Citizen Center.

2011 Outstanding 4-H Member
Chris Yoesel is the son of Steve & Vicky Yoesel of rural Falls City. Chris has been an active 4-H member starting in 2000 as a Clover Kid for 3 years and a member of the Town & Country 4-H Club for 10 years. He has been a club officer for 6 years holding offices as Treasurer, Parliamentarian, Vice President and Secretary. Chris is active in the Richardson County 4-H Teen Leaders and currently is the group's President. In 2008-2010 Chris was a member of 4-H Council as a youth representative. In 2011, Chris attended the 4-H Citizenship Washington Focus with 40 teens from southeast Nebraska.

Chris has carried a variety of 4-H projects ranging from beef, dairy cattle, dog, market goats, home environment, photography, sewing, foods, gardening, crops, woodworking, welding & heritage. Chris has participated in the county and regional public speaking, music, presentation contests, life challenge, favorite foods review, livestock judging, & county and state herdsmanship. He attended Clover Kid Camp in 2002 and 4-H Camp "Discover 4-H Discover You" in 2005. Chris also has been involved in many 4-H club community service activities including highway trash clean-up, Operation Shoebox, Meals on Wheels, collecting food for the food pantry, music programs at the nursing homes, constructing lap blankets for nursing home residents and blanket wraps for the hospital. A highlight in his 4-H career has been exhibiting beef cattle at spring shows, Jr. Fair, County Fair, NE State Fair & AK-SAR-BEN. Chris has earned 4-H awards: 110% Award, Above & Beyond, and 4-H Diamond Clover Levels 1-5 and numerous proj-

ect and showmanship awards. In high school, Chris was active in FFA, Football, Chorus, Applederas Show Choir, Spanish Club along with being on Honor Roll and Student of the Month. His leadership activities included Falls City FFA Reporter 2010-2011, & Falls City FFA President 2011-2012.

In March 2012, Chris received the State FFA Degree. Chris has been a member of Cub Scouts & Boy Scouts for 9 years, earning the highest honor of Eagle Scout in 2011. Chris will be attending college this fall at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln where he will be majoring in Agricultural Business & Broadcasting.

2011 Outstanding 4-H Alumni

The person being honored tonight was born on a farm, the youngest of 3 sons. He grew up trying to do whatever his older siblings could do, which proved to be sorta accident-prone events. He knew doctors and Emergency Room nurses in most of the area hospitals, on a first-name basis, even before he was old enough for school. He joined 4-H as soon as he was 8 years old, carrying all types of projects- woods, electricity, dairy, beef, swine, even foods and sewing.

Food demonstrations soon became one of his fun activities, using pork products and specializing in unique titles and ideas. He was a purple ribbon winner several years at the State Fair with his best idea for a topic being, "Everything But the Squeal." After reciting the uses for all parts of a hog, the ending brought much laughter as he closed with --- "I even found a way to use the pig's squeal," and he turned on a boom box with little pigs squealing loudly. His 3 older sisters had to take a back seat to his talent in presenting food demonstrations.

This young man showed livestock at the County Fair as soon as he could lead a calf or usher around a pig.



Stalder Cattle Co. Manager Lonnie Goff accepts the 4-H Very Valuable Booster Award at the 2012 4-H Junior Fair in July.

He had the honor of being chosen as 4-H KING when this contest was held in our county, and has numerous ribbons, medals and plaques to honor his achievements.

He has been married to Kim for 28 years with 6 children and 1 grandchild. He has served on committees with the County Fair for 27 years; is a member of the HTRS School Board, has been a 4-H leader for numerous years, encouraging his nieces to be members of his club, 5 of his 6 children have been or are members, adding a granddaughter to the list, showing mostly DAIRY from the family milking herd.

Congratulation to **Joe Standerford** as being named the 2011 Outstanding 4-H Alumni.



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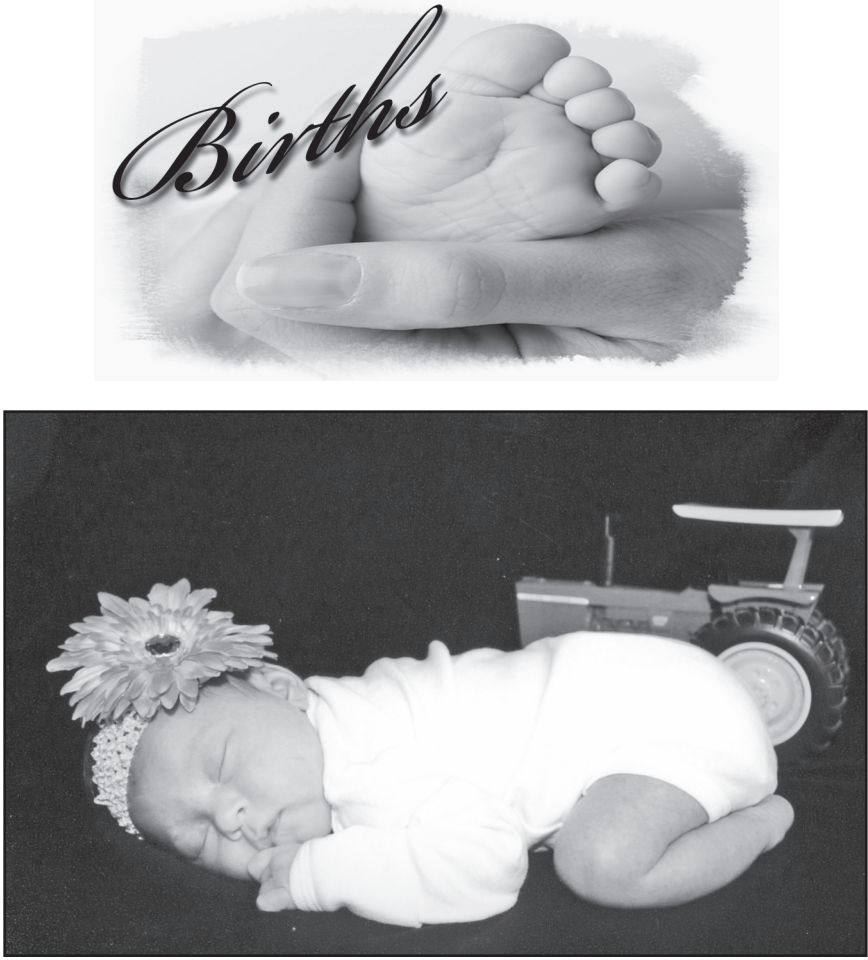


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JAMES — Coltan James and Allie Ramer would like to announce the birth of their daughter, Sawyer Ella James, born Aug. 10, 2012. She weighed 8 pounds, 4 ounces and was 20 1/2 inches long. Her grandparents are Brad and Sue James, of Stella, Ron and Lisa Ramer, of Shubert, and Garth and Carla Shafer, of Burlington, KS. Her great-grandparents are Dean and Marian James, of Stella, Thelma Kirkendall, of Falls City, Janet Ramer, of Shubert, and Gary and Janice Ramer, of Hiawatha, KS.

Society

St. Peter’s ELCA

Six members of St. Peter’s ELCA and pastor John Sipf met at the church at 1:30 p.m. The meeting opened with a hymn, “Blessed Assurance,” with Norma Lee Duerfeldt at the piano. The Lesson #12, “A Heart Overflowing with Mother-

ly Affection,” from the book, “A Woman After God’s Own Heart,” by Elizabeth George, was opened by Roxann Stitzer. The lesson closed with the Missionary Benediction and Lord’s Prayer. President Roxann Stitzer opened the business meeting with Lois Cameron calling roll and reading the minutes from July, which were approved as read. The treasurer’s report was given by Becky Runyan and flower fund balance by Gertie Runyan. In old business, it was reported that the ice cream social was a great success.

In new business, the food pantries are desperately in need of food. Autumn Renewal is in Omaha on Sept. 15 at Lord of Love Lutheran Church. The Altar Committee for September is Verna Mae White and Virginia Jones. The next meeting will be Oct. 2, with Gertie Runyan as hostess and Becky Runyan as lesson leader. Refreshments were served by Becky Runyan at the close of the afternoon.

St. Paul’s LWML
The St. Paul’s Lutheran Church LWML met Wednesday, Sept. 5, in the church social room. Janice Boden began the meeting with the League Pledge then gave the topic with “The Most Powerful Three Words” from The Lutheran Digest. She finished with “Angels Described by Kids,” also from The Lutheran Digest.
Janice Boden then opened the meeting with roll call. Eight members, Pastor Gifford and Leona Damman answered. The secretary’s and treasurer’s reports were read. Thank-yous were read from Grace Bible Fellowship and Gary Thies. Gary said his birthday gift was passed on to direct support of the missionary family, the Rev. Dr. Christopher and Elizabeth Ahlman and their son in Leipzig Germany.
The Human Care Committee reported on quilts packed, school supplies needed and health kits that were ready for LWR. The group studied the 2012-2014 Grant Ballot for the LWML convention and voted for their top 10 favorites and Janice Boden will take this list with her to the convention. Nominated for secretary was Kathy Niedfeldt and for treasurer Judy Fritz and the vote will be next month. LWML Sunday will be Oct. 7 with Dorcas Circle in charge. The annual auction will be held the second Sunday in November. The group voted to give \$100 to the Falls City Food Pantry as its mission project of the month. The birthday song was sung for Janice Boden and Jan Huebner. Pastor Gifford closed the meeting with prayer.
Judy Fritz and Dorothy Vollmer served a Butterfinger dessert.

Ladies Auxiliary
The Ladies Auxiliary of Veterans of Foreign Wars Post #1765 met Sept. 3 at 6 p.m. at the Legion Club with a potluck of Italian foods.
President Vickie Zeigler called the meeting to order with the Pledge of Allegiance and the singing of the National Anthem. Dee Vice gave the opening prayer in the absence of chaplain Sharon Sells and the ritual was read by Dee Vice in the absence of Kim Oliver. Secretary Marilyn Capps read the minutes of the last meeting and treasurer Charlotte Gentry gave the treasurer’s report, noting a membership of 106 continuous members and 18 life members. All dues of \$20 should be mailed to the treasurer. The reports of committees were given. Marilyn Capps reported 15 veterans hours, 505 community service hours and donations of \$105 with 22 miles driven. President Zeigler thanked those who helped with the float even though a much needed rain canceled the Cobblestone parade. She also told members to count each political phone call received. District president Sharon Thorne had to cancel her visit but will reschedule for the October meeting. Each member is to save change in the coming months as the Auxiliary will have a program of Sock It to Cancer and change will be collected in a sock for that program. Plans were made to attend Falls City Day at the Richardson County Fair on Sept. 14. Members will meet at the parking lot across from the church as usual. Members will wear full uniforms if the weather permits.
The meeting was closed with prayer to reconvene Oct. 1 at 6 p.m. at the Legion Club with a soup supper hosted by Kim Oliver, Gail Froeschl and Sherry Maddox. Members are to come in costume or pay a fine. It was suggested to have any member who doesn’t attend meetings to become the hostess for the following meeting.

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2010	TAURUS SHO	w/3.5 Supercharged, aod, LOADED, Sunroof, 23k one owner miles
2009	TAURUS LIMITED	w/3.5 eng, aod, Moonroof, full power, 82k miles, Nice local trade
2008	TAURUS X	w/3.5 eng, aod, SEL trim, rear AC/heat, Moonroof, 64k miles
2008	TAURUS LIMITED	w/3.5 eng, aod, full power, 130k miles, Well main ained car
2005	GRAND MARQ	w/4.2 eng, aod, LS trim, full pwr, 77k miles, good older car
2003	MERCURY GRAND MARQ	w/4.6 eng, aod, full pwr, 122k miles

USED VANS

2007	CHEV UPLANDER	w/V6 eng, aod, LS trim, good miles, Very clean
2001	CHEV VENTURE	w/3.4 eng, aod, rear AC/heat, full power, high miles, local trade

4WD TRUCKS

2011	F150 CREWCAB	w/5.4 eng, aod, Lariat, 21k miles, VERY NICE TRUCK
2011	F250 CREWCAB	w/6.7 diesel, aod, Lariat, full pwr, drop n lock, 127k miles
2010	F250 SUPERCAB	w/6.4 diesel, aod, Lariat, FX4 pkg, 3.55 LS, LOTS OF EXTRAS
2009	F150 CREWCAB	w/5.4 eng, aod, Lariat, full pwr, 75k miles, Nice full size truck
2009	F150 CREWCAB	w/5.4 eng, aod, Lariat, LOADED, moonroof, Navig, 43k, VERY CLEAN
2009	F150 CREWCAB	w/5.4 eng, aod, Lariat, full pwr, 71k miles, Very clean truck
2009	C1500	w/V6 eng, aod, WT trim, 66k miles, economical work truck
2009	F150 SUPERCAB	w/5.4 eng, aod, Lariat, full power, Lots of extras, 76k miles
2008	F150 CREWCAB	w/5.4 eng, aod, XLT, full pwr, Very nice 51,000 miles
2008	F150 CREWCAB	w/5.4 eng, aod, Lariat, full pwr, 58k miles, One owner truck
2008	F250 SUPERCAB	w/V10 eng, aod, Lariat, full pwr, LIKE NEW 18,000 MILES
2008	F250 CREWCAB	w/6.4 diesel eng, aod, Lariat, Moonroof, Line X, full pwr, 82k miles
2008	F250 CREWCAB	w/6.4 diesel, aod, Lariat, full power, 91k miles, Great used truck
2008	F150 CREWCAB	w/5.4 eng, aod, Lariat, full power, keyless entry, 90K miles
2008	F350 CREWCAB	LONGBED w/V10 eng, aod, Lariat, LOADED, 108,000 miles
2008	F250 CREWCAB	LONGBED w/5.4 eng, aod, XLT, full pwr, clean HD truck
2008	C2500 CREWCAB	w/6.6 diesel, aod, LT trim, full pwr, LineX, 154k miles
2008	CHEV 1500	w/V6 eng, aod, WT trim, full pwr, 3.73 LS axle, 72k miles, Clean truck
2007	F250 SUPERCAB	w/6.0 diesel, aod, Lariat, Longbed, full pwr, 113,000 miles, Nice HD
2006	F250 CREWCAB	w/6.0 diesel, aod, Lariat, higher miles, Very clean HD truck
2006	C1500 SUPERCAB	w/5.3 eng, aod, LT trim, 103k miles, Nice clean truck
2006	DODGE D3500	MEGACAB w/5.9 diesel, aod, SLT trim, higher miles, priced to sell
2006	F350 CREWCAB	LONGBED w/6.0 diesel, Lariat, LOADED, Ent system, 151k miles
2005	F350 CREWCAB	DRW w/6.0 diesel, aod, Lariat, full power, lots of extras, Nice HD tk
2005	F150 CREWCAB	w/5.4 eng, aod, XLT, full power, trl tow, 125,000 miles, local trade
2003	F250 SUPERCAB	LONGBED w/6.0 diesel, aod, Lariat, full power, FX4 pkg, clean HD truck
2002	F250 SUPERCAB	LONGBED w/V10 eng, aod, XLT, full power, bedmat, 126,000 miles
2001	F150 SUPERCAB	w/5.4 eng, aod, Lariat, full power, higher miles, good older work tk
2001	F350 CREWCAB	w/7.3 diesel, aod, Lariat, full power, trl brake controler, higher miles
2000	F150 SUPERCAB	w/4.6 eng. aod trans, XLT trim, trl tow pkg, running brds, REDUCED!!!
1994	F350 CREWCAB	w/7.3 diesel, aod, XLT trim, full power, higher miles
1994	F250 SUPERCAB	w/7.3 diesel, 5 spd, XLT, dual tanks, gooseneck, full pwr, 195,000 miles

