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Richardson County Fair opening this Wednesday with Coronation Program

The always-colorful Coronation program Wednesday evening, Sept. 14, at 7 o'clock on the Humboldt City park stage will kick off three days of the Richardson County Fair and Humboldt Fall Festival.

The identity of the king and queen will not be known until their crowning by Hunter Arterburn, Director of Operations, Programming and Sports at radio station, B103 and Big Apple News Radio.

The king is selected by the Humboldt Chamber of Commerce. The queen is selected by the buying public who vote at Humboldt are retail stores belonging to the Humboldt Chamber.

The program theme is "Country Days, American Ways".

Parades will be held at 11 o'clock each day of the fair and will feature area high school bands, organizational and business floats.

Judging of Ag products' food, crafts and clothing, textiles, photography and flowers will be at the Ag Building on Thursday.

Southeast Community band will play a concert at 6:30 PM on Thursday.

Ak-Sar-Ben-Good Neighbor Farm Family awards will be presented at 7:30. 100-year Pioneer Farm Family Awards will be presented to Bernice Matthes of Falls City and Polly Porr Duryea of Humboldt. 150-year awards will go to Anthony and Janet A Ahern, Elizabeth Dunn and Andrew D. Dunn and Nicole M Dunn, Hazel

L Luginbill da Silva and Frances J. Luginbill Warner.

Poultry entries will be judged on Friday at the Livestock Center. A street dance will be held at 9:30 on Friday.

On Saturday, cattle will be judged at the Livestock Center, as will horses.

Free acts will be held on the stage all three days as follows:

Thursday at 2PM and 8PM BLEND, which mixes great music of yesterday with today's comedy.

Friday at 2PM High Heel, featuring performers who had their start in Richardson County. At 8PM, the well-known Wissmann Family will entertain.

Saturday shows at 2 and 8PM will feature Riverrock. The band's music is to bring back classic country and rock sounds of the 60's and 70's with contemporary songs.

The DC Lynch Shows carnival will be open all four days around the Square.

In the voting for County Queen, Cheree Abbott is back in first place, with 59,713,210 after she had dropped to third place last week.

Chloe Workman isn't far behind with 59,228,852; Lauren Patzel, 42,298,888; Aly Bangert, 32,355,204; Thea Schulenberg, 5,861,370; Logan Standerford, 5,332,433; Camille Svoboda, 3,468,652; Victoria Worthey, 864,270; Grace Pumel, 450,630; Hannah Henneger, 382,424.



Colonial Acres and 'Be The Match' honor Jentry Schell with Bone Marrow Registry Drive-12-year old Jentry was diagnosed with leukemia in February 2015. (Photo from Facebook)

Colonial Acres of Humboldt will be sponsoring a Bone Marrow Registration Drive in collaboration with "Be The Match, an organization that is the first step to being the cure for patients with blood cancers like leukemia and other marrow diseases."

During the Richardson County Fair in Humboldt, donors can take the first step to save a life by joining the Be The Match Registry at the Colonial Acres booth, located in the City Square Park. You can sign up anytime between 12:00 Noon - 8:00pm. The drive is sponsored in honor of Jentry Schell, 12 year-old daughter of Colonial Acres Assisted Living Manager, Jennifer Schell and her husband Jon of Wymore, Ne-

braska. Jentry was diagnosed with leukemia on February 10, 2015 and has been receiving treatment at Children's Hospital in Omaha. During her treatment, her family has met several children who have benefitted from bone marrow transplants and Jentry and her family want to help find a cure for these life-threatening diseases.

A marrow/stem cell transplant is a life-saving treatment for people with aplastic anemia, leukemia and many other blood related diseases. For the procedure to be successful, the patient needs a donor who is a genetic match. 70% of the time, patient's family mem-

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The picture above is the Beatrice, Nebraska range and would represent the proposed facility.

Southeast Gun Club, Inc. raising funds to build a five trap house range

The Southeast Gun Club, Inc. is raising funds to build a 5 trap house range on the East side of the Falls City Jaycee's Field south of Falls City. The amount to be raised is \$150,000. The Falls City Jaycees has agreed to let the Gun Club build the range on their site. Additional ground needed to facilitate the project has also been approved by land owner Cory Snethen. All agreements will be long term (50 years or more).

The Range will be built to Amateur Trapshooting Association (www.shootata.com) specifications, which will add the possibility of holding ATA shoots. There are plans to hold weekly Men's/Women's leagues in the spring and fall of the year. The Club will have annual memberships available to purchase. This will allow a member to shoot at a reduced fee. The range will also be open to the public on to be determined times and available for rent for private events. The fee's structure is under development at this time. The Falls City Trap Team will use the range for practicing for their shoots.