SUV'S & CROSSOVERS

2012	ESCAPE LIMITED	w/3.0 eng, aod, full pwr, Leather, 32k miles, Great SUV
2011	GMC TERRAIN	w/2.4 eng, aod, SLE trim, LOADED, LOTS EXTRA, 34k miles
2011	EDGE SEL	AWD w/3.5 eng, aod, Leather, full pwr, VERY NICE 27,000 MILES
2011	EXPLORER XLT	w/3.5 eng, aod, Leather, Nice, full pwr, 29k miles, 7 passenger
2010	FLEX LIMITED	FWD w/3.5 eng, aod, Nav system, Very roomy 7 passenger, 23k miles
2009	EXPLORER EDDIE BAUER	w/4.0 eng, aod, full pwr, 3rd row, rear ac/heat, 78k miles
2008	CHEV TAHOE	w/5.3 eng, aod, LT, Sunroof, DVD, LOADED, 71k miles
2008	EXPLORER EDDIE BAUER,	w/4.0 eng, aod, full pwr, rear AC/heat, 87k miles, Clean
2008	TOYOTA HIGHLANDER	FWD w/3.5 eng, aod, 3rd row seat, full pwr, tow pkg, 58k miles
2007	EXPLORER LIMITED	w/4.0 eng, aod, 3rd row, full pwr, Leather, Moonroof, 72k, Nice
2007	EXPEDITION XLT EL	w/5.4 eng, aod, Leather, Entert system, full power, 81k miles, Nice
2007	EXPEDITION EDDIE BAUER	w/5.4 eng, aod, full power, 106,000 miles, Good full size SUV
2007	TOYOTA SEQUOIA	w/V8 eng, aod, Leather, Loaded, DVD, Sunroof, 85,000 one owner miles
2006	EXPLORER LIMITED	w/4.0 eng, aod, Loaded, 3rd seat, 98,000 miles, Very Nice local trade
2005	EXPEDITION LIMITED	w/5.4 eng, aod, Moonroof, DVD, Navig, 130k miles, clean SUV
2005	EXPEDITION LIMITED	w/5.4 eng, aod, Moonroof, DVD, quad seats, 85k miles, VERY NICE
2005	EXPLORER XLT	w/4.0 eng, aod, full pwr, 3rd row seat, higher miles, priced to sell
2005	EXPLORER XLT	w/V8 eng, aod, full power, Moonroof, 96,000 miles, VERY CLEAN
2005	EXPEDITION XLT	w/5.4 eng, aod, full pwr, 3rd seat, rear AC/heat, 121,000 miles
2004	EXPEDITION XLT	w/5.4 eng, aod, full pwr, keyless entry, very clean 134k miles
2004	CHEV SUBURBAN	w/5.3 eng, aod, LT trim, Ent system, rear AC/heat, 174,000 miles
2003	ESCAPE XLT	w/3.0 eng, aod, full power, 135k miles, Nice clean older SUV
2001	EXPEDITION	w/4.6 eng, aod, XLT, full power, rear AC/heat, One owner, REDUCED!!!
1998	KIA SPORTAGE	w/2.0 eng, aod, EX trim, 120,000 miles, great school vehicle

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Public Record

County Court
Cheyanna M. Gordon, Falls City, found guilty, speeding (16-20), fined \$125; fail to use child passenger restraint, found guilty, fined \$25.
Brian Mackey, FC, count one, drive under suspension, plead no contest; count two, dismissed with prejudice; continued to to Oct. 1 for sentencing.
Robert H. Simmonds, assault-3rd degree; continued to Sept. 19 for trial.
Cameron Wisdom, Sabetha, Kan., willful reckless driving-1st offense, fined \$400, probation ordered for six months, plus costs of \$170.19.
Dennis Schlund, Humboldt, domestic assault-3rd degree, plead not guilty; continued to Sept. 24 for pretrial.
Kent L. Cooper, Humboldt, dog running at large, found guilty, fined \$50, plus costs of \$49.
Crystal M. Hartung, Stella, formerly known as Crystal M. Milke, two counts of second offense issue check with no account, Class IV felonies. Case continued to Oct. 31 for entry of plea.
Kevin L. Craig, FC, drive under suspension, plead guilty, found guilty; continued to Oct. 17 for sentencing.
Nathan W. Palmer, Nemaha, count one DUI-.15+, count two, possess or use drug paraphernalia; 15 month probation began Sept. 5, to serve seven days in

Richardson County Jail.
District Court
Mary C. Nave, FC, was granted dissolution of marriage to Paul R. Nave, Verdon.
Sean M. Frederick, Falls City, has filed for dissolution of his marriage to Marsha A. Frederick, Falls City.
William P. Chirichello, Humboldt, has filed for dissolution of his marriage to Patricia A. McKinney, Tecumseh.
Civil Court
RAB Performance LLC vs. Laci J. Meugnot, Rulo, judgment entered against the defendant in the amount of \$5,32.24, costs of \$74.70, with post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.152 percent.
Capital One Bank vs. Samantha Arnold, FC, judgment entered against the defendant in the amount of \$1,404.36, costs of \$63.50, with post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.152 percent.
Credit Management Services vs. Tammy Palm and Mike Palm, FC, judgment entered against the defendant in the amount of \$141.00, prejudgment interest of \$4.40, fees of \$19.10, costs of \$72.50, with post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.152 percent.
Judgment entered in favor of Credit Management Services and against Jill Garrison, a/k/a Jill Hatfield, Humboldt, in the amount of \$1,040.62, plus prejudgment interest of \$259.96 and Court costs of \$50.95. Post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.152 percent.
Judgment entered in favor of Credit Management Services

and against Raymond Scarberry, Dawson, in the amount of \$402, plus prejudgment interest of \$104.49 and Court costs of \$56.90. Post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.152 percent.
County Court Waivers (Court costs not included)
Cody Miller, speeding (11-15), fined \$75.
Clifford Snodgrass, speeding (16-20), fined \$125.
Linda Kratz, speeding (11-15), fined \$75.
Elly S. Scott, speeding (11-15), fined \$75.
Scott R. Schuler, speeding (11-15), fined \$75.
Allison A. Bickford, speeding (11-15), fined \$75.
Douglas A. Loewon, speeding (11-15), fined \$75.
Kelsey E. Lock, speeding (16-20), fined \$125.
Andrew S. Reed, speeding (21-35), fined \$20; no license on person, fined \$25.
Daniel N. Payne, no valid registration, fined \$25; unlawful/fictitious display of plates, fined \$25.
Stanley L. Ball, speeding (11-15), fined \$75.
Sheyenne K. Meister, speeding (11-15), fined \$75.
Kelly C. Withers, speeding (16-20), fined \$125.

Building Permits

— Bob Streit, 901 E. 16th St.; replace front porch, \$6,500.
— Ken Voegle, 2315 Crook St.; siding and window replacement, \$9,500.
— Rick and Susan Johnson, 315 E. 25th St.; plumbing, \$500.
— Bill Palmer, 2023 Stone St.; sprinkler system, \$1,800.
— Wilma Oberst, 2718 Abbott St.; sprinkler system, \$2,000.
— Regina Coupe, 916 St. Mary's; sprinkler system, \$1,900.
— Don Ruch, 2516 Wilson St.; replace landscaping, \$9,000.
— Rick Oberle, 2512 Abbott St.; porch roof and shower, \$5,000.
— Virgil and Marcia Feighner, 803 McLean St.; sidewalk, \$2,350.
— Verizon Wireless, 1820 Towle St.; add antennas to existing tower, cabinet in existing shelter, \$20,000.

Verdon man, 27, charged with passing counterfeit bills

Falls City Police Friday arrested a 27-year-old Verdon man on charges of passing counterfeit \$50 bills last week at various locations in Falls City.
Ryan C. Bennett was jailed on a charge of First Degree Forgery, a Class III Felony punishable up to 25 years imprisonment or a \$25,000 fine, or both. Bennett was held on \$5,000 bond, posted 10 percent and was released.
Police allege Bennett created fake \$50 bills with an office scanner and passed one Thursday night at Casey's General Store in Falls City. He also is accused of passing the fake money to Kelly Barker, 47, of Falls City, and attempting to use a fake bill at Sonic Drive-In Friday morning.
During their investigation, according to arrest affidavits filed in Richardson County Court, Police found drug paraphernalia in Barker's purse and charged her with felony possession of a controlled substance. She's currently being held in Richardson County Jail on \$5,000 bond.

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10-12 Male – 1. Kiefer Salimo, 2. Cameron Binder, 3. Sloan Lenard.

13-&-Up Male – 1. Troy Nelson, 2. Don Coolidge.

6-&-Under Female – 1. Allie Binder, 2. Courtney Holliday.

7-9 Female – 1. Lainey Ebel, 2. Josie Gabel, 3. Sidney Holliday.

10-12 Female – T1. Ahren Ebel and Mackensie Nelson, 2. Emma Gabel, 3. Allie Binder.

13-&-Up Female – 1. Abigail Merz, 2. Alicia Schock, 3. Sharon Holliday.

5K Division Male and Female

14 & Under – 1. Keith Salimo, 2. Jakob Jordan 3. Matthew Rathje.

15-19 Division, Male – 1: Cody Schawang. Female – 1. Elizabeth Magdanz, 2. Ashli Jordan, 3. Molly Chapple.

20-29 Division, Female – 1. Amanda Gray, 2. Molly Kirkendall, 3. Cody Strauch.

30-39 Division, Male – 1. Todd Binder, 2. Davis Bierly, 3. Ryan Larsen. Female – 1. Sarah Armbruster, 2. Sarah Watkins, 3. Sarah Morris.

40-49 Division, Male – 1. Zaldy Salimo, 2. James Herling Jr., 3. Brad Campbell. Female – 1. Cathy Counce, 2. Deb Jarred, 3. Tutti Baker.

50-59 Division, Male – 1. Robert Baker, 2. Philip Froeschl, 3. Scott Magdanz. Female – 1. Deb Gruber, 2. Mary Darveau, T3. Pam Smith and Barb Vice

10K Male and Female

10-12 Division, Male – 1. Jackson Valentine

20-29 Division, Male – 1. Lee Hullman. Female – 1. Jeannie Mullins

30-39 Division, Male – 1. Brian Evans, 2. Fr. David Oldham. Female – 1. Vicki Bangert, 2. April Binder

40-49 Division, Male – 1. Ron Kudron, 2. Jason Watkins. Female – 1. Cindy Kudron.

Irish JV hangs
52 on Eagles

Sawyer Kean and Henry Arnold each had a pair of TD runs to lead the FC Sacred Heart JV to a 52-8 victory at Johnson-Brock last Tuesday afternoon.

Kean had scoring runs of 23 and 57 yards, while Arnold broke TD runs of five and 30 yards in the victory. Additionally, Austin Malone scored from 37 yards out, Zavan Kirkendall scored on a five-yard run and Logan Scheitel caught a 47-yard scoring pass from Bailey Witt in the romp.

Kirkendall, Malone, Witt and Arnold added PAT runs and Scheitel caught a two-point conversion pass from Malone.


PSC’s Williams
HAAC Runner
of the Week

Senior Sarah Williams of Peru State was selected the Heart of America Athletic Conference Women’s Cross Country Runner of the Week on Monday afternoon.


Williams was one of the standout runners at the Northwest Missouri Bearcat Invitational on Friday afternoon. A native of Hiawatha, Kan., Williams placed fourth with a time of 23:34 over the 6K course. She was the top NAIA Women’s Cross Country Runner of the Week award, which will be announced no later than Tuesday afternoon.

The weekly award winner will represent the HAAC in consideration for the NAIA Women’s Cross Country Runner of the Week award, which will be announced no later than Tuesday afternoon.

We are studying the contributions...

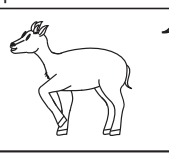


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...of Hispanic Americans to our country.




Learning About Hispanic Heritage

I love flying over our beautiful country and seeing all kinds of families doing things together. For the next four weeks we have a special month to celebrate people of Hispanic heritage and to learn about how they have shaped the history of the United States. They have come here from countries such as Mexico, Puerto Rico, Cuba and other parts of Central and South America. They may speak slightly different versions of the Spanish language, and possess a range of identities and cultures, but they have one thing in common – they are part of the American story!


Can you read the clues to identify these Hispanic Americans?

- 1.) Antonia Coello _____ - the first Hispanic U.S. Surgeon General; also the first woman to hold the position
- 2.) Cesar _____ - went to many elementary schools while traveling to farms with his family to work; he started a labor union to get fair wages, better housing and to improve other conditions for farm workers.
- 3.) Oscar _____ - won a Pulitzer Prize for Fiction (1990) for his novel *The Mambo Kings Play Songs of Love*
- 4.) Alex _____ - youngest major league baseball player to hit 600 home runs
- 5.) Ellen _____ - first female Hispanic astronaut
- 6.) Prudencio and Carolina _____ - began a company called Goya, producing Hispanic foods; the largest Hispanic-owned food company in the U.S.
- 7.) Luiz Walter _____ - won the Nobel Prize in Physics (1968): he and his son declared that the mass dinosaur extinction was caused by a meteor impact
- 8.) Bill _____ - was Governor of New Mexico, ran for office of President (2008)
- 9.) Rita _____ - first Hispanic actress to win an Oscar
- 10.) Nancy _____ - great woman golfer; got first set of golf clubs at age 8

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Native Countries

Can you find and circle these countries that people of Hispanic heritage come from?




Celebrations

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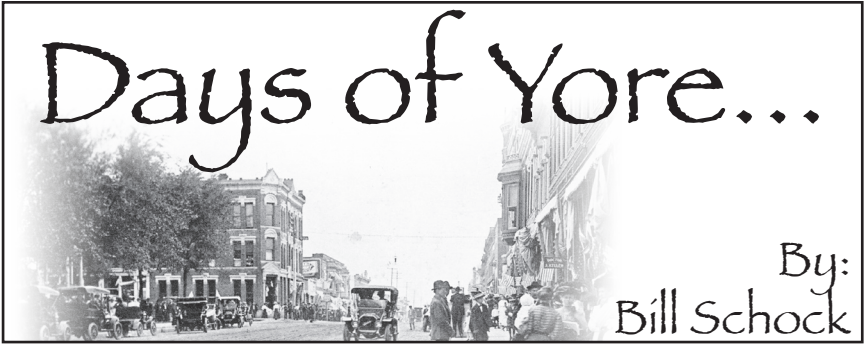

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**50 Years Ago
(Sept. 10-15, 1962)**

Diana James, 16, Humboldt High School senior, was crowned queen and John Frehse, Humboldt businessman, king, of the Richardson County Fair at Humboldt.

Garry Watzke was elected president of the senior class at FCHS. Larry Nedrow was named editor of the Orange and Black year-book.

Engagements announced: Dorothy Picton and Allan Tubach, both FC; Shirley Frederick, FC, and James Schuetz, Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Gerdes, FC, were the parents of a daughter born Sept. 9.

Lawrence Paul Davis, Humboldt, enlisted in the Navy. Supt. Merle Beck reported that 164 students were enrolled in Verdon and Dawson grade schools and 97 in D-V High School.

Ralph Steinbrink was re-elected president of the Community Hospital board of directors and at the annual meeting it was reported that the net profit of the hospital for the past year was \$25,126. William Schweickert was the administrator.

Robert Mitchum was starring in “Teenage Millionaire” at Breezy Hill Drive-In.

Gary Goll, Verdon, a member of FC’s National Guard company, was in basic training at Fort Ord, CA.

Eldon Dettmann, FC, won two grand championships in 4-H livestock competition at the State Fair.

Dr. William Farmer was to become associated with Dr. R. L. Heins in the practice of medicine in FC.

A fire department was formed within Frontier Homes and Norman Carr was the chief.

Quarterback Tom Jacobitz scored the winning TD as Stella edged Shubert 20-19.

Harry Hillyard, FC, a World War II Army hero, was promoted to major general at Ft. Belvoir, VA.

John Auxier, Steve Colerick and Chick James scored TDs to lead FCHS to a 19-7 victory over Beatrice.

Junior Chamber of Commerce members spent Sunday installing 120 seat belts in a safe driving campaign. The cost was \$6 per.

25 Years Ago

State Sen. Pat Morehead, ex-FC, Beatrice, was to crown the king and queen of of the Richardson County Fair.

Steve Walker, FCHS, was Junior Rotarian of the Month.

Laverne Prohaska played for the grand opening of the Reserve Ballroom.

Corner Connection in Shubert celebrated its first anniversary with 75-cent hamburgers and 25-cent hotdogs.

Charlotte Hershberger Nedrow, FC, earned her Master’s Degree in Education at UNL.

The stork report: daughter Sept. 9 to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dotson, Shubert; son Sept. 12 to Dr. and Mrs. Allan Tramp, Lincoln, later to become Falls Cityans.

John Emmert was the emcee as 300 attended the Salem High School reunion. Don Overfield was elected president.

A well-publicized Flag Ceremony was held at the National Guard Armory to honor American ex-prisoners of war. No one from the public showed up.

Winning trophies in the 4-H dairy cattle, beef and swine competition at the State Fair were: Gary Fisher, Rulo, swine; Vicky Yoesel, FC, dairy and beef cattle; Tony Rieschick, FC, dairy; Mary, Shirley and Becky Huppert, Salem, dairy cattle.

At Northvue you could get an oil change, filter and grease job for \$13.99.

15 Years Ago.

Nichole Bowen, 16, Humboldt High sophomore, was crowned Richardson County Fair queen and George Marburger was crowned king by Mrs. Nebraska, Mrs. Lisa Gennero, Louisville. Junior attendants were Garrett Rogge, Jessica Merwin, Diane Harmon and Curtis Rexroth.

Junior Rotarians of the Month were Angela Bryan, FCHS, and Jennifer Sikora, SH.

Linda Rasmussen was the new Chamber of Commerce manager.

Todd Godemann led the Tigers to a 34-13 win over Hiawatha. Aaron O’Grady scored three TDS as FCSH blasted Pawnee 47-2.

Don Yoesel, FC, showed the grand champion and reserve champion Open Class Herefords at the State Fair.

The Journal’s Athletes of the Week were Katie McGinnis, Sacred Heart volleyball, and Kody Hall, SE Consolidated quarterback.

You could buy two 8-inch peach pies at Hinky Dinky for \$5.

Over 1,000 persons from 15 states attended the 2nd Annual National Field Days of Conklin Co. Inc. at Carico Farms, FC, owned by Charles and Judy Herbster.

Rayne Willis

Rayne Willis, 51, of Falls City, passed away Sept. 6, 2012 at Falls City. She was born Dec. 24, 1960 at Amarillo, TX to Alice (Cook) Gardner and the late Allen Ray Gardner.

On Oct. 16, 1977 she married Bobby Willis at Pampa, TX.

Rayne was raised at Amarillo and graduated from Pampa High School in 1978. She graduated from the Bellevue University with a Bachelors Degree in Business Management. The couple established their home in Pampa when married and later moved to Granbury, TX where she worked as a Radiation Protection Technician at Comanche Peak Nuclear Power Station at Glenn Rose, TX from 1993-1997. They moved to Falls City in 1998 and she worked at Cooper Nuclear Station as a Chemistry Technician until 2011. She was a member of Cooper Nuclear Stations EMT Squad and a past member of the Falls City Volunteer Ambulance Squad.

Rayne is survived by her husband, Bobby of Falls City, sons, Joshua Willis of Chesapeake Bay, VA, Jacob Willis and his wife Brittany of Omaha, mother, Alice Savala of Falls City and three granddaughters. She was preceded in death by her father and step-father, Philip Savala.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, Sept. 12, 2012 at Northridge Church. Interment will be in Steele Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 7-8 p.m. Tuesday at Dorr and Clark Funeral Home.

Mary Keifer

Mary Keifer, 85, of Falls City, died here on Sunday, Sept. 9, 2012.

She was born Jan. 7, 1927, at Lebanon, KS, the daughter of the late Paul and Esther (Noble) Carper. Mary was raised in the Lebanon area and graduated from Lebanon High School in 1945.

She married Everett W. Keifer at Lebanon on July 30, 1947.

Mary attended Kansas State University and Manhattan Bible College and graduated with a Christian Education Degree in 1949 and became an ordained minister. From 1947 to 1952 she and her husband were ministers at the Reserve Christian Church, Reserve, KS. In 1952, the couple moved to Denver, CO, where they filled the pulpit at West Side Christian Church. While living in Denver, she attended Denver University and graduated in June 1961 with a BA Degree. She also received a Master’s in Education Degree from Denver University. She retired from teaching May 31, 1989, and then did substitute teaching from 1990 until 2004 and moved to Falls City in 2005.

Mary was a member of Phil Delta Kappa, Daughters of the American Revolution and attended the Church of Christ in Falls City. She was a member of Green Mountain Christian Church, Lakewood, CO.

She is survived by a daughter, Leslie Vancenbrock of Falls City, two sons, Orion (Pat) Keifer, Front Royal, VA, and Jerald (Patricia) Keifer, Spring Creek, NV, four brothers, Don (Lorene) Carper, San Antonio, TX, Del Carper, Smith Center, KS, Ivan (Norma) Carper, Colorado Springs, CO, and Owen (Shirley) Carper, Wichita, KS, nine grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren and a great-great-grandchild.

Mary was preceded in death by her parents, a sister, Edna Kattenberg, and a brother, Gerald Carper.

Funeral services will be held in the Green Mountain Church in Lakewood, with interment in the Fort Logan Cemetery at Denver, CO.

The family will receive friends from 7-8 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 12, at Dorr & Clark Funeral Home, which is in charge of arrangements.

Obituaries

Jessie Iola Gafford DeWald

Jessie Iola Gafford DeWald, 102, died Wednesday, Aug. 29, 2012.

She had been residing at Bonaventure Assisted Living in Idaho Falls, ID, close to her family.

Iola was born June 10, 1910, in Beaver County, OK, the youngest daughter of Jesse Washington Gafford and Sarah Euphema Jackson Gafford. She grew up in the panhandle of Oklahoma and received her education in Beaver County.

She married Jake Dean DeWald in Perryton, TX, on July 11, 1925. The couple moved to Falls City in 1926, where Jake built the little house where she lived for the next 84 years.

Iola was a member of the First United Methodist Church since arriving in Falls City. She held many offices in women’s church organizations, was a Sunday school teacher and a faithful member of the choir until her nineties. She was also very interested and active in community work and was extremely proud of the fact that John Falter was connected to Falls City. She collected many of his paintings and worked each year at the library, preparing exhibitions of his art.

Patricia Vonderschmidt

Former Falls City business owner Patricia Vonderschmidt, 71, of Falls City, died Sunday, Sept. 9, 2012. She was born March 4, 1941, at Stella to the late Donald and Cleo (Messinger) Shubert.

Mrs. Vonderschmidt owned both the Wagon Wheel and the Gallery establishments in Falls City.

She married James Richardson at Verdon on Sept. 8, 1957. They divorced in 1967. Patricia then married Kenneth Vonderschmidt on Nov. 14, 1975, at Verdon.

Pat was raised in Stella and when married to Mr. Richardson they lived in various places due to his military service. Upon marrying Mr. Vonderschmidt, they established their home on a farm at Salem. They moved into Falls City in 2011. Aside from owning the local clubs, Pat worked at the FC Country Club and Jack & Jill grocery store.

Following her work as a volunteer nurses aid at the hospital during World War II, she was hired and mentored by Drs. C. L. Hustead and William Ketter to work in their clinic as she achieved the status of laboratory and X-ray technician. She worked for a succession of five physicians before retiring in 1976. She was able to fulfill her dreams of traveling to places she had only read about through the years. She enjoyed playing the piano, oil painting and was an avid reader.

As her health declined, she wanted and needed to be closer to her family, and moved to Idaho Falls just in time to celebrate her 101st birthday.

Iola is survived by three daughters, Eunice (Jerry) Ferguson, Roberta (John) Tayler and Kay Pottorff, all of Idaho Falls, eight grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren and 16 great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her siblings, two sisters and two brothers, her husband in 1959, two grandchildren and a son-in-law, Dennis Pottorff.

A memorial service will be held at a later date in Falls City.

Edward Huppert Jr.

Edward Huppert Jr., 85, of Falls City, died Sept. 9, 2012, at Lincoln. He was born Sept. 7, 1927, at Bladen, NE, to the late Edward and Agnes (Arterburn) Huppert.

He married Margaret Niemeyer on Oct. 21, 1946, at the Immaculate Conception Church in Rulo. She passed away June 30, 1992.

Edward was raised in Blue Hill and graduated from Shubert High School in 1945. Following graduation, he worked at the FC Meat Co., farmed, drove a truck and later became a dairy farmer, retiring in 1995. He enjoyed woodworking in his later years.

He was a member of Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Church, BPO Elks Lodge #963, Rural Fire Dept., Knights of Columbus, Rural Water District and Town & Country Promenaders, all of Falls City.

He is survived by his sons, Jerry (Claudia), Dan, Steve (Ruthann) and Scott, all of Falls City, Dearle (Rose), of Hiawatha, Rick (Laurie), of Sabetha, Mark (Joyce), of Dawson, and Doug (Sheila), of

Salem; daughters, Susan (Roger) Windle and Becky (Mark) Brewer, both of Falls City, and Shirley (Marc) Boos, of Zenda, KS; brother, Delman (Jan) Huppert, of Colorado Springs; sister, Sharon (Paul) Sells, of Falls City; special friend, Lauretta Schacht, of Falls City; 31 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren.

Mr. Huppert was preceded in death by his parents; wife; daughters, Barbara Ann in infancy, and Mary Beth Gilsdorf; grandsons, Anthony Gilsdorf in infancy, and Kyle Huppert.

A Mass of Christian burial will be held at 10:30 a.m. Friday, Sept. 14, 2012, at Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Church, with Msgr. Robert Roh the presiding priest; interment at the Falls City Catholic Cemetery. The Rosary will be at 7 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 13, at Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Church. The family will receive friends following the Rosary at the church.

Dorr and Clark Funeral Home, Falls City, is in charge of arrangements.

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SENCA Family Development Specialist Melissa Hardenberger, front right, is pictured here with the children of Cathleen Hanlon (Shaylyn Hanlon, front left) and Nichole, Jaslynn and Jaden Seager, who set up a lemonade stand Sept. 1 in support of the SENCA food pantry. The children heard that the food pantry was getting low on supplies and wanted to help, so they set up the stand outside of a garage sale at Tanya Kirkendall’s house and donated all the money they raised to the food pantry. They earned \$20.93 and some of that money came from their own piggy banks! “They wished that they could have done more but I want them to know that what they did was very helpful and that they did a good job and that I am thankful,” Hardenberger said.

‘Fishn & Bugs in the Bog’

The Falls City Library and Arts Center is bringing back Greg Hartel from the Ak-Sar-Ben Aquarium and Jane Kuhl and staff from the Nemaha Natural Resource District for programs at Stanton Lake from 3:30-5:15 for all students.

Any child in second grade or under must be accompanied by a parent or caregiver at “Fishn & Bugs in the Bog.”

The programs are free and sponsored by the Falls City Library and Arts Center and the Falls City Lions Club. The Lions Club will serve a free meal at 5:30 p.m., with Brian Evans as the coordinator.

Children will learn about Nebraska, their community and what they can observe when they are near the water.

Nebraska Natural Resource District administrative assistant Jane Kuhl will partner with the library to educate both youth and adults about conservation and natural resources. The Nebraska Association of Resource Districts, along with the Nemaha NRD, provide kindergarten through 12th grade students and their families with an opportunity to share efforts to protect our natural environment at both the local and state levels. Insight will be given about how to im-

prove the surroundings at Stanton Lake.

Hartel, a biologist and an education specialist with the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission from the Ak-Sar-Ben Aquarium in Gretna, will present two programs. In the cabin at Stanton Lake, children will create an art form called “Gyotaku,” which means “fish rubbing.” Also, each child will be taught to fish. Ak-Sar-Ben brings all the beginning casting rods and reels necessary. This will be Hartel’s fourth visit to Stanton Lake for a children’s program.

‘Weed Walk’ this Friday at Indian Cave

Five Rivers Weed Management is hosting a “Weed Walk” at Indian Cave State Park on Friday, Sept. 14.

The walk will begin at the front entrance of the park at 10 a.m. All are encouraged to take part and learn how to identify several invasive weed species, including Sericea Lespedeza, Garlic Mustard and Japanese Hops. Members of the Weed Management Area and Nebraska Game and Parks will also educate participants on the correct methods and techniques used to control further spreading of the invasive species.

This is a FREE event provided by the Five Rivers Weed Management Area with financial support provided through a grant from the Nebraska Environmental Trust Fund, as well as Five Rivers Resource Conservation & Development (RC&D). Lunch will be served FREE of charge following the “Weed Walk.” Please RSVP to Bobbie Meints at Five Rivers RC&D, 402-335-3347.

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Below are some frequently asked questions about the services and activities provided by CGB. Please take a moment to get to know us a little better.

Who is CGB?

CGB is a multi-faceted business involved in grain and feed ingredient merchandising, transportation, logistical services (truck, rail, or barge), soybean processing, fertilizer, stevedoring, and risk management. CGB is a US corporation, headquartered in Mandeville, LA, which has been in business since 1969. The proposed elevator would be a part of CGB’s Southwest Region with main offices near Tulsa, OK. As a company, we have 70 grain elevators located throughout the corn and soybean belt. Our focus is on providing quality service and products to farmers and elevators, as well as our end use customers. Because of this focus, we value close relationships with our customers for food and feed in the US and around the world. Our extensive elevator network allows us to source grain and soybeans for both the domestic and international markets. For complete information about our company, visit our website at www.cgb.com.

When would the facility be ready to receive grain?

We anticipate that construction would be completed by the fall of 2013, in time for soybean and corn harvest.

What are some capabilities of the proposed facility?

The facility would have over two million bushels of space to handle and store grain delivered by farm and elevator customers through several high-speed grain dumps. A remote outbound scale with a printer would also be used to speed trucks back to the field or elevator.

Will you have a merchandising staff at the elevator?

Yes, CGB is committed to providing outstanding customer service by building a personal relationship with producers and elevators. This requires a trained and knowledgeable staff to meet their grain marketing needs. Within CGB, many decisions on trading and origination are made locally. We anticipate having staff on-site soon after construction begins. In the meantime, you may contact us at the phone numbers listed below.

When will CGB begin posting grain bids for delivery into the Falls City facility?

We expect to post bids into Falls City early in 2013! When we do, we will be posting bids for fall delivery and beyond for corn and soybeans.

What are some services you provide?

CGB offers a complete set of marketing alternatives for our customers, and will have merchants on-site to trade grain utilizing these various types of contracts (e.g. Cash, Forward Contract, Futures Only, Basis, and Price Later). We also offer our formula pricing contracts – The Equalizer® - which allow customers to price grain over various periods of time to reduce price risk.

Does CGB have a website for customers to view market and account information?

Yes! We have a state-of-the-art customer website at www.cgbonline.com where we offer customers futures and cash grain quotes, market news, and weather. Also, in this secure site, customers can view up-to-date information on their grain transactions, including contracts, tickets, and settlements at any time. Customers can also make offers to sell grain to us online. CGB also has a mobile site at <https://mobile.cgb.com> (enrollment is required) that allows you to view market and account information on your smartphone or mobile device.

How can customers of CGB – Falls City access grain market information today?

There are several ways to get this information:

Phone - We’ll be glad to talk with grain customers about the new facility and your grain marketing needs at 800-375-5494 or 918-266-5494.

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Social media on Twitter (www.twitter.com/CGBEnterprises and www.twitter.com/cgbgrain) and Facebook (“Like” CGB Enterprises, Inc.)

Will you be giving any tours of the facility when construction starts?

All aspects of safety are very important at CGB. During the construction phase, we must maintain a safe work environment for the construction crews and our on-site employees. Tours can be scheduled once we have staff on site with an appointment. In addition, on-site tours will be given at an open house when construction is complete and the facility is ready for operation.

We hope many of your initial questions have been answered. We look forward to being part of the economic development and growth of Falls City and Richardson County, and hope to have the opportunity to serve your marketing and grain handling needs. Contact us if you have any questions.

Contact – Eric Kresin – CGB Southwest Regional Manager - 918-266-5494

Lady Tigers third as ‘hosts’

A week that saw the Lady Tiger softball team face two ranked teams – Fairbury (8-2, No. 4) and Conestoga (9-2, No. 9) – three times in five days ended with a third place finish Saturday at the Falls City Invitational, held in of all places, Auburn.

Due to the renovation at Dallas Jones Park and the inability to play their invite at Morehead Field at Grandview Park, Falls City utilized Auburn’s softball facility to “host” their annual tournament.