Along with the trap houses, a Clubhouse addition to the existing concession stand is also planned. The Clubhouse will be used during trap shoots for registration and a place for coaches, participants, and spectators

to gather. It will also be used for Youth Hunter's Education and Youth Bow Hunter's Education. It could also serve as the site for local Concealed Carry classes among many other functions. Currently, the sport of trap shooting is one of the fastest growing sports among High School athletes. At the Cornhusker Trapshoot (www.cornhusker-trap.com) , held in Doniphan, Nebraska, they have set participant records for the last 4 consecutive years. The total number of shooters at the 2016 shoot was 2,584. The Falls City Trap Team currently has 25 participants, and hopes to grow with the addition of the new facility.

Clay Target Target shooting is the third fastest growing sport, 7.7 million people participated in target shooting in 1996; 3.7 million people participated in Trap and /or Skeet in 1996; 15.4 percent are between the ages 25 - 34. Average days of participation is 8.4.

There will be a donor board established with the following levels:

Level Amount: 12 gauge \$25,000 and over*; 16 gauge \$10,000-\$24,999; 20 gauge \$5,000-\$9,999; 28 gauge \$1,000-\$4999; 410 gauge \$1-\$999; *With a donation of \$25,000 or more a traphouse will be named in the donor's honor.

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Fifteen years ago the world changed. Our country most certainly and dramatically changed on that Tuesday morning and in all of the days since. Terrorism wasn't new. There had been attacks throughout the world before Sept. 11, 2001, and such incidents have only escalated in their regularity and brutality. But in terms of sheer destruction and loss of innocent lives, 9/11 is singular. 9/11 wasn't a term before it became one. And now there's not an adult in the civilized world who doesn't know exactly what it means.

In the days when the *Journal* was able to afford wire service (*UPI*, then *AP*), we would fairly routinely get alerts in the form of bells ringing from the wire. Those bells signified important breaking news. But by 2001, we'd had to drop *AP* service because it had become so expensive. No more bells; no more breaking alerts.

In those days, we published on Tuesdays and Fridays. Publishing days were sometimes a bit frantic as we worked to put the paper to bed and prepare it for printing. As I recall, that was the situation in our office when the attacks took place. None of us had an inkling of what was happening in New York City, at the Pentagon and in that hijacked airliner over Pennsylvania. Our attention was focused on the tasks at hand. The office didn't have a TV set and any radios we had were off. We did have computers, though.

Word of the developing tragedy came from an office visitor, CPA Bob Aitken, who, I think had other business in the *Journal* office and wondered what we thought about what was happening in NYC. We didn't have a clue. Bob may have known about the attack on the Pentagon, too. I just don't remember. Of course, we were all shocked. There was initial speculation that the first airliner crash into a World Trade Center tower was an accident. When a second airliner gouged the other tower and the plane hit the Pentagon, it became clear that these were not accidents. They were premeditated strikes designed to cripple our country and cause as much damage and loss of life as possible.

Some of us went home, briefly, to watch television video and reporting. In our office, three of us worried specifically about my sister, Laurie, and her daughter, Lissie, New York City residents. We figured Laurie had arrived at her workplace, but didn't know for sure how close that was to the Trade Center.

Turns out, Laurie had taken her usual subway route into the heart of the city and walked part-way to her office when she noticed the billowing smoke from about 50 blocks away. She had no idea about what was happening. Along the way, she approached a group of obviously alarmed people who were lining the sidewalks observing what they could from a long distance. Laurie asked what was going on. A woman volunteered that there had been an accident; that a plane had hit the Trade Center.

Laurie hustled up to her office, where co-workers were huddled near radios. When the second plane hit the Trade Center, they all knew this was not accidental. But it was unthinkable — so hard to process.

New York City and the Capital, amid chaos, eventually shut down. And phone lines exploded. In her office, Laurie had Internet service, which she described as a "lifeline." The decision to make was: try our luck getting home or stay in the office. The Empire State Building was close by. Would it be next? More and more staff in Laurie's office decided to try to get home. So did she. After a long, long walk she finally arrived at a subway hub, where a police officer said the trains were running again. She arrived home and she and daughter Lis stayed glued to the TV. They got word to those of us at the *Journal* office that they were okay. We heard from many others in the NYC area who had local ties.

Again, I'm not sure how we got it, but the paper had a report in that Tuesday edition of the terrorist attacks. It came from *The Washington Post*. My best guess is that Jason Schock, who had technical skills way beyond the rest of us in the office, retrieved the *Post* story later in the day and received permission to use it. We also provided as much information as we could about those local connections in NYC.