Falls City, now 9-7, competed well, defeating Syracuse 5-4 in their first-round game, then lost 8-0 to a tough Fairbury team, but bounced back to capture third with a 7-3 win over Class B Cass County Central.

“We played tough and worked hard for our third-place finish,” said Tiger head coach Joe Dunn. “The girls really pulled it together as a team this weekend.”

Senior Tressa Chandler had the game-winning RBI in extra innings against Syracuse when she stepped to the plate in the ninth and smacked a double that scored fellow senior Claire Poppe, who had reached first with a single.



Senior Claire Poppe picked up her eighth and ninth wins over the weekend as she helped lead the Lady Tigers to a third place finish at the FC Invite.

Poppe led the Lady Tigers at the plate in the win over Syracuse, going 3-4, including a homer, three RBI’s and two runs scored. Poppe also picked up the win on the mound, pitching all nine innings, striking out seven and allowing only one earned run.

Falls City then faced Fairbury for the second time in two days in the semifinal, but unfortunately the results were the same. The Lady Tigers struggled to hit off Fairbury’s Jensen Cromer Thursday night in a 12-0 home loss and it was more of the same Saturday as Falls City mustered up just three hits in the 8-0 defeat. In Thursday’s loss, FC connected for only five hits, three of which came from sophomore Sydney Armbruster, who went 3-for-3 with a double.

The Lady Tigers responded though in the victory over Cass County Central with seven runs on six hits. Kirstyn Buchholtz went 2-for-3 with two runs scored and

Tressa Chandler knocked in a pair of runs with sacrifice fly in the third and single in the fifth. Poppe picked up her ninth win of the season as well, allowing just five hits and one earned in six innings.

Falls City will face Cass County Central again tonight on the road and then travels to Auburn Thursday for a triangular with Auburn and Plattsmouth. This Saturday, the Lady Tigers travel to Plattsmouth for a tournament.

Lady Tigers JV Softball

The Falls City Tigers JV softball team came from behind to defeat the Conestoga Cougars 4-3. Junior Brittany Ritter went 2-2 at the plate with a hit by pitch, and Sophomore Shiloah Feighner filled up the stat sheet by going 1-1, drawing a walk, and laying down a sacrifice bunt. Sophomore Sydney Armbruster struck out five Cougars in four innings on the mound. The Tigers are now 3-0 on the season.

Tigers flagged 19 times in loss at Raymond Central

An outstanding single-game performance was marred by sloppy play and penalties Friday night in Raymond as the Tigers fell 34-14.

Junior back Cord Huettner rushed 26 times for 214 yards, including a 68-yard touchdown run in the first quarter that gave Falls City an early 6-0 lead. Raymond Central answered back with two second-quarter touchdowns of their own, however, then added seven in the third and 13 in the fourth to put the game away.

“They didn’t have an answer for Cord,” said Tiger head coach Fritz. “He ran hard all night for us.”

Huettner’s performance was overshadowed by 19 penalties, which totaled 147 yards against for a Tiger football program that has now lost a dozen straight.

“It comes down to execution,” said Fritz. “We just couldn’t sustain anything because of the penalties.”

The Tiger defense did a solid job against a decent Raymond Central passing attack, allowing Raymond’s Ben Lodema to complete just 9-21 passes for 101 yards. Huettner and senior Wade Witt led the Tigers defensively with 10 and eight unassisted tackles, respectively.

Falls City travels to Bennington Friday night for a game with Omaha Concordia (0-2). Omaha Concordia fell 45-22 to 2-0 Lincoln Lutheran in week one and lost to 1-1 Logan View, 45-8, last Friday. The game will be played at Bennington Elementary due to a field renovation project at Omaha Concordia’s normal facility. Because of a lack of bleacher seating, Tiger fans are urged to bring lawn chairs.

Kickoff Friday is scheduled for 7 p.m.

Titans shut out at WW

The early season struggles continued Friday night on the road for the Humboldt-TR-S football team. The Titans, now 0-3, were shut out 50-0 and have failed to score a point in the last two contests.

Weeping Water, who improved to 2-0, held the Titans to just 120 yards of total offense. Colton Nissen and Adam Strong each scored a pair of touchdowns for Weeping Water. Freshman Austin Tacket led the Titans with eight carries for 61 yards and also hauled in one catch for seven yards.

Defensively for HTRS, seniors Joel Svoboda and Scott Hammon led the team with 10 tackles each. Senior Nathan Stuckemeyer had a pair of tackles for loss.

HTRS will look to break their three-game skid Friday when they travel to Tri-County.

HTRS girls win 3-of-4 Saturday

The Lady Titans went 3-1 at their own tournament this past Saturday in Humboldt and currently sit at 5-3 on the season.

HTRS fell to FC Sacred Heart in three games to start. Senior Josie Morehead led the Lady Titans with 14 kills and junior Carmen Alexander served seven points and picked up 24 digs. Junior Kasey Kappel dished out 29 assists.

The Lady Titans bounced back with three straight wins, however. They defeated Pawnee City (25-19, 25-18), Lewiston (25-21, 25-15) and Johnson-Brock (25-15, 18-25, 25-22).

Morehead again led the team with seven kills in the win over PC. Kappel had 19 assists and junior Courtney Allen had a great line with six points, five kills, two ace blocks and 11 digs. Allen recorded seven kills in the win over Lewiston, as well.

In the victory over J-B, Allen led the team with eight kills, 16 digs and served six points. Morehead led the Lady Titans with three ace blocks and also recorded seven kills and Alexander had 14 digs.

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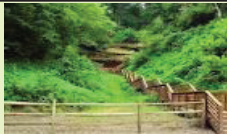
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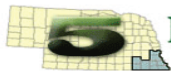
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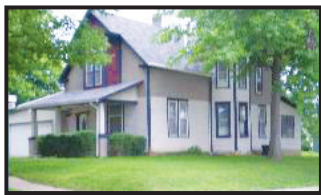
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Lady Irish off to great start

The FC Sacred Heart volleyball team may have entered the 2012 season under the radar, but with an impressive 8-1 start and championship Saturday at the Humboldt-TR-S Tournament, the Lady Irish are sounding the alarm in Class D2.

After graduating three senior starters - one a decorated 6-foot-3 middle hitter to the college ranks - the traditionally strong Irish went virtually unnoticed before the season and started unranked by both state newspapers. Furthermore, the team was designated for the "B" Division of this week's MU-DECAS Tournament in Beatrice, but they've already beaten the two "A" Division selections (Johnson-Brock and Pawnee City) they've faced, as well as the top-seeded team on the "B" side (HTRS).

Unrated? Underrated.

The Lady Irish, with just a handful of veteran players on its roster, won four matches Saturday (beating Johnson-Brock and HTRS in Humboldt; and Lewiston and Pawnee City in Table Rock) to boost its record to 8-1. Second-year Head Coach Susan Witt, whose first Irish team opened 1-5, said team chemistry is largely the cause of her team's surprisingly fast start.



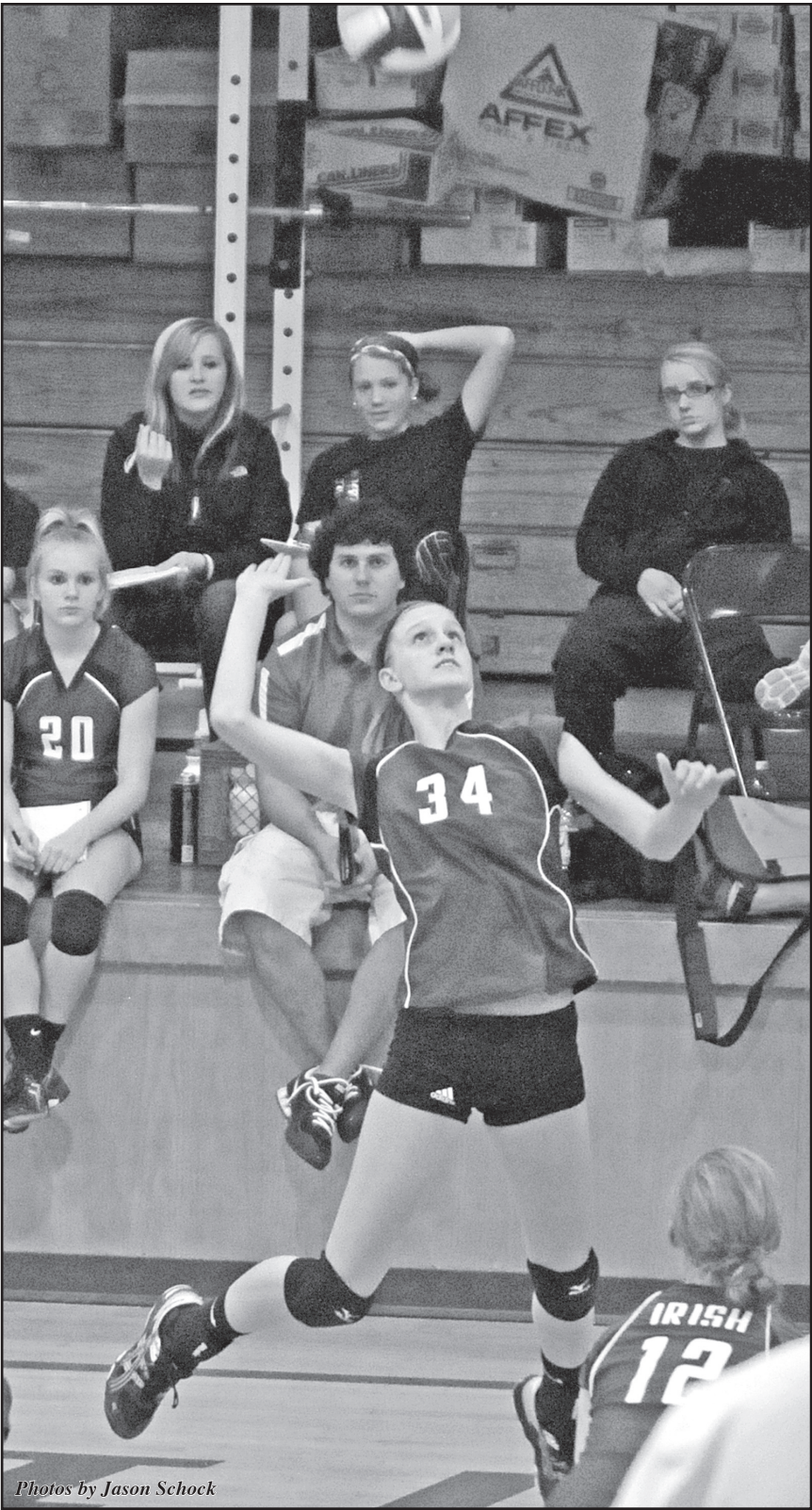
SH Coach Susan Witt

"We're pretty excited," she said. "Our team has really good chemistry and that's very important in girls' athletics."

They have balance, too. A different player emerged to lead each of the four victories Saturday.

"I'm very pleased with our team's progress," Witt said. "And I can look for different players to step up each game."

In a 25-23, 25-23 opening win over J-B, a 6-4 team, sophomore Abby Magdanz was perfect on 10 serves and had six kills; in beating HTRS 25-27, 25-20, 25-14, junior Emma Schock scored 12 team-high points and junior libero Ashli Jordan recorded 40 back-row digs; in a 25-12, 25-15 win over Lewiston, senior Janey Malcolm scored 10 points; and, finally, in a 25-21, 23-25, 25-22



Photos by Jason Schock

FCSH freshman Maggie Goltz served up 10 points and went 25-of-27 in attacks with 16 kills in her team's three-game victory over Pawnee City Saturday at Table Rock. FCSH was 4-0 and won the HTRS Invite, improving its record to 8-1.

victory over Pawnee City, freshman Maggie Goltz was 16-for-16 serving with 10 points, and went 25-of-27 attacking the net, recording 16 kills and three blocks.

"I'm amazed we missed just one serve in that fourth match," Witt said. "I'm a little concerned with fatigue this week - I hope we never play four matches in one day again. That's a lot of ball in a short amount of time."

FCSH, the third seed in the MUDECAS "B" Division, was

expected to get past Southern at 4:30 p.m. Monday, setting up a 7 p.m. semifinal match (likely) against second-seeded Johnson CC at Beatrice High School. The consolation game (3:30 p.m. Thursday) and championship (6:30 Thursday) are both held at SE Community College.

It's entirely possible - if not likely, after what happened Saturday - that the Lady Irish emerge from the second full week of the season with an 11-1 record. And that should get their attention.

Top-ranked FCSH continues to light up scoreboard, opponents

	SH	SJC
First downs.....	19	11
Rushing.....	41-353	49-143
Rushing lost.....	0	38
Rushing net.....	353	105
Passing.....	2-3-0	7-11-0
Passing yds.....	74	91
Total offense.....	427	144
Punts-ave.....	1-31.0	3-4.0
Kickoffs-ave.....	11-47.5	2-44.5
Kickoff ret. yds. ...	115	115
Total ret. yds.....	117	115
Penalties-yds.	4-46	3-15

134-18. That's the combined score from D2 No. 1 Falls City Sacred Heart's first two games this season. After dismantling Pawnee City 65-6 in the season opener a little more than a week ago, the Irish traveled to St. Joseph, Mo., Friday night and were as impressive in a 69-12 win over the Lions of St. Joseph Christian.

"We executed well again," said Irish head Coach Doug Goltz. "

Most of the damage, like last week, was done early and often. The Irish scored on their first three offensive possessions and added their fourth score of the game on a 70-yard kickoff return by Clay Finck just before the end of the first quarter, which made it 28-6 Irish.

Senior running back, Lane Barnhill, put the Irish on the scoreboard first when a capped off a three play, 52 yard drive with a four-yard run to give Sacred Heart the 6-0 lead. Junior place-kicker, Yianni Haralabidis, added the extra point and the green machine were off and running.

Barnhill, who has had two tremendous games to start the season, has seen his carries limited only because the Irish have jumped out to big leads and the first-team offense basically watched from the sidelines for the second halves. Barnhill carried 13 times for 119 yards (9.2 ypc) and three touchdowns against the Lions.

Senior QB Lane Scheitel again led the attack with great efficiency, carrying the ball six times for 79 yards and a score and completing 2-3 passes for 74 yards, including a 35-yard score to Finck in the first quarter. Scheitel hasn't thrown very much yet this season, but has been stellar when given the chance. He has completed 7-8 passes for 201 yards and four touchdowns to begin the season.

St. Joe Christian had some success moving the ball, particularly through the air - SJC completed 15 of 25 throws for 152 yards - but two interceptions by the Irish and three failed fourth downs kept the Lions from translating any of that success into points.

"We gave up a few more yards than I hoped, but we kept them out of the end zone," Goltz said. "Our pass defense needs to improve in all aspects and we need all eight

guys working together."

Defensively, senior Brody Chandler led the charge for Sacred Heart with five unassisted tackles, a sack and two tackles for loss. Barnhill, Lane Scheitel and junior cornerback, Chaz Dunn, each had four unassisted tackles. Also, Barnhill and senior Derek Bippes each had a pick.

Goltz has been particularly pleased with how the junior varsity players have performed given the fact that they have had lots of opportunities to perform because of the lopsided first-half scores.

"The JV guys have played almost half of our first two games on offense," Goltz said.

And played well too. Friday night the reserves carried the ball 17 times for 142 yards and two touchdowns. Sophomore running back Sawyer Kean has maximized his playing time, carrying the ball nine times for 148 yards and two touchdowns so far this season.

The Irish now turn their attention to a second straight, non-Nebraskan opponent as they prepare for Axtell, Kan. Axtell lost Friday night against Clifton-Clyde, Kan., 36-24, but defeated Lewiston 54-32 in week one.

"They are a physical team - they run hard, tackle hard and play hard," Goltz said. "They have really good size too."

Friday's game at Jug Brown Stadium is scheduled for 7 p.m.

Individual Stats

Rushing

SH - H. Arnold, 5-21; L. Barnhill, 13-119, 3 TD; Y. Haralabidis, 2-5; S. Kean, 6-87, TD; Z. Kirkendall, 2-5; A. Malone, 2-24, TD; B. Schawang, 5-13, 2 TD; La. Scheitel, 6-79, TD.