Later we learned who was responsible for the attacks. A terrorist group called Al Qaeda had sent members into the U.S. They had taken flying lessons and were able to hijack and guide four airliners, three of which hit their marks, while the fourth crashed after passengers revolted. The ringleader of this group was Osama bin Laden, a wealthy and radical man from Saudi Arabia. As the late Jonathan Winters would have said, bin Laden observed the attacks in a safe place far away, through very heavy lenses. The majority of the hijackers who commandeered the planes were Saudi, too.

Bin Laden remained at large for nearly 10 years. He was traced to a large compound in Pakistan. President Obama gave the green light to a Navy Seals mission that resulted in bin Laden's death on May 1-2, 2011.

Al Qaeda is still active, certainly in places like Afghanistan. In other regions, the Islamic State has created death, misery and havoc. Those are just two examples of terrorist groups at work in the world. There are others, including the Taliban. We are at war with them, wherever we can find them.

I'm not sure how this War on Terrorism ever ends. And, for me, that's the major concern. The very major concern. We've seen attacks in Paris, Brussels, London, Germany, Italy, Spain, Libya, San Bernardino and Orlando, to name a few, and, of course, the constant battles and bombings in Syria, Iraq, Libya and Afghanistan, to name a few. The enemy is radicalized and they not only hate the Western world, they hate Muslims who don't agree with them; who are from a different sect or tribe; who practice Islam in a different way.

Can we kill them all? Doubtful. Because they are fanatics. We're not going to bomb them out of their beliefs or their children's beliefs. Many radical Islamists (and I'm not convinced they are really all that religious) believe they've been treated unfairly and blame the West for that. They might want to look at their own origins, and their own leaders. Their own educational systems and the fact that, for the most part, they've remained stuck in the 7th Century.

The World Trade Center, Pentagon and Pennsylvania attacks resulted in the U.S. declaration of the War on Terror. That took us into Iraq and Afghanistan — and elsewhere. It appears to me we are there to stay, in one form or another. The result: even more loss of American lives and God knows the costs to our economic well-being. We now have a political system that is broken, polarized. That started before the attacks, but has vastly intensified since. Polarization has spread to the Nebraska Unicameral, which is supposed to operate as non-partisan and compromising. In Washington, partisanship is, and has been for years, out of control and damaging.

Obviously, we have to be careful. But we cannot change who we are. This is a free country. We don't discriminate, or should not, on the basis of religion, race or ethnic origin. Certainly, we should be guarded. But if the attacks and the 15 years since change the very fabric of our country, the terrorists have won.



Partisan politics, debates and complaints

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

The last time I checked, the Nebraska Legislature was a nonpartisan Unicameral. Although nobody is officially counting, Republicans outnumber Democrats by better than 4-to-1. The beauty of the non-partisanship is that many senators don't vote "party" lines.

Why then does Governor Pete Ricketts insert himself in races where Republicans are running against Republicans? Is he trying to build a coalition of "yes men" after the embarrassment of losing several major issues last year to veto overrides? Or does he just not understand the concept of separation of powers?

The incumbent chairs of the Agriculture and Judiciary Committees, both Republicans, are battling challengers with a Ricketts' endorsement. There appears to be no other reason than the governor's dislike of the way they voted on certain issues. Both challengers have vowed to oppose the things the governor opposes and support the things he supports. Well, so much for independent thought.

Ricketts' latest endorsement came for Bruce Bostelman of Brainard for the legislative seat now held by Sen. Jerry Johnson of Wahoo. Johnson, chair of the Agriculture Committee, voted for veto overrides on an increase in the state gas tax and granting driver's licenses to young immigrants. He voted to repeal the death penalty, but not for the override on that issue. One can assume Johnson voted his conscience and had his own reasons for supporting the overrides. Good for him. That's separation of powers.

Oh, and Bostelman says if he is elected, he'll oppose tax increases, fight attempts to give public benefits to illegal immigrants and support efforts to retain the death penalty. Isn't that convenient, for the governor. Johnson said he's frustrated that the governor is throwing away Johnson's leadership for agriculture and making the Legislature more of a partisan body. He said the endorsement is "overreach by the executive branch."

In April, Ricketts endorsed Steve Halloran of Hastings in his bid to unseat Sen. Les Seiler of Hastings, chairman of the Legislature's Judiciary Committee. Joined in the endorsement by Lt. Gov. Mike Foley, the governor said Halloran is "a conservative Republican who is committed to growing Nebraska, reducing the growth of government spending and easing our tax burden." Not surprisingly, he said the same things about Bostelman.

Seiler said Ricketts' opposition to him is based on his nonpartisan votes to override several of the governor's vetoes. "I guess he doesn't like me," Seiler told the Lincoln Journal Star. "I do what I think is right," he said. "I never do check on whether who is on my side is Republican or Democrat."

Meanwhile, a former state senator from northwest Nebraska's sprawling 43rd District, has filed a challenge with the Secretary of State against the residency of candidate Tom Brewer who is running against incumbent Al Davis of Hyannis. Both men are registered Republicans. LeRoy Loudon of Alliance claims that Brewer actually lives in Murdock and not Gordon as he claims. Brewer, a retired military colonel, said he has a three-bedroom cabin inside what appears to be a machine shed in the Sheridan

County community.

Brewer counters that Davis also owns a home near Lincoln. Sorry, sir, a number of outstate lawmakers have found it more economically feasible to own homes in Lincoln rather than rent. For his part, Davis probably puts more miles on his car than any of his colleagues because of frequent weekend trips to his district. Davis and Brewer will debate at least three times in various locations in the district before the November election.

The Secretary of State's Office will study Loudon's 17 pages of documents, including county tax documents that list no bedrooms or bathrooms in the machine shed and state motor vehicle records that show that Brewer's driver's license lists his home address as Murdock. He also included a copy of the \$120 check

Brewer wrote to pay his candidate filing fee in February that lists a Murdock address.

Interesting pre-election drama adding to the on-going saga of Senator Bill Kintner of Papillion who refuses to resign after admitting to using a state computer to engage in cybersex.

And then there's Dick Clark, a legislative candidate from southwest Lincoln who was recently ticketed on suspicion of DUI, failing to signal a turn, and refusing chemical and breath tests to determine his blood-alcohol content. He has admitted to drinking at a social event and then "making the unwise decision" to drive home.

One can hardly wait to see the next act unfold when lawmakers get back to work in January.

J.L. Schmidt has been covering Nebraska government and politics since 1979. He has been a registered Independent for 17 years.

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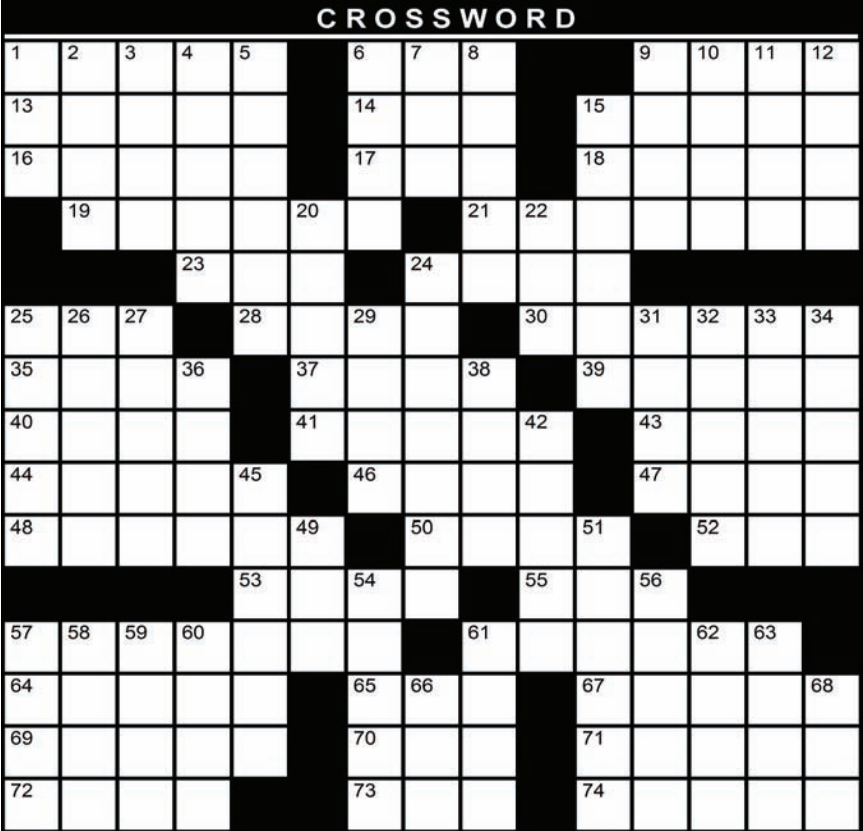
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- Wild feline
- Bipolar disorder phase
- Santa _____, CA
- Like a Druid, e.g.
- Mountain climber's spike
- Roulette bet
- "Bravo! Bravo!"
- *"A Tale of Two _____"
- *E. L. Doctorow novel
- Feeling blue
- Bona fide
- "Big Brother" network
- Rubik's puzzle
- Real life "Citizen Kane"
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- Wine container
- Charted record
- Beauty salon straightener
- Like unspoken agreement
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- Low-cal
- Surfer's stop
- Outdoor stone seating
- They got their revenge?
- Dunce
- Gunk
- Public Enemy's music
- *"Wuthering _____" (E. Brontë)
- *Dreiser's "Sister _____" or King's "_____"
- Matter of debate
- *"On _____ Majesty's Secret Service" (Ian Fleming)
- *"For Whom the Bell _____" (E. Hemingway)
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- Litigant
- Dreaming stage of sleep
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- Civil unrest, pl.
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- New Mexico art colony
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- Tangerine grapefruit hybrid
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- Long John Silver's appendage
- Something concluded
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- Officially cancel
- *Reason for punishment (F. Dostoyevsky)
- Laundry booster
- Mushroom's reproductive structure
- Canaanite deity
- Mars, to the Greeks
- Fraction, e.g.
- Plural of sputum
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- *"The Famous Five" author _____ Blyton
- *"The _____ Runner" (K. Hosseini)
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- Movie trailer, e.g.
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\$150 Million of Property Tax Relief!