Passing

SH - La. Scheitel, 2-3, 74 yds., TD.

Receiving

SH - C. Finck, 1-35, TD; C. Niemeyer, 1-39..

Place kicking

SH - 5-5 XP.

Kickoffs

SH - Y. Haralabidis, 10-478, 47.8 avg.; E. Ramer, 1-45, 45.0 avg.

Kickoff Returns

SH - C. Finck, 1-70, TD; B. Schawang, 1-17.

Punts

SH - Chandler, 1-31, 31.0 avg.

Punt Returns

SH - L. Barnhill, 1-2.

Interceptions-return yds.

SH - L. Barnhill, 1-0; D. Bippes, 1-0.

Tackles

(assisted-unassisted)

SH - H. Arnold, 1-3; L. Barnhill, 4-2; D. Bippes, 1-1; W. Burenheide, 2-1; B. Chandler, 5-2; B. Cromer, 5-2; C. Dunn, 4-1; J. Fiegenger, 1-2; C. Finck, 1-0; S. Kean, 0-2; D. Keithley, 2-2; Z. Kirkendall, 2-2; A. Malone, 1-2; B. Mullins, 1-0; B. Schawang, 3-3; La. Scheitel, 4-2; Lo. Scheitel, 1-0; S. Strasheim, 2-2; B. Witt, 0-2; D. Witt, 0-1.

Tackles for loss-yds. lost

SH - L. Barnhill, 1-1; B. Chandler, 2-4; B. Cromer, 2-3; D. Keithley, 1-4; Z. Kirkendall, 1-8; B. Mullins, 1-2; B. Schawang, 1-5; S. Strasheim, 1-3.

Sacks

SH - L. Barnhill, B. Chandler, B. Cromer, Z. Kirkendall, B. Schawang, S. Strasheim.

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Lady Tigers open with sweep at HTRS

The Falls City Middle School volleyball team opened its season last Tuesday night in Table Rock against HTRS.

The "B" team won 25-14, 25-18. Leading scorers for the tigers were Morgan Bletscher with 13 points (two aces), Meredith Poppe with 11 points, and Bailey Gilkerson with 8 points (two aces), Megan Eickhoff (six points, two aces), Peyton Campbell (five points) and Rylee Scholl (four points, two aces).

The "A" team won 25-13 and 25-13. Leading scorers for the Tigers were Tayten O'Brien with 13 points (seven aces), Alyssa Frederick (11 points, four aces), Sydney Brewer (10 points, four aces), Bailey Armbruster (seven points, three aces), and Brooke Lotter (six points, four aces).

The Tigers were scheduled to play today at Rock Port, Mo.

FC Tiger runners at Hiawatha Thursday

Last Thursday the Tiger cross country team ran at the Tecumseh Country Club.

The Tiger girls were led by Lainey Larsen. She ran towards the front of the group and was strong enough to earn a medal.

Sophomore Brandon Gibson ran a time of 20:58 to lead the Tiger boys with a 20th place finish and earned his first career medal, running one minute faster than he did at the same event a year ago. Freshman Anthony Baker finished 37th with a time of 22:09.

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FOUR BEDROOM 2 bath, 2 1/2 story beauty, beautifully landscaped/sprinkler system on a corner lot, deck, patio, 2+ garage, new (kitchen and bath), fireplace, wet bar, frml dining, must see to appreciate, \$219,000. 2402 Chase



NEW LISTING - 2+ bedroom brick ranch on a shady corner lot. Extensive remodeling in the baths and basement. Garage/carport. Sunroom and much more. \$93,000. 803 E 14th



THREE BEDROOM ranch/att gar, main floor laundry, fireplace, sprinklers, \$115,000. 2424 Morton



PRICE REDUCED 3 br ranch, 2 car attached garage, patio, 2 oversized det garages, \$140,000. 1416 Crook



NEW LISTING 3 br,fenced back yard, garage, very nice and in great condition, \$69,900. 2102 Barada

NEW LISTING - 3br 1 1/2, corner lot in Shubert, lots of updates, priced right \$35,000. 201 Elm



FOUR BEDROOM (2) 3/4 baths, ranch walkout, Hi-eff hvac, att gar, newer kit, \$75,900. 1802 Huber



THREE BEDROOM 1 1/4 bath, 1 1/2 story, garage, shed, very nice for only \$36,000. 1513 Abbott



TWO+ BEDROOM 1 1/2 story, corner lot, formal dining, 2 car detached garage, \$50,000. 2002 Wilson



FOUR BEDROOM RANCH, 1 1/4 bath, finished basement, att garage, patio, shed, \$75,200. 925 Reavis



PRICE REDUCED 4br, 1 1/2 bath, 1 1/2 story stucco, patio, 2 car garage, \$92,000. 2410 Chase



PRICE REDUCED 2+br, family room, nice basement, hvac 4 yrs old, det garage, \$58,900. 1808 Abbott



PRICE REDUCED 3br ranch, shady corner lot, 2 car gar, appliances, \$89,900. 1704 Nemaha



THREE BEDROOM 2 story, 1&3/4ba, updated (kit-fam room-frml din) 2 car attached, newer roof, hardwood floors and new w/h \$105,000. 620 W 20th



PRICE REDUCED 1&1/4 bath, f/p, deck, patio, shed, att gar, corner lot, \$72,000. 2703 Crook St

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PUBLIC NOTICE

REQUEST TO RELEND FUNDS
On or after September 27, 2012 the City of Falls City will consider a request for the utilization of Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) ED-ReUse funds under Title 1 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (PL 93-383), as amended, to undertake the following project:

Project Title: Consolidated Grain and Barge Co. (CGB) Probe/Scale/ Office Facility, as part of a 120-Car Unit Train Grain Facility
Purpose: To provide a new business to cater to the underserved grain market in the local area.
Location: Mile Post 117, St. Joseph Subdivision, Falls City, Richardson County, Nebraska (South half of Section 15, Township 1 North, Range 16 East). Parcel 740026372 and Parcel 740026364.
Estimated Cost: Estimated CDBG ED-ReUse funding is \$200,000 for a scale, probe and office facilities. Estimated total costs for this portion of the project is \$500,000.

FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT

The City of Falls City has determined that the project will have no significant impact on the human environment. Therefore, an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA) is not required. Additional project information is contained in the Environmental Review Record (ERR) on file at 1820 Towle St. in Falls City, NE 68355 and may be examined or copied Monday through Thursday 8 A.M. to 5 P.M., and Friday between 8 A.M. to 12 P.M.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Any individual, group, or agency may submit written comments on the ERR to the City of Falls City, c/o Mayor Tim Hersh, 1820 Towle St., Falls City, NE 68355. All comments received by September 26, will be considered by the City of Falls City prior to considering a request for a conditional grant of funds. Comments should specify which Notice they are addressing.

AUTHORIZATION TO RELEND FUNDS

The City of Falls City certifies that Mayor Tim Hersh in his capacity as Mayor consents to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal Courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to the environmental review process and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. This approval satisfies its responsibilities under NEPA and related laws and authorities and allows the City of Falls City to utilize CDBG ED-ReUse program income funds.

Name and Title of Responsible Entity
Certifying Officer:

Timothy Hersh, Mayor of Falls City

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA

SCOTT M. WIEMERS
Individually and as Next Friend of Joe B. Furrell, a Minor Child, Petitioner
v.
SAMANTHA L. FURRELL
Respondent
Case No. CI 12-86
NOTICE OF SUIT
To: Samantha L. Furrell, Respondent

You are notified that the Petitioner, Scott M. Wiemers, on May 22, 2012, filed his petition against you, praying for establishment of paternity and custody order regarding the minor child, Joe B. Furrell, and determination of child support. You are required to accept or plead to said petition on or before the 26th day of October, 2012, or the allegations will be taken as true and judgment for paternity, custody and child support rendered accordingly.

Scott M. Wiemers, Petitioner
By: James H. Cain #15527
Attorney for Petitioner
1920 O Street
Auburn, NE 68305
(402) 274-3938
11-18-25

Notice of Organization:
Notice is hereby given that Jim-Mar Enterprises LLC, a Nebraska Limited Liability Company, has been organized under the laws of the State of Nebraska with its registered office located at 2104 Lane Street, Falls City, Nebraska 68355. The Limited Liability Company is organized to engage in and do any lawful act concerning any and all lawful business for which a limited liability company may be organized under the laws of Nebraska. Said Limited Liability Company was organized August 2, 2012 and shall have perpetual existence. Affairs are to be managed by the Members authorized by the certificate of organization and the Operating Agreement.

James E. Frederick, Manager

Kenneth N. Latashaw, CPA
11337 S. Lakecrest Dr.
Olathe, KS 66061
913-226-0363

Clinton Kimbrough, Principals Lisa Othmer and Kari Cover and Board Recorder Kellie Workman.
President Schardt welcomed the guests to the meeting.
Correspondence: none.
Motion by Leech, seconded by Standerford to approve the agenda. Motion carried 8-0.

Motion by Steffen, seconded by Standerford to approve the amended minutes of the regular meeting held on July 9, 2012. Motion carried 8-0.
Motion by Leech, seconded by Stalder to approve bills for payment for a total of \$591,845.08 for general and payroll funds. Motion carried 8-0.

Motion by Standerford, seconded by Ogle to approve the treasurer, activity and lunch fund reports. Motion carried 8-0.

Patron Comment: Susan Wissmann thanked the school for providing lunch to the staff the first work day; Keith Carlin represented the Humboldt City Council and posed an issue concerning rock on the streets.

Discussion: Updates and short discussion on the press box and summer projects. The transportation committee reported. Short discussion concerning the line of flags on holidays from the Americanism committee.

Stalder explained that Sapp Bros. will donate three cents per gallon sold at the pumps during the months of September and October to the school foundation. Action: Motion by Leech, seconded by Steffen to approve hiring Ellen Hanzlicek as cook and Rod Bleich as bus driver. Motion carried 8-0.

Motion by Steffen, seconded by Fankhauser to approve the purchase of air conditioning unit for the kitchen at the Table Rock site pending the building & grounds committee meet with Superintendent Kimbrough and choose the best unit for the school's needs. Motion carried 8-0.

Motion by Fankhauser, seconded by Steffen to approve a three year audit proposal from Julie Bauman, CPA; costs to be: 2012-\$3,510, 2013-\$3,685, 2014-\$3,870. Motion carried 8-0.

Motion by Fankhauser, seconded by Leech to approve the Flex Plan guidelines as presented. Motion carried 8-0.

Motion by Steffen, seconded by Stalder to approve the Student Fee policy. Motion carried 8-0.

Motion by Steffen, seconded by Standerford to authorize the superintendent to certify local substitutes. Motion carried 8-0.

Motion by Fankhauser, seconded by Leech to approve revisions to policy 3003. Motion carried 8-0. Motion by Fankhauser, seconded by Leech to approve new policy 3034. Motion carried 8-0. Motion by Fankhauser, seconded by Steffen to approve revisions to policy 5001. Motion carried 8-0. Motion by Fankhauser, seconded by Steffen to approve new policy 5062. Motion carried 8-0. Motion by Fankhauser, seconded by Steffen to approve revision to policy 6028. Motion carried 8-0.

Administrator Reports: Superintendent Kimbrough mentioned the purchase a new ice maker, fall conference registration and the response from NASB concerning the resolutions sent to them last month. Principal Othmer's report listed summer trainings and meeting, enrollment numbers and upcoming events. Principal Cover's report listed new students enrolled, new staff members and administrative duties.

Motion by Steffen, seconded by Ogle to adjourn at 8:22 PM. Motion carried 8-0.

The next regular meeting of the HTRS Board of Education will be September 10, 2012 at 7:00 PM in the 2nd Floor Math Room at the Humboldt site.

Respectfully submitted,
Kellie Workman, Board Recorder

CLAIMS

AG Partners Cooperative, Inc ..	338.37
American Lawn Care	129.27
Angie Schnacker	575
Apple Computer Inc.....	3990
Arden Nitz.....	3,296.87
Best Printing.....	1,447.68
ByteSpeed, LLC.....	1,915.18
Black Hills Energy.....	22.75
Blecha's 66 Service	618.8
Binder Brothers	779
CDW-G	478.84
Cardmember Service.....	3,541.45
Carson-Dellosa Publishing.....	138.46
Cengage Learning	165
Clinch Enterprises	1,228
ESU 10	1,566
Ebsco Subscription Serv	454.12
Eggers Bros Inc.....	1,682.62
Ellsworth Publishing.....	394.2
Esu #6.....	336.94
Falls City Journal	115
Falls City Sanitation.....	326.7
Flowers Plus.....	42.99
Follett Library Resources.....	1,312.16
Fremont Industries, Inc.	390
General Office Checking Acct.	1,126.82
Glass Doctor.....	50
H & H Auto Parts	7.98
HTRS Activity Fund	25.600
HTRS Payroll Acct	339,620.94
Harris Computer Systems	156.9
Heathwood Oil Co., Inc	261.62
Houghton Mifflin Co.....	30,559.53
Humboldt Auto, Inc.	2,187.33
Humboldt Electric & Appliance	1,400.3
Humboldt Implement Co.	401.9
Humboldt Standard	82.46
Jim Hills	34.57
Julie D. Bauman, CPA.....	369.12
Kari Cover.....	238.65
Konica Minolta	308.71
Leech Insurance Agency	42,000
Lewis Implement Company	8.32
Mark's Plumbing Parts.....	699.54
Marvin Blecha.....	142.7
Mary Malcolm	137.2
Matheson-Lineweld	36.76
McNealy Construction Inc.....	58,300
McNealy Construction Inc.	1,120
NCSA	825
NPPD	10,279.24
Okeefe Elevator Co., Inc.....	247.19
PRTS, LLC.....	1,151.25
Pawnee True Value.....	209.54
Pegler-Sysco Food Services.....	886.92
Pepsi Cola	2,711.5
Phillips Plumbing, Hardware ...	145.56
Quill	533.13
Richardson County Clerk.....	1,907.43
SHARI DRAKE.....	550

Schendel Pest Control	33
School Mate	601.6
School Specialty Inc	2,362.92
Schwarz Paper Company	6,191.09
Security Services.....	600.2
Seneca Sanitation	200
Sitzman Repair.....	89.53
Sunrise Publications	219.29
Superior Text.....	2,920.75
TO Haas	69.69
The Learning System	600
The McGraw-hill Co.....	16,856.56
Time Warner Cable	59.95
William E Koch	3,037.42
Windstream Nebraska	1,369.03
Youngs	1,142.03
Zito Media.....	4,673.71

PUBLIC NOTICE

STATE OF NEBRASKA
LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY
CERTIFICATE of ORGANIZATION
Falls City RV & Mobile Home Park LLC

FIRST: The name of the limited liability company is Falls City RV & Mobile Home Park LLC.

SECOND: The street and mailing address of its designated office in the state of Nebraska is 2222 Harlan Street, Falls City, Nebraska 68355.

THIRD: The street and mailing address of its agent for service of process in the state of Nebraska is 2222 Harlan Street, Falls City, Nebraska 68355. The name of its agent for service of process is LaMarr Kent Matthes.

FOURTH: The personal liability of the members and managers of the company for monetary damages for breach of fiduciary duty shall be eliminated to the fullest extent permissible under Nebraska law. The company is authorized to indemnify its members and managers to the fullest extent permissible under Nebraska law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Certificate of Organization on the date below
Date: August 21, 2012

LegalZoom.com, Inc., Organizer
By: Karla Figueroa,
Assistant Secretary
LDA #0104 in Los Angeles County
(expires 12/2013)
101 N. Brand Blvd., 11th Floor,
Glendale, CA 91203
(323) 962-8600

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NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING AND BUDGET SUMMARY

State of Nebraska
Budget Form - NBH-County
Statement of Publication

Richardson

COUNTY, NEBRASKA

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Sections 13-501 to 13-513, that the governing body will meet on the 18 day of September, 2012 at 11:15 o'clock, am, at Courthouse, Falls City, NE for the purpose of hearing support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to the following proposed budget. The budget detail is available at the office of the Clerk during regular business hours.

Mary L. Eickhoff

Clerk/Secretary

FUNDS	Actual Disbursements	Actual Disbursements	Proposed Budget of Disbursements	Necessary Cash Reserve (4)	Total Available Resources Before Property Taxes (5)	Total Personal and Real Property Tax Requirement (6)
	2010-2011 (1)	2011-2012 (2)	2012-2013 (3)			
General	4,504,060.52	4,582,465.56	4,496,829.88	175,000.00	1,557,479.45	3,114,350.43
Federal Matching			238,841.22		238,841.22	
Road & Bridge	2,556,039.38	2,371,867.19	2,792,464.12	75,000.00	2,867,464.12	
Road/Bridge Const		952,067.26	1,032,575.39		1,032,575.39	
Road/Bridge Sinking			650,000.00		100,000.00	550,000.00
Civil Defense	147,000.00		250,000.00		250,000.00	
Chromatograph	1,791.94	4,453.69	7,800.00		7,800.00	
Visitor's Promo	6,099.78	63,267.28	53,163.38		53,163.38	
Visitor's Improv		19,250.00	57,190.27		57,190.27	
Deeds Preservation			4,500.00		4,500.00	
Employ Security	19,697.02	28,610.13	22,500.00		20,567.73	1,932.27
General Asst	6,491.29	5,563.19	55,000.00	20,000.00	73,500.00	1,500.00
State Institutions	5,132.52	4,959.00	13,000.00	2,000.00	12,820.44	2,179.56
Vets Aid Fund	2,400.57	3,000.00	3,000.00		286.05	2,713.95
Co Drug Law Enf			872.43		872.43	
Federal Forfeiture		3,143.00	374.22		374.22	
Inheritance Tax	495,951.20	334,082.07	740,000.00		740,000.00	
Juvenile Serv Grant	31,171.00	31,171.00	26,195.14		26,195.14	
Hwy Bond Repay		182,326.25	238,000.00		15,549.44	222,450.56
Natural Disaster			509,616.15		509,616.15	
Noxious Weed	14,874.38	11,077.09	19,959.00		19,959.00	
TOTALS	7,790,709.60	8,597,302.71	11,211,881.20	272,000.00	7,588,754.43	3,895,126.77

Unused Budget Authority created for next year \$ 37,816.72

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Falls City, Nebraska, will hold a public hearing to receive public comments on a proposed redevelopment plan for the real estate described in this notice, pursuant to the Nebraska Community Development Law.

The hearing will be held in the Council Chambers at City Hall, 1820 Towle Street, in Falls City, Nebraska, on the 1st day of October, 2012, at the hour of 7:00 p.m.

The property affected by this notice is described as follows:

A tract of land in the South Half (S/2) of Section 15 and in the North Half of the Northeast Quarter (N/2 of the NE/4) of Section 22, Township 1 North, Range 16 East, of the 6th P.M., in Richardson County, Nebraska, being more fully described as follows: Starting at the Southeast Corner of Section 15; Thence South 87°14'51" West along the South line of said Section 15 for 889.72 feet to the West right-of-way of Highway 73 being the Point of Beginning and point being marked by a 1/2" x 30" rebar with plastic cap (w/PC); Thence South 33°11'42" East along said West right-of-way for 89.13 feet to a 1/2" x 30" rebar w/PC; Thence South 22°06'56" East for 26.00 feet along said West right-of-way to a 1/2" x 30" rebar w/PC; Thence South 72°19'55" West for 512.43 feet to a 1/2" x 30" rebar w/PC; Thence North 82°45'39" West for 1344.45 feet to the Southeast corner of the Southwest Quarter of Section 15; Thence North 74°44'49" West for 2380.40 feet to a 1/2" x 30" rebar w/PC; Thence North 04°13'38" West for 1764.54 feet to the South right-of-way of BNSF Railroad, point being marked by a 1/2" x 30" rebar w/PC; Thence South 82°25'27" East along said right-of-way for 3208.28 feet to the West right-of-way of Highway 73, point being marked by a 1/2" x 30" rebar w/PC; Thence South 20°18'27" East along said right-of-way for 411.29 feet to a 1/2" x 30" rebar w/PC; Thence South 23°28'39" East along said right-of-way for 204.67 feet to a 1/2" x 30" rebar w/PC; Thence South 27°50'44" East along said right-of-way for 654.63 feet to the East line of W/2 of the SE/4 of Section 15, said point being marked by a 1/2" x 30" rebar w/PC; Thence South 03°14'35" East along said East line and said right-of-way for 258.92 feet to a 1/2" x 30" rebar w/PC; Thence South 69°14'19" East along said right-of-way for 226.41 feet to a 1/2" x 30" rebar w/PC; Thence South 33°11'42" East along said right-of-way for 462.70 feet to the Point of Beginning. Containing 162.06 acres more or less.

A copy of the proposed plan is on file in the office of the City Clerk.
All interested parties shall be afforded at such public hearing a reasonable opportunity to express their views respecting the proposed redevelopment plan. ZNEZ

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GARY JORN, CITY CLERK
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NOTICE OF DIVORCE
PROCEEDING
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
RICHARDSON COUNTY,
NEBRASKA

TO: Michael Wayne Linder, whose whereabouts are unknown upon whom personal service of summons cannot be had, and is the defendant in said proceedings:

You are notified that on July 24, 2012, Plaintiff Charleen Ida Linder filed a Complaint against you in the District Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, at Case No. CI-12-139, the object of which is to obtain a dissolution of marriage on the ground that the marriage is irretrievably broken, to obtain an equitable division of the property, and to determine custody and child support, among other things.

You are required to answer said Complaint on or before October 11, 2012, or said Complaint against you will be taken as true.

Charleen Ida Linder, Plaintiff
1508 Schoenheit St.
Falls City, NE 68355

28-5-11

LEGAL NOTICE
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
RICHARDSON COUNTY,
NEBRASKA

Case Number CI 12-165
IN RE NAME CHANGE OF
Abigail Suzanne Murphy.

Notice is hereby given that on the 27 day of August, 2012, a petition was filed in the District Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which is to change a minor child's or children's name(s) from Abigail Suzanne Murphy to Abigail Suzanne Sailors. ZNEZ

A hearing will be had on said petition before the Honorable Daniel Bryan, in Courtroom No. 302, 1700 Stone Street, on the 18th day of September, 2012, at 9:00 a.m., or as soon thereafter as will be convenient for the Court and that unless sufficient cause is shown to the contrary, the minor child(ren)'s name(s) will be changed from that of Abigail Suzanne Murphy to Abigail Suzanne Sailors.

John Steven Sailors, petitioner
2213 Towle Street
Falls City, NE 68355
(402) 245-3862

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR
A STATE BANK CHARTER

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 8-178 of the Nebraska Banking Act, notice is hereby given that First National Bank and Trust Company, Falls City, Nebraska, has filed an application with the Nebraska Department of Banking and Finance to convert its national bank charter and national trust department charter to a state bank charter and state trust department charter under the name F&M Bank.

The main office of the proposed state bank will be located at 1701 Stone Street, Falls City, Nebraska, which is the current main office location of the national bank. The proposed state bank will continue to operate a branch at 1501 Stone Street, Falls City, Nebraska. ZNEZ

Objections to the application must be filed with the Nebraska Department of Banking and Finance, Commerce Court, Suite 400, 1230 "O" Street, P.O. Box 95006, Lincoln, Nebraska, 68509, within fifteen days after the date of publication scheduled for September 11, 2012. If substantive objections to the application are filed, the application will be scheduled for hearing.

DEPARTMENT OF
BANKING AND FINANCE
Lincoln, Nebraska
By: John Munn, Director

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County Board

RICHARDSON COUNTY BOARD
OF COMMISSIONERS
AUGUST 28, 2012
CALL TO ORDER

The regular meeting of the Richardson County Board of Commissioners was called to order by Chairman Sickel at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, Aug. 28, 2012. Roll call was answered by Ely, Davidson and Sickel. The Invocation was given by Chairman Sickel and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Vice-Chairman Ely. Chairman Sickel announced that the open meeting laws have been posted at the entrance to the meeting room.

Motion was made by Ely to approve the minutes of the August 21, 2012, meeting as read. Motion seconded by Davidson. ROLL CALL VOTE: Ely-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-abstain. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Davidson to approve the Board of Equalization minutes of August 21, 2012. Motion seconded by Ely. ROLL CALL VOTE: Ely-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-abstain. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Sickel to approve the agenda as posted. Motion seconded by Davidson. ROLL CALL VOTE: Ely-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.

Mr. Huppert reported on several

projects that are being planned including repairs to the Humboldt Bridge located on Rose Street and 713 Road and an engineering survey on a bridge located in the SW¼ SE¼ of Section 36, Township 3, Range 16 on 714 Road between 653 and 654 Avenues.

A review was held on the proposed fiscal year 2012-2013 budget for the Road and Bridge Department.

The Board will continue to consider the bids received at the August 14 meeting for the asphaltic concrete overlay project. They are planning to visit a site with this material placed on a road with heavy traffic.

The Board will continue their review of salary increases for the road foreman and administrative assistant at next week's meeting where they are scheduling to meet with each employee individually in executive sessions.

COUNTY ATTORNEY
BOB MEYER

County Attorney Bob Meyer reviewed with the Board an offer received from the insurance company, Nationwide Agribusiness, the insurer for Ag Partners Cooperative for the bridge collapse NW of Humblt on April 10, 2012. Motion was made by Ely to reject the offer of \$300,000.00 and to authorize the County Attorney to draft a letter for a counter offer of \$700,000.00 with a response to be received from insurance co. within 30 days after their receipt. Motion seconded by Davidson. ROLL CALL VOTE: Ely-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

STATE AUDITOR'S OFFICE

Deann Heaffner, Asst. Deputy and Liz Leber, County Coordinator of the Nebraska State Auditor's Office presented to the Board an exit review of the audit findings for the fiscal year end June 30, 2012. A draft report will be submitted to the Board and each official, with an opportunity for each official to respond to such findings which will be included within the final report.

The Board recessed for lunch from 12:45 p.m. and returned at 1:30 p.m.

CORRESPONDENCE/OTHER
5 Rivers Weed Mgt Area

Motion was made by Davidson to submit a letter of support for the 5 Rivers Weed Management Area for grant funding. Motion seconded by Sickel. ROLL CALL VOTE: Ely-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

Inventory Reports

Motion was made by Davidson to approve the 2012 inventory reports for the following officials and/or departments: County Board, County Clerk-Register of Deeds, Clerk of Dist Court, County Treasurer, County Judge/Court, County Sheriff, County Assessor, County Attorney, Road Department, Veterans Service Office, Courthouse Maintenance, Probation Office, Cooperative Extension Service and Emergency Management Agency. Motion seconded by Ely. ROLL CALL VOTE: Ely-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried.

CLAIMS

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

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

GENERAL FUND

Chandler, Nancy, reimb.....10.71
Comm. Med Center, serv.....3,942.42
Continental Fire Sprinkler, serv.....195.00
Data Max, serv.....250.00
El Camino Electric, serv.....165.80
FC Pharmacy, jail presc.....37.98
Charles Houser, reimb.....290.68
Jim Hills Paint & Glass, windshield.....378.55
Midtown Service Center, serv....36.80
Pro Serv Business Systems, serv.....172.11
Quill Corp., supp.....489.80
Shirley Ratazzi, fee.....20.00
Sirchie Acquisition Co, supp.....31.00
Warren Sudweeks, fee.....48.84
SunMart, supp.....3,737.56
Tyler's Lawn & Snow Removal, serv.....420.00
Pam Vice, reimb.....115.44
Doug Wheeler, serv.....240.00
Wolfe, supp.....142.50
Total General Fund.....\$10,725.19

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND

Bennett Heating, Cooling & Ref., serv.....210.00
Orscheln's, supp.....25.98
Crane Sales & Serv., parts.....1,025.60
Lawson Products, supp.....42.55
Newman Signs, supp.....2,200.40
Norris Quarries, LLC, rock.....407.99
OPPD, serv.....16.86
Scheitel Feed & Seed, supp.....317.00
Unifirst Corp., supp.....64.89
Windstream, serv.....50.27
Total Road/Bridge Fund.....\$4,361.54

CHROMATOGRAPH FUND

Nancy Chandler, reimb.....7.59
Community Med Center, serv....48.00
Total Chromatograph Fund.....\$55.59

COUNTY VISITOR'S
PROMO FUND

FC Chamber of Commerce, adv.....1,000.00
Heritage Highway Byway 136, adv.....100.00
Main Street Falls City, adv.....500.00
Pennsylvania Colony Historical Soc., adv.....400.00
Quad Co. Historical & Research Soc., adv.....300.00
Richardson Co. Historical Soc., adv.....400.00
Total Co. Visitor's Promo Fund.....\$2,700.00

COUNTY VISITOR'S
IMPROVEMENT FUND

FC Area Jaycees, concession stand.....2,000.00
Total Co. Visitor's Improvement Fund.....\$2,000.00

GENERAL ASSISTANCE FUND

Community Medical Center, Inc., serv.....1,635.56
Ed Connolly, serv.....162.50
FC Pharmacy, presc.....114.14
Family Medicine, serv.....56.33
Total General Assistance Fund.....\$1,968.53

ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Ely to adjourn the meeting at 2:57 p.m. Motion seconded by Sickel. ROLL CALL VOTE: Ely-aye, Davidson-aye, Sickel-aye. Motion carried. The Board will meet again on Tuesday, September 4, 2012 at 9:00 a.m. in the Commissioner's Meeting Room, Courthouse, Falls City. The agenda is kept current at the County Clerk's Office.

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

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING
AND BUDGET SUMMARY

VERDON RURAL FIRE DISTRICT
IN
Richardson County, Nebraska

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Sections 13-501 to 13-513, that the governing body will meet on the 17th day of September 2012, at 7:30 o'clock P.M. at the Fire Hall for the purpose of hearing support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to the following proposed budget. The budget detail is available at the office of the Clerk during regular business hours.


JED FRITZ	
	Clerk/Secretary
2010-2011 Actual Disbursements & Transfers	\$ 23,662.13
2011-2012 Actual/Estimated Disbursements & Transfers	\$ 200,378.86
2012-2013 Proposed Budget of Disbursements & Transfers	\$ 135,001.00
2012-2013 Necessary Cash Reserve	\$ 26,098.57
2012-2013 Total Resources Available	\$ 161,099.57
Total 2012-2013 Personal & Real Property Tax Requirement	\$ 68,694.00
Unused Budget Authority Created For Next Year	\$ -
Breakdown of Property Tax:	
Personal and Real Property Tax Required for Bonds	\$ 46,501.00
Personal and Real Property Tax Required for All Other Purposes	\$ 22,193.00

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NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING
AND BUDGET SUMMARY

STELLA RURAL FIRE DISTRICT
IN
Richardson County, Nebraska

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Sections 13-501 to 13-513, that the governing body will meet on the 17th day of September 2012, at 7:00 o'clock P.M. at Stella Fire Hall for the purpose of hearing support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to the following proposed budget. The budget detail is available at the office of the Clerk during regular business hours.


	Clerk/Secretary
2010-2011 Actual Disbursements & Transfers	\$ 21,469.70
2011-2012 Actual/Estimated Disbursements & Transfers	\$ 26,853.69
2012-2013 Proposed Budget of Disbursements & Transfers	\$ 28,553.82
2012-2013 Necessary Cash Reserve	\$ 3,055.70
2012-2013 Total Resources Available	\$ 31,609.52
Total 2012-2013 Personal & Real Property Tax Requirement	\$ 16,294.00
Unused Budget Authority Created For Next Year	\$ 1,769.19
Breakdown of Property Tax:	
Personal and Real Property Tax Required for Bonds	\$ -
Personal and Real Property Tax Required for All Other Purposes	\$ 16,294.00

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City of Falls City
IN
Richardson County, Nebraska

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING AND BUDGET SUMMARY

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Sections 13-501 to 13-513, that the governing body will meet on the 17 day of September 2012, at 7:00 o'clock P.M., at 1820 Towle Street, Council Chambers for the purpose of hearing support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to the following proposed budget. The budget detail is available at the office of the Clerk during regular-business hours.