Bob Rauner, MD, MPH

Nebraskans deserve significant property tax relief next legislative session! By significant, I mean a property tax relief bill of more than \$150 million dollars. The past few years our politicians have promised property tax relief, but so far we have only seen token success that saves the average Nebraska tax payer the equivalent of less than a tank of gas. Policymakers keep pointing out other states with lower property taxes, but fail to recognize why Nebraska is so reliant on property taxes to fund education.

Nebraska relies too much on property taxes mainly because we have given away too many sales tax exemptions to special interests and failed to keep pace with other states on our excise taxes on cigarettes. Just two simple corrections would provide more than \$150 million in funding to lower our schools' dependence on local property taxes. Doing this would protect funding for education and provide significant property tax relief, especially for farmers who desperately need it due to falling income from lower commodity prices and retirees on a fixed income.

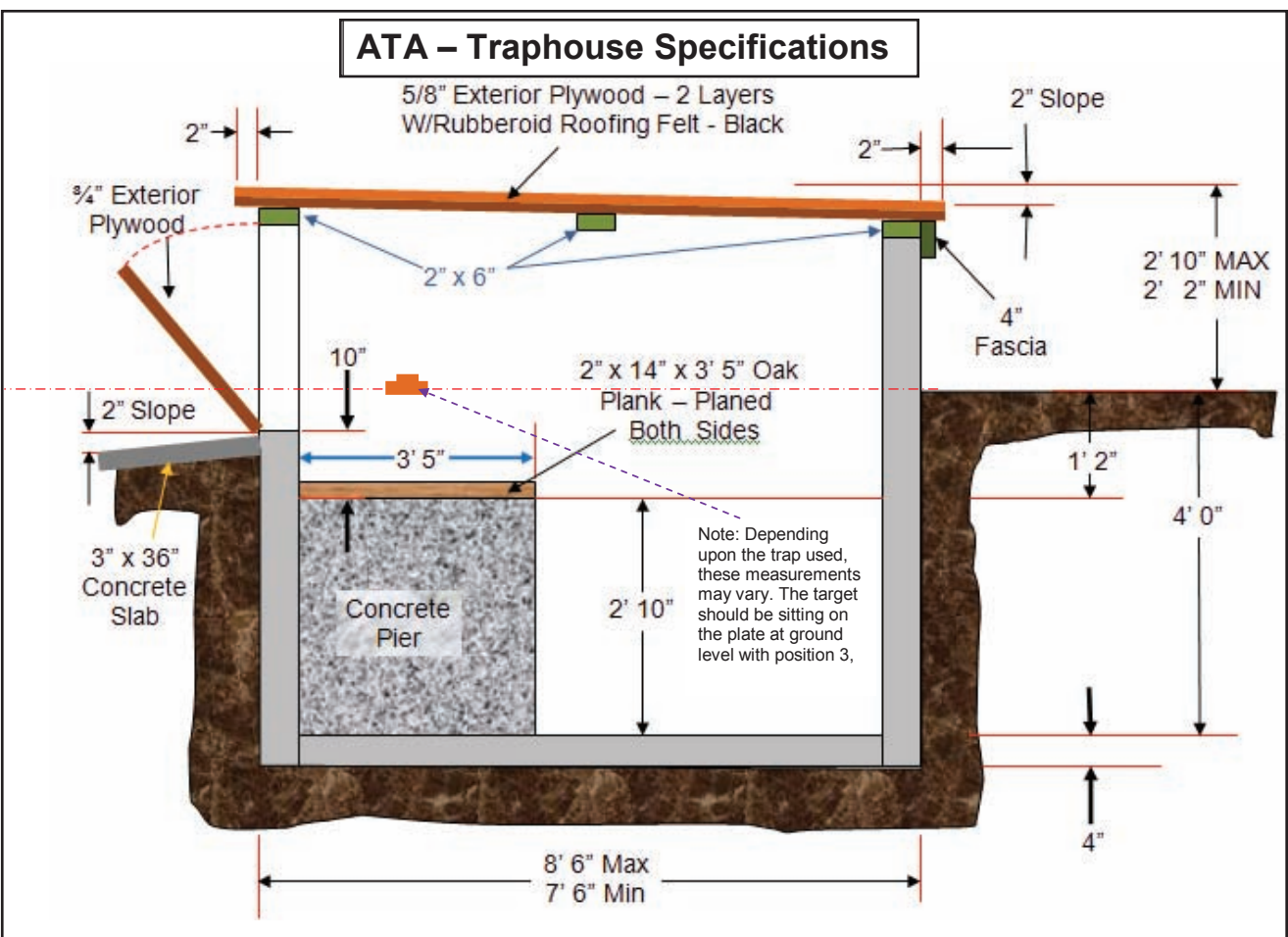
The first change is adjusting our excise tax on tobacco to keep pace with other states. Last year Senator Mike Gloor introduced LB 1013 which would have increased our excise tax on cigarettes to \$2.14 per pack. This is closer to other states across the country and would have provided more than \$135 million a year in revenue, most of which would have been earmarked for property tax relief. It was supported by education associations, the Farm Bureau and all of the state's health associations. Despite Senator Gloor prioritizing the bill, the session ended before it came to a vote.