	Clerk/Secretary
2010-2011 Actual Disbursements & Transfers	\$ 11,194,809.00
2011-2012 Actual/Estimated Disbursements & Transfers	\$ 12,040,612.00
2012-2013 Proposed Budget of Disbursements & Transfers	\$ 24,846,532.00
2012-2013 Necessary Cash Reserve	\$ 140,000.00
2012-2013 Total Resources Available	\$ 24,986,532.00
Total 2012-2013 Personal & Real Property Tax Requirement	\$ 565,163.68
Unused Budget Authority Created For Next Year	\$ 671,219.44
Breakdown of Property Tax:	
Personal and Real Property Tax Required for Bonds	\$ -
Personal and Real Property Tax Required for All Other Purposes	\$ 565,163.68

NOTICE OF SPECIAL HEARING TO SET FINAL TAX REQUEST

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Section 77-1601.02, that the governing body will meet on the 17 day of September 2012, at 7:00 o'clock P.M., at 1820 Towle Street, Council Chambers for the purpose of hearing support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to setting the final tax request at a different amount than the prior year tax request.

2011-2012 Property Tax Request	\$ 548,724.00
2011 Tax Rate	0.496842
Property Tax Rate (2011-2012 Request/2012 Valuation)	0.453194
2012-2013 Proposed Property Tax Request	\$ 565,163.68
Proposed 2012 Tax Rate	0.466772

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City of Falls City

AUGUST 20, 2012
A meeting of the City Council of the City of Falls City, Nebraska, was held in said City on the 20th day of August 2012, at 7:00 o'clock P.M. Council met in regular session. Mayor Hersh called the meeting to order and City Clerk Jorn recorded the minutes of the meeting. On roll call the following Council persons were present: Ferguson, Moore, Oliver, Robidoux, Scholl, Sutter, Wisdom. Absent: None. Notice of the meeting was given in advance thereof by posting in three public places, a designated method for giving notice as shown by the Certificate of Posting Notice attached to these minutes. Notice of this meeting was given to the Mayor and all persons of the Council and a copy of their acknowledgment of receipt of notice and the agenda is attached to the minutes. Availability of the agenda was communicated in the advance notice and in the notice to the Mayor and Council of this meeting. All proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public. The Mayor publicly stated to all in attendance that a current copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act was available for review and indicated the location of such copy posted in the room where the meeting was being held.

CONSENT AGENDA
A motion was made by Council person Oliver and seconded by Council person Robidoux to approve the Consent Agenda as printed: WHEREAS, certain business of the City Council (Council) of the City of Falls City (City) transpires on a regular and routine basis or is not of controversial nature; and WHEREAS, roll call votes on each individual issue greatly extend the meeting time. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY the City Council that in the interest of economizing time, yet complying with the Public Meeting Laws of the State of Nebraska, which require roll call voting, the following issues are hereby consolidated in this Consent Resolution: 1. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY the Council that the minutes from the August 6, 2012 meeting is hereby approved. 2. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY the Council that the agenda for August 20, 2012 is hereby accepted. 3. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY the Council that the Police Report for July 2012 is hereby accepted. 4. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY the Council that the Treasurer Report for July 2012 is hereby accepted. Roll was called on this motion and the Council persons voted as follows: AYE@ Ferguson, Moore, Oliver, Robidoux, Scholl, Sutter, Wisdom. ANAY@ None. Motion carried.

FINAL READING – ORDINANCE #2012-104, MUNICIPAL ELECTRICAL SYSTEM, INSTALLATION EXPENSE
A motion was made by Council person Oliver and seconded by Council person Sutter to approve the final reading of Ordinance #2012-104 as presented. Roll was called on this motion and the Council members voted as follows: “YEA” Ferguson, Moore, Oliver, Robidoux, Scholl, Sutter, Wisdom. “NAY” None. Motion carried.

APPOINTMENT – SECOND WARD COUNCIL PERSON
A motion was made by Council person Ferguson and seconded by Council person Robidoux to approve the appointment of Judy Murphy as Second Ward Council Person. Roll was called on this motion and the Council members voted as follows: “YEA” Ferguson, Moore, Oliver, Robidoux, Scholl, Sutter, Wisdom. “NAY” None. Motion carried.

NEXT COUNCIL MEETING TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 2012
A motion was made by Council person Sutter and seconded by Council person Scholl to set the next Council meeting to Tuesday, September 4, 2012. Roll was called on this motion and the Council members voted as follows: AYE@ Ferguson, Moore, Murphy, Oliver, Robidoux, Scholl, Sutter, Wisdom. ANAY@ None. Motion carried.

AIRPORT AUTHORITY TAX LEVY ALLOCATION
A motion was made by Council person Robidoux and seconded by Council person Oliver to approve the following resolution: WHEREAS, Nebraska Statute 77-3443 (3) requires all political subdivisions subject to city levy authority to submit a preliminary request for levy allocation to the city council; and WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council is the levy authority for the City of Falls City; NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the following is said Board=s tax request for budget year 2012-2013. FUND - General Fund, request levy of .029482. Roll was called on this motion and the Council members voted as follows: AYE@ Ferguson, Moore, Murphy, Oliver, Robidoux, Scholl, Sutter, Wisdom. ANAY@ None. Motion carried.

AIRPORT AUTHORITY TAX LEVY ALLOCATION
A motion was made by Council person Robidoux and seconded by Council person Oliver to approve the following resolution: WHEREAS, Nebraska Statute 77-3443 (3) requires all political subdivisions subject to city levy authority to submit a preliminary request for levy allocation to the city council; and WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council is the levy authority for the City of Falls City; NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the following is said Board=s tax request for budget year 2012-2013. FUND - General Fund, request levy of .029482. Roll was called on this motion and the Council members voted as follows: AYE@ Ferguson, Moore, Murphy, Oliver, Robidoux, Scholl, Sutter, Wisdom. ANAY@ None. Motion carried.

APPROVAL 1% ALLOWABLE GROWTH – 2012-2013 BUDGET
A motion was made by Council person Sutter and seconded by Council person Wisdom to approve the 1% allowable growth allowed by State Statute for the 2012-2013 budget. Roll was called on this motion and the Council members voted as follows: AYE@ Ferguson, Moore, Murphy, Oliver, Robidoux, Scholl, Sutter, Wisdom. ANAY@ None. Motion carried.

REQUEST – MOU BETWEEN CITY AND FC RECREATION
A motion was made by Council person Oliver and seconded by Council

person Moore to approve the MOU between the City of Falls City and Falls City Recreation, Inc. Roll was called on this motion and the Council members voted as follows: AYE@ Ferguson, Moore, Murphy, Oliver, Robidoux, Scholl, Sutter, Wisdom. ANAY@ None. Motion carried.

CGB ENTERPRISES, INC. PROJECT – STACEY BAILEY
Stacey Bailey and several other citizens of Richardson County and the City of Falls City spoke about CGB Enterprises, Inc. interest to start a business within the City limits of Falls City. A representative from CGB spoke.

PETITION FOR ANNEXATION
A motion was made by Council member Sutter and seconded by Council member Moore that the Petition for Annexation filed by Reesman Investment Corporation and Towle Realty Company be approved and the real estate set forth in such Petition and shown on the plat attached there to be annexed into the City of Falls City, Nebraska and that this vote to be spread upon the journal of the Council as required by law. Roll was called on this motion and the Council members voted as follows: “YEA” Ferguson, Moore, Murphy, Oliver, Robidoux, Scholl, Sutter, Wisdom. “NAY” None. Motion carried. ZNEZ

FIRST READING – ORDINANCE #2012-106, ANNEXATION
Ordinance #2012-106 was read by title. A motion was made by Council person Sutter and seconded by Council person Oliver to approve the first reading of Ordinance #2012-106 as follows: AN ORDINANCE TO ANNEX AND INCORPORATE WITHIN THE CITY OF FALLS CITY, NEBRASKA CERTAIN CONTIGUOUS OR ADJACENT LANDS, LOTS OR TRACTS, WHICH THE OWNERS HAVE REQUESTED IN WRITING PURSUANT TO STATUTE BE ANNEXED; TO DESCRIBE THE REAL ESTATE TO BE ANNEXED AND INCLUDED WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF FALLS CITY; TO REPEAL CONFLICTING ORDINANCES AND TO PROVIDE FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE. Roll was called on this motion and the Council members voted as follows: “YEA” Ferguson, Moore, Murphy, Oliver, Robidoux, Scholl, Sutter, Wisdom. “NAY” None. Motion carried.

SPECIAL DESIGNATED LIQUOR LICENSE APPLICATION SPIRIT SHOPPE – PRICHARD AUDITORIUM – OCTOBER 6, 2012

A motion was made by Council member Ferguson and seconded by Council member Robidoux to give favorable comment to the Special Designated Liquor License Application submitted by Spirit Shoppe, 1123 Harlan Street, Falls City, Nebraska, for the Northwest Fight Club Event at Prichard Auditorium, 312 West 17th Street, Falls City, Nebraska on October 6, 2012, as presented and to direct the City Clerk to notify the Nebraska Liquor Control Commission of the same. Gary Foster dba Spirit Shoppe is required to file a Certificate of Insurance with the City showing they carry Liquor Liability and the City of Falls City is an Additional Insured. Roll was called on this motion and the Council members voted as follows: “YEA” Ferguson, Moore, Oliver, Robidoux, Scholl, Sutter, Wisdom. “NAY” Murphy. Motion carried.

FIRST READING – ORDINANCE #2012-105, ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES: HOURS OF SALE

A motion was made by Council person Oliver and seconded by Council person Sutter to approve the first reading of Ordinance #2012-105 as follows: AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 10-316 OF THE FALLS CITY MUNICIPAL CODE; TO AMEND THE TIME THAT IS LAWFUL TO SELL ALCOHOLIC LIQUORS WITHIN THE MUNICIPALITY ON SUNDAYS; TO REPEAL CONFLICTING ORDINANCES IN SAID SECTION; TO PROVIDE FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE. Roll was called on this motion and the Council members voted as follows: “YEA” Ferguson, Oliver, Scholl, Sutter, Wisdom. “NAY” Moore, Murphy, Robidoux. Motion carried.

REQUEST – HIRE OLSSON ASSOCIATES – REVIEW CGB ADDITION, TOWLE ADDITION AND BUILDING PERMIT AND CONSTRUCTION PLANS TO BE SUBMITTED BY CGB

A motion was made by Council member Oliver and seconded by Council member Wisdom to approve the request to hire Olsson Associates to review CGB Addition, Towle Addition and the building permit and construction plans to be submitted by CGB. Roll was called on this motion and the Council members voted as follows: AYE@ Ferguson, Moore, Murphy, Oliver, Robidoux, Scholl, Sutter, Wisdom. ANAY@ None. Motion carried.

SPECIAL DESIGNATED LIQUOR LICENSE APPLICATION RICHARD A. LEMEROND – PRICHARD AUDITORIUM – SEPTEMBER 1, 2012

A motion was made by Council member Moore and seconded by Council member Sutter to give favorable comment to the Special Designated Liquor License Application submitted by Richard A. Lemerond, 2724 Harlan Street, Falls City, Nebraska, for a Family Reunion at Prichard Auditorium, 312 West 17th Street, Falls City, Nebraska on September 1, 2012, as presented and to direct the City Clerk to notify the Nebraska Liquor Control Commission of the same. Richard A. Lemerond is required to file a Certificate of Insurance with the City showing they carry Liquor Liability and the

City of Falls City is an Additional Insured. Roll was called on this motion and the Council members voted as follows: “YEA” Ferguson, Moore, Oliver, Robidoux, Scholl, Sutter, Wisdom. “NAY” Murphy. Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT
I, the undersigned, City Clerk for the City of Falls City, Nebraska, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of proceedings had and done by the Mayor and Council on August 20, 2012; that all of the subjects included in the foregoing proceedings were contained in the agenda for the meeting, kept continually current and available for public inspection at the office of the City Clerk; that such agenda items were sufficiently descriptive to give the public reasonable notice of the matters to be considered at the meeting; that such subjects were contained in said agenda for at least twenty-four hours prior to said meeting; that at least one copy of all reproducible material discussed at the meeting was available at the meeting for examination and copying by persons of the public; that the said minutes from which the foregoing proceedings have been extracted were in written form and available for public inspection within ten working days and prior to the next convened meeting of said body; that all news media requesting notification concerning meetings of said body were provided advance notification of the time and place of said meeting and the subjects to be discussed at said meeting; and that a current copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act was available and accessible to persons of the public, posted during such meeting in the room in which such meeting was held.

Gary Jorn, Clerk
Tim Hersh, Mayor

AUGUST 24, 2012
A meeting of the City Council of the City of Falls City, Nebraska, was held in said City on the 24th day of August, 2012, at 5:30 o'clock P.M. Council met in special session. Mayor Hersh called the meeting to order and City Clerk Jorn recorded the minutes of the meeting. On roll call the following Council persons were present: Moore, Murphy, Oliver, Robidoux, Sutter. Absent: Ferguson, Scholl, Wisdom. Notice of the meeting was given in advance thereof by posting in three public places, a designated method for giving notice as shown by the Certificate of Posting Notice attached to these minutes. Notice of this meeting was given to the Mayor and all persons of the Council and a copy of their acknowledgment of receipt of notice and the agenda is attached to the minutes. Availability of the agenda was communicated in the advance notice and in the notice to the Mayor and Council of this meeting. All proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public. The Mayor publicly stated to all in attendance that a current copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act was available for review and indicated.

AGENDA
A motion was made by Council person Oliver and seconded by Council person Moore to approve the Agenda with the deletion of Regular Agenda Item #1. Roll was called on this motion and the Council persons voted as follows: AYE@ Moore, Murphy, Oliver, Robidoux, Sutter. ANAY@ None. Motion carried.

FINAL READING – ORDINANCE 2012-106 ANNEXATION

Ordinance #2012-106 was read by title. A motion was made by Council person Moore and seconded by Council person Sutter to approve the final reading of Ordinance 2012-106 as follows: AN ORDINANCE TO ANNEX AND INCORPORATE WITHIN THE CITY OF FALLS CITY, NEBRASKA CERTAIN CONTIGUOUS OR ADJACENT LANDS, LOTS OR TRACTS, WHICH THE OWNERS HAVE REQUESTED IN WRITING PURSUANT TO STATUTE BE ANNEXED; TO DESCRIBE THE REAL ESTATE TO BE ANNEXED AND INCLUDED WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF FALLS CITY; TO REPEAL CONFLICTING ORDINANCES AND TO PROVIDE FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE. Roll was called on this motion and the Council persons voted as follows: AYE@ Moore, Murphy, Oliver, Robidoux, Sutter. ANAY@ None. Motion carried.

FIRST READING – ORDINANCE 2012-107 NATIONAL FLOOD INSURANCE PROGRAM

Ordinance #2012-107 was read by title. A motion was made by Council person Sutter and seconded by Council person Oliver to approve the first reading of Ordinance 2012-107 as follows: AN ORDINANCE TO MEET STATE AND FEDERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE NATIONAL FLOOD INSURANCE PROGRAM. Roll was called on this motion and the Council persons voted as follows: AYE@ Moore, Murphy, Oliver, Robidoux, Sutter. ANAY@ None. Motion carried.

APPOINTMENT – BETH SICKEL
A motion was made by Council person Robidoux and seconded by Council person Moore to approve the appointment of Beth Sickel to the Board of Adjustment and Planning Commission. Roll was called on this motion and the Council persons voted as follows: AYE@ Moore, Murphy, Oliver, Robidoux, Sutter. ANAY@ None. Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT
I, the undersigned, City Clerk for the City of Falls City, Nebraska, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of proceedings had

and done by the Mayor and Council on August 24, 2012; that all of the subjects included in the foregoing proceedings were contained in the agenda for the meeting, kept continually current and available for public inspection at the office of the City Clerk; that such agenda items were sufficiently descriptive to give the public reasonable notice of the matters to be considered at the meeting; that such subjects were contained in said agenda for at least twenty-four hours prior to said meeting; that at least one copy of all reproducible material discussed at the meeting was available at the meeting for examination and copying by persons of the public; that the said minutes from which the foregoing proceedings have been extracted were in written form and available for public inspection within ten working days and prior to the next convened meeting of said body; that all news media requesting notification concerning meetings of said body were provided advance notification of the time and place of said meeting and the subjects to be discussed at said meeting; and that a current copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act was available and accessible to persons of the public, posted during such meeting in the room in which such meeting was held. ZNEZ

Gary Jorn, Clerk
Tim Hersh, Mayor

AUGUST 22, 2012
A meeting of the City Council of the City of Falls City, Nebraska, was held in said City on the 22nd day of August, 2012, at 5:30 o'clock P.M. Council met in special session. Mayor Hersh called the meeting to order and City Clerk Jorn recorded the minutes of the meeting. On roll call the following Council persons were present: Ferguson, Moore, Murphy, Oliver, Scholl, Sutter, Wisdom. Absent: Robidoux. Notice of the meeting was given in advance thereof by posting in three public places, a designated method for giving notice as shown by the Certificate of Posting Notice attached to these minutes. Notice of this meeting was given to the Mayor and all persons of the Council and a copy of their acknowledgment of receipt of notice and the agenda is attached to the minutes. Availability of the agenda was communicated in the advance notice and in the notice to the Mayor and Council of this meeting. All proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public. The Mayor publicly stated to all in attendance that a current copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act was available for review and indicated.

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING AND BUDGET SUMMARY	
DAWSON RURAL FIRE DISTRICT IN Richardson County, Nebraska	
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Sections 13-501 to 13-513, that the governing body will meet on the 17th day of September 2012, at 7:00 o'clock P.M. at the Dawson Fire Hall for the purpose of hearing support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to the following proposed budget. The budget detail is available at the office of the Clerk during regular business hours.	
JAY ALBIN	Clerk/Secretary
2010-2011 Actual Disbursements & Transfers	\$ 14,731.43
2011-2012 Actual/Estimated Disbursements & Transfers	\$ 32,506.63
2012-2013 Proposed Budget of Disbursements & Transfers	\$ 28,500.00
2012-2013 Necessary Cash Reserve	\$ 21,458.63
2012-2013 Total Resources Available	\$ 49,958.63
Total 2012-2013 Personal & Real Property Tax Requirement	\$ 22,715.00
Unused Budget Authority Created For Next Year	\$ -
Breakdown of Property Tax:	
Personal and Real Property Tax Required for Bonds	\$ -
Personal and Real Property Tax Required for All Other Purposes	\$ 22,715.00

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING AND BUDGET SUMMARY	
FALLS CITY RURAL FIRE DISTRICT IN Richardson County, Nebraska	
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statute Sections 13-501 to 13-513, that the governing body will meet on the 17th day of September 2012, at 8:00 o'clock P.M. at the Fire Hall for the purpose of hearing support, opposition, criticism, suggestions or observations of taxpayers relating to the following proposed budget. The budget detail is available at the office of the Clerk during regular business hours.	
RICHARD MALCOLM	Clerk/Secretary
2010-2011 Actual Disbursements & Transfers	\$ 48,788.01
2011-2012 Actual/Estimated Disbursements & Transfers	\$ 73,347.38
2012-2013 Proposed Budget of Disbursements & Transfers	\$ 79,212.86
2012-2013 Necessary Cash Reserve	\$ 58,219.69
2012-2013 Total Resources Available	\$ 137,432.55
Total 2012-2013 Personal & Real Property Tax Requirement	\$ 78,194.00
Unused Budget Authority Created For Next Year	\$ -
Breakdown of Property Tax:	
Personal and Real Property Tax Required for Bonds	\$ 17,713.00
Personal and Real Property Tax Required for All Other Purposes	\$ 60,481.00

Falls City
JOURNAL
Classifieds

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WANTED

WANTED: Recycling aluminum cans, M-W-Sat., 9:30-2:30. Old N. Hwy 73 south of swimming pool, Falls City, NE. 31-tf

SERVICES

Shubert Baling
Alfalfa, Hay, Cornstalks & Straw.
Call Brent at: 402-310-7973 or
Ron at 402-883-2067. 23-TF

Piano tuning by Norman Dority, Starting September 18th, Call ahead to Lincoln, 402-488-6000. 36

WORK
WANTED

45 YEARS sewing experience, do sewing alternations, bridal and draperies, and machine quilting, 801-5003. 18-tf

Any Odd Jobs, reasonable. Call 402-245-1120. 33-37P

FOR
LEASE

3,072 sq. ft., 1210 Stone St. ,Falls City. 402-245-2808. T-2nd-e-4th-tf

FOR RENT

For sale or rent; One 3 bdrm house, Stella. Two, 1 bdrm Falls City. One, 2 bdrm Falls City. Sue Bantz rentals, 402-883-2319 or 402-245-7667. 33-tf

Pack Rat Storage, Units Available. 402-245-7236. 24-TF

816 McLean, 3 B/R, C/A, no pets, need ref. \$300 a month, plus deposit. 402-245-5536. 34-36P

For Rent; 1 - one bdrm apt. and 1 -two bdrm apt., Novak Realty, 402-245-3242. 34-36

Our condo/home on South Padre Island Tx. is available for monthly rental in Nov. and Dec. Escape to warmer climate and experience island living. Ph Brenda 402 801 0633 or email bren-da.padre@gmail.com for information. 34-38

CARDS OF
THANKS

I want to thank everyone for the cards, flowers, calls, and hospital visits during and since my hospitalization. I especially want to thank Family Practice, Bryan LGH Hospital, and it's staff, Dr. Ghandi, Dr. Rapp and most of all my sons, John and Jerry, and their family. It was very much appreciated. Teresa Chab 36P

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FAIRVIEW
EXPRESS,
INC.

is looking for Qualified over the road drivers for our Pneumatic Division. CDL is required.

Please apply in person at the Corp. Office in Seneca, KS.

We offer an Excellent pay package with many bonuses. Call 866-742-2651, 785-336-3025, Or 785-336-3302. Drug Testing Required

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FAIRVIEW EXPRESS, INC.

has a position Open for a Yard Hostler at our Fairview, KS location. This position is for the day shift, Sunday through Thursday And every other Saturday.

Please apply in person at the Corp. Office in Seneca, KS. Or call 866-742-2651, 785-336-3025 or 785-336-3302.

We offer an Excellent pay package with many bonuses.

Fairview Express, Inc.
604 Nemaha, Seneca, Ks 66538
Drug Testing Required

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Fairview Express, Inc.

Has an opening for a local driver, to work out of our Fairview, Ks location in our Pneumatic Division. The successful candidate must have a CDL and a good driving Record. This position will be second shift, and weekends will be required. Salary commensurate with experience. Benefits include paid Holidays, paid vacation, health insurance, and IRA.

Contact: Fairview Express, Inc.
866-742-2651 or 785-336-3025

Or apply in person at: 604 Nemaha Street, Seneca, KS 66538
Drug Testing Required

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Fairview Express, Inc.

Has an opening for a Local Driver in our Livestock Division. Benefits include:

- *Competitive Wage
- *Cell Phone Allowance
- *Health Insurance
- *Individual Retirement Acct.
- *Paid Vacation
- *Safety Bonus
- *Home most nights & weekends

Contact: 866-742-2651
785-336-3025 Or apply in person at:
604 Nemaha Street Seneca, Ks
Drug Testing Required

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Part-time Bartender/Cook evenings at the Hitch'n Post Bar and Grill in Stella. Call Tracy or Deb at 883-2300 or 883-2456. Experience preferred but not required. 36-37

The Lincoln Journal Star

has early morning newspaper delivery routes available in Falls City. Please call Alyssa at 402-473-7164. 36-38

HIGHLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE IS LOOKING FOR THREE
DYNAMIC INDIVIDUALS TO JOIN THE HCC IT TEAM!

Database Administrator - Responsibilities include oversight of multiple SQL databases and creating/maintaining institutional reports. Bachelors in Computer Science/Information Systems preferred. Related experience desired. Must have experience utilizing Microsoft SQL Server and T-SQL. Position based in Highland, Kansas.

IT Technician - Will support desktop, network, and web content related issues on the Highland Campus in Highland, Kansas. Associate or technical school degree preferred. Certification in Microsoft and/or A+ desired. Experience diagnosing/resolving PC software and hardware related issues. Experience with basic web terminology.

Regional IT Technician - Will support desktop and network related issues at the HCC Technical Center in Atchison, Kansas, and at the College's other off campus locations. May be based in Highland or Atchison. Associate or technical school degree preferred. Certification in Microsoft and/or A+ desired. Experience diagnosing/resolving PC software and hardware related issues.

These are exciting opportunities for the right individuals! You will become a valued member of a small but creative and innovative team. Successful candidates will have solid teaming and communication skills, and the versatility to learn new technology skill sets.

Positions are all full-time with benefits. Request application packet for each position you are interested in from HCC Human Resources, 606 W. Main, Highland, KS 66035; 785/442-6010; egronniger@highlandcc.edu<mailto:egronniger@highlandcc.edu> EOE.

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Industrial MaintenanceEngineer

Wenger Mfg Inc, a recognized worldwide leader in the extrusion cooking industry, is accepting applications for an Industrial Maintenance Engineer.

This position requires the following:

- Apply technical knowledge and skills to troubleshoot, repair and maintain CNC industrial machinery.
- Self motivated, hard working attitude
- Attention to detail
- Ability to interact and communicate effectively with others

Responsibilities include setting up and operating machine tools such as lathe, grinder, drill and milling machines to fabricate machine parts, fixtures and tools.

Ideal candidate will have an Advanced Systems Technology degree with 1 year experience in the industry.

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City Council

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ing could be converted into a new City Hall. The clinic building would require some remodeling and renovation.

The council had investigated renovations at City Hall, which is a converted armory. But structural issues arose and the price tag for improvements soared.

The large clinic building would accommodate all city offices and the Falls City Police Department. The Fire Department would remain at 1820 Towle.

Any purchase could be financed with a loan from the Utility Department or with capital improvement funds.

Prior to the Tuesday, Sept. 4 (Labor Day holiday), members of the Planning Commission, chaired by Marty Froeschl, met at City Hall and held three public hearings, each regarding the proposed Consolidated Grain and Barge project in southwest Falls City. Attorney Mike Dunn was present to provide legal guidance.

Dunn said he believes “all easements have been met” on the 162-acres of farm ground where the CGB facility would locate. “This meets all requirements” in the Towle Addition (approximately 5 acres of the land), said Froeschl. The Commission voted unanimously to approve the plat, as well as that for the CGB Addition (the remaining 157 acres).

The third public hearing involved changing the zoning for the land from agricultural to industrial. This, too, received the support of the Commission and all are recommended for City Council action (Sept. 17 meeting).

Several citizens attended the Commission meeting, most expressing reservations about the project, especially in the fast-track pace it has taken. Fred Brewer, a member of the Commission, said he felt as if “a lot has not been covered,” and Froeschl seemed to agree, saying the CGB project “could have been better explained” to the public.

“However,” Froeschl said, “it appears all legal issues have been addressed” and the Commission had no reason to not recommend the platting and zoning changes to the council. The owners of those properties requested the changes.

Discussion also centered on the Blight and Substandard study that was conducted on the property, which was also recommended for council approve.

The council was to meeting in special session Monday, Sept. 10, to act on this portion of the project.

At the end of the Commission meeting, Froeschl thanked Charlene Schuetz for her service as a member. He said she has been “good for the committee and good for the community.”

In other developments Tuesday, the council:

—Heard departmental reports from Clerk/Treasurer Gary Jorn. He said the Aquatic Park was to close for the season after the Labor Day weekend. Jorn reported increased patronage and revenue at the swimming complex. He thanked Dorothy Towle and Southeast Nebraska Communications for again providing shuttle service to swimmers. Jorn also thanked city employee Randy Miller for the work he did at Grandview Park. The new ballpark was “very well received” at the first FCHS softball game there. Camper activity at Stanton Lake was significantly higher through the spring and summer, Jorn said, although Candlelight Cabin saw a decrease in use. Jorn said the Dallas Jones Park ballpark work is “right on schedule,” a new directory has been installed at Steele Cemetery (the previous one was destroyed) and that the Main Street project is “about a day behind” schedule because of a heavy weekend rainfall.

Main Street’s current phase is due for completion on Oct. 31. The public is asked to avoid the area so that the workers can do their jobs. Mayor Tim Hersh said citizens are welcome to “take a look” but not to the point they interfere with the work.

—Acted to approve the second reading of an ordinance that increases the Sunday hours when alcohol can be sold in Falls City, and the final reading of a National Flood Insurance Program ordinance and a Library Board ordinance.

—Tabled until the Police Department can review a proposed ordinance that would allow city residents to drive all-terrain vehicles within the city limits to their farms.

—Will obtain a waiver if needed and allow a bonfire behind Frederick’s Auction building on Wednesday, Sept. 19. The request was from Sherry Maddox, Mary Jo Huettnner and Jamie Frederick, representing Falls City High School senior football parents. The Falls City Fire Department will be on the scene. Fire Chief Ken Simpson is in support of the event, the organizers said. Concerns were raised because of the drought conditions.

Cousins excel in 4-H activities

Cousins Chris Yoesel and Levi Lehmkuhl have had much in common through their years growing up.

Chris, son of Steve and Vicky Yoesel, rural Falls City, and Levi, son of Richard and Susan Lehmkuhl, who live just across the Nebraska-Kansas Stateline, rural Hiawatha, were 2012 high school graduates, both with honors and earning scholarships.

They have both been very active members of the Town and Country 4-H Club, serving as club officers, engaged in many community activities and representatives on the 4-H Council for two-year terms.

Each has exhibited a variety of static projects, although their favorite livestock projects have been showing cattle at spring shows, 4-H Junior Fair, Nebraska State Fairs and Ak-Sar-Ben. These past years, Levi has enjoyed his swine projects and Chris his goat projects as being fun and educational for both. They have been recipients of medals in Showmanship, Livestock Judging, Champion animals and other honors in their 10 years in 4-H (beef, swine and goats).

Chris, Levi and Levi’s dad, Richard, a sponsor, attended the 4-H Citizenship Washington Focus trip in June of 2011, with educational experiences in New York City and the Capitol area.

Both cousins were very active in their FFA District and State contests. Offices held were vice president, reporter, historian and both were presidents in 2011-12, Chris in the Falls City Chapter and Levi in the Hiawatha Chapter. At their FFA State Conventions in 2012,



Cousins Chris Yoesel, left, and Levi Lehmkuhl

Chris and Levi both received the State FFA Degree, the highest award State FFA members can achieve.

During their high school years, both played football at their high schools. Levi also was in the band, chorus, KAYS, FCA and National Honor Society. Chris was in band, chorus, enjoyed being a member of Applderas Show Choir and its many competitions and trips, and was an Honor Roll student for four years.

Chris was an active member in Boy Scouts, earning the highest honor as an Eagle Scout in 2011.

Future plans are for college, with Chris at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln majoring in agricultural business and broadcasting, and Levi attending Southeast Community College

in Beatrice, majoring in agribusiness and feed science.

They have had many wonderful sharing and fun experiences as cousins these past 18 years. And notched another great experience at the 2012 Nebraska State Fair. Chris’ entry into the Division V Market Heifers Class 23 (Wt. 1124-987 lbs.) earned first place purple, while Levi’s entry in the same division placed second.

Their proud grandparents are Clarence and Doris Yoesel and Leonard and Mary Ann Rieschick, Falls City, and Larry and Karen Lehmkuhl, Hiawatha. Their uncles are Don Yoesel and Paul Yoesel, and Tony Rieschick. Levi has a sister, Amanda Lehmkuhl.

All express their congratulations.

Observe the Moon Night

Amateur astronomers and those more serious about the vocation are invited to Observe the Moon Night to be held Saturday, Sept. 22, at Stanton Lake Park beginning at dusk.

This is an unsupervised event and families will be responsible for children.

Some interesting “Moon” facts:

- The age of the oldest rock collected from the Moon is 4.5 billion years old.
- The Moon’s deepest craters are 15,000 feet.
- From Earth, we always see the same side of the Moon.
- The Moon is not round, but egg shaped with the large end pointed towards Earth.
- The Moon has no significant atmosphere or clouds.
- Some people believe that moonlight causes insanity. “Don’t stare at the Moon. You’ll go crazy.”
- The word “lunatic” comes from when doctors thought that the insane were “moonstruck.”
- Only 12 people have ever walked on the surface of the Moon.
- There are two high tides and two low tides every day on every beach on Earth, because of the Moon’s pull.

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