The second change is removing the sales tax exemption on soda, energy drinks and junk food. Several years ago, former Senator Bill Avery proposed removing the sales tax exemption for soda and energy drinks which would have raised more than \$12 million a year in revenue. The funding in that bill would have gone to school health projects across the state. The bill never made it out of committee due to intense beverage industry lobbying.

The reason for this exemption is an oversight in Nebraska law which includes soda and energy drinks under the definition of food, which is exempt from sales taxes in Nebraska. No health professional would consider soda to be food and neither do most other states. The state of Colorado fixed this misclassification several years ago, and also took junk food and candy out of their definition of food. Following Colorado's lead would push the amount to over \$15 million a year.

Readjusting our excise taxes on tobacco and removing soda, energy drinks, candy and junk food from the definition of food would raise more than \$150 million a year to give Nebraskan's significant property tax relief. If we want to go really big, we could even consider a 1.5 cent an ounce tax on soda and energy drinks like the city of Philadelphia just passed. That would add another \$150 million a year raising more than \$300 million annually for property tax relief. Just imagine how much that would do to correct our state's imbalance between sales and property taxes! Instead of tax relief amounting to half a tank of gas, that would be tax relief of hundreds of dollars per household.

Enacting these policies in next year's legislative session would protect education funding for a generation, provide direly needed property tax relief for our farmers struggling with declining commodity prices and help our seniors on a fixed income. If this proposal makes sense to you, contact your state senator or the candidates running in your district. They set their priorities based on what they hear from you, the state's voters. Send them an email, give them a call or ask them about it when they come knocking on your door in the next few months.



The Range will be built to Amateur Trapshooting Association (www.shootata.com) specifications.

SE Gun Club raising funds to build five trap house range

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Members of the board hope to promote shooting sports in our area for both children and adults.

"Years ago there was a trap range with one house located in Falls City, and we would like to restart it," said Ray Joy.

Board members include, Ray Joy, Shawn Fouraker, Brian Kirkdenall,

Building Permits

Gene Ramer, 1723 McLean St.; demo garage, \$0.

Mike Pickard, 2517 Barada St.; siding and trim, \$13,000.00.

Pat Beer, 817 Stone St.; addition to current shop, \$3,000.00.

Bradley Albu, 1110 East 17th St.; apron and driveway, \$9,000.00.

Gene Ramer, 1723 McLean St.; shed, \$1,000.00.

Marc Morehead, Jim Jones, Kevin Taft and Ty Gilkerson. David Goff of the Falls City Jaycees is also working with the board.

The board is hoping to have the funds raised by the end of 2016; with completion of the project taking place in the summer of 2017.

To give support to Southeast Nebraska Gun Club, Inc. with a tax deductible gift or pledge, send check payable to The Richardson

Foundation. Please write Gun Club in the memo field of your check. Include your name, address, e-mail, and phone number.

Please return your pledge form to W&D's Auto Care or mail to Southeast Nebraska Gun Club, 1209 McLean Street, Falls City, NE 68355. If you have any questions, please feel free to call Ray Joy at 402-245-8204.

Fall is a good time for weed control in your lawn and on your farm

If you have troublesome perennial or biennial weeds in your lawn or in non-crop areas around your farm, fall is a good time for control. In lawns, now is an excellent time to eliminate perennials, such as dandelions, plantain, clover, and ground ivy.

This time of year perennial weeds are transporting carbohydrates and energy to the crowns and roots for storage over the winter. Herbicides applied to weeds now should be transported down to the roots where it will act to kill those roots. In the fall, weeds have less wax on the surface so absorption is greater into the plant. Even if weeds survive an application of herbicide in the fall, they are often weakened and killed by the cold temperatures of winter.

The application of growth regulator herbicides, most of which are 2, 4-D based, will do an excellent job this time of year in reducing lawn weeds. Most herbicides used around the yard for broadleaf weeds will contain both 2, 4-D and Banvel (dicamba).

Some of several commercial herbicides used for broadleaf weed control include: 2, 4-D, Banvel, Weed-Be-Gone, Trimec Plus, and Trimec Classic.

A very difficult weed to kill is field bindweed. Bindweed should be treated when the plant has vigorous fall growth. The application

of one quart of 2, 4-D or one quart of 2, 4-D and ½ pint of Banvel per acre is recommended.

This won't kill all the bindweed out, but it will reduce your infestation. You should plan on treating the bindweed for several years before you completely eliminate it. You can also spot treat areas with Roundup (glyphosate) this time of year, but it will kill your grass as well.

For winter annuals or biennials, an application in the rosette stage of growth is recommended. Herbicides should be applied after rains to actively growing weeds for best control. Some of the weeds that fall into this category include field pennycress, common mullein, bull thistle and musk thistle. Good control of musk thistle can be obtained in October and November. Ideally herbicide should be applied close to a hard frost. Research in Iowa indicated effective control was

achieved using 2, 4-D with applications made after several nights when temperatures fell below 32 degrees. With the leaves of musk thistle close to the soil surface, the plant is protected from freezing temperatures. Daytime temperatures in the 50's are satisfactory for control. The addition of Banvel to 2, 4-D provides better weed control as temperatures get colder. If it gets really cold before you get a chance to spray and thistles may be dormant, use Tordon 22K because it has residual activity up until next spring.

The use of herbicides without good cultural practices will usually give poor weed control. Be sure to read and follow label directions when using herbicides in your lawn or non-cropland. If you have other questions on weed control, contact me at the University of Nebraska Extension office in the lower level of the courthouse at 1824 N in Auburn (402) 274-4755.

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YOUNKER - Ted and Kayla Younker, of Crete, NE proudly announce the birth of their son, Theodore Alan. Theo was born on June 28, at 9:17 p.m. at Bryan Hospital, Lincoln. He weighed in at 9 lbs. and was 21.5 inches long. Grandparents are Ted and Diane Younker of Falls City, Jim and Marilyn Heitman of Wilber and Jeff and Karen Uhing of Tekamah.

Be the match and honor Jentry

(Continued from Page 1)

Colonial Acres of Humboldt will be sponsoring a Bone Marrow Registration Drive in collaboration with “Be The Match, an organization that is the first step to being the cure for patients with blood cancers like leukemia and other marrow diseases.”

During the Richardson County Fair in Humboldt, donors can take the first step to save a life by joining the Be The Match Registry at the Colonial Acres booth, located in the City Square Park. You can sign up anytime between 12:00 Noon - 8:00pm. The drive is sponsored in honor of Jentry Schell, 12 year-old daughter of Colonial Acres Assisted Living Manager, Jennifer Schell and her husband Jon of Wymore, Nebraska. Jentry was diagnosed with leukemia on February 10, 2015 and has been receiving treatment at Children’s Hospital in Omaha. During her treatment, her family has met several children who have benefitted from bone marrow transplants and Jentry and her family want to help find a cure for these life-threatening diseases.

A marrow/stem cell transplant is a life-saving treatment for people with aplastic anemia, leukemia and many other blood related diseases. For the procedure to be successful, the patient needs a donor who is a genetic match. 70% of the time, patient’s family members will not match the patient; therefore they turn to the Be The Match Registry for help.

This marrow drive is a quest to find suitable marrow donors for patients in need of marrow/stem cell transplant. Be The Match Registry has over 13.5 million potential donors on its list, but still does not have matched marrow donors for all patients. Donors are required to:

1. Be between the ages of 18 and 44 to register at the drive (individuals 45 – 60 years of age will register on-line at www.bethematch.org).
2. Be in general good health.
3. Be committed and willing to donate to anyone they should match.

During this drive, donors will be informed about the procedure of being a marrow/stem cell donor and fill out a brief health history questionnaire. If eligible, potential donors will be mailed a kit that they will use to swab the inside of their own cheeks using four sterile Q-tips from a self-administered kit. Cheek cells collected on the swabs will then be tested to match potential donors with patients in need of a lifesaving bone marrow transplant. Colonial Acres will mail all of the registration forms.

To learn more about the need for marrow/stem cell donors, visit www.marrow.org, or call 1-800-marrow2

Colonial Acres Nursing Home and Assisted Living is located in Humboldt, Nebraska. Founded in 1969, Colonial Acres is a community-owned non-profit facility. We are a Medicare/Medicaid certified nursing facility with 49 Long Term Care beds and 14 Assisted Living apartments. We provide on-site services for physical, occupational and speech therapy and Medicare rehab. Our mission is to provide professional healthcare for the geriatric and handicapped population in Southeast Nebraska at a reasonable and honest price

If you would like more information about this topic, please contact Karen Richardson at 402-862-3123 or email at krichardson@colonialacresne.org.



Society

Humboldt Chapter 234 Order of the Eastern Star

Eleven members were present for a stated meeting of Humboldt Chapter #234 Order of the Eastern Star on September 1, 2016 at The Meeting Place. Worthy Matron Phyllis Kreutzer presided in the East at 7:30 p.m. She led members in singing of the Opening Ode, “Be Thou My Vision,” accompanied by Carolyn Bredemeier, pianist. All members pledged allegiance to the American Flag.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read by Secretary Donna Monnette and approved. Correspondence included a thank you letter from Worthy Grand Matron Cheryl Beckius and Worthy Grand Patron Gary Brhel for hosting the Area Grand Officers Visitation on August 20. Co-host chapters from Brownville, Beatrice, Cortland, and Pawnee City also participated. Sixty-six were in attendance for an evening meal prepared by the United Methodist Women in their church. Nine members from Humboldt Chapter attended. The Nebraska OES News was reviewed. Betty Garwood, Past Grand Matron of NE and Supreme Inspector of the International Order of Rainbow Girls has been installed to a two-year Supreme Patriotism. Another Past Grand Matron of Nebraska is one of five Nebraska OEW members appointed to committees in General Grand Chapter. Dee Schuetz is on the Community Service Committee. She sent out a Volunteer Man-Hours Report form for members to complete.

Sickness reports were given to local members at Colonial Acres. Phyllis Williamson and husband Bob are moving to Lincoln for the winter months. Ed and Carolyn Bredemeier and Joan Wheeler visited Pawnee Chapter OES recently and assisted with their initiation work. Chapter closed with prayer and singing of Closing Ode, “Victory in Jesus.” During the social hour refreshments were served by Keith and Joan Wheeler.

Five-County BBQ meet and greet

Voters have an opportunity coming up to meet and speak with Republican candidates for various state offices.

A committee representing Nemaha, Johnson, Pawnee, Richardson and Otoe counties has been making plans for the Republican 5-County Barbeque set for Sunday, September 18th at 5 pm at the Johnson Legion Hall.

The event will include a free meal to those who attend, time to meet and greet the candidates as well as some current Republican office holders, brief remarks from the candidates, and an opportunity to obtain campaign yard signs and other materials for the candidates.

Some of the current office holders attending will be Nebraska Governor Pete Ricketts, U.S. Congressman Adrian Smith and Nebraska Senator Dan Watermeier.

Participants will have an opportunity to bid on several items as well as Husker football tickets. Funds from these items will help offset the costs of the barbeque with any additional proceeds being shared between the five participating county Republican parties.

“We believe it is important for voters to have an opportunity to meet the candidates and hear directly from them,” says Planning Committee Member Ken Riley. “This gives area citizens a chance to ask the candidates questions directly. This is a great opportunity to see so many candidates in one location at one time.”

The barbeque has become a tradition in the five county area, occurring once every two years.



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

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

Technology Tuesdays: Come meet with Pat, our IT expert for one hour, starting at 10:30 a.m. or 6 p.m. She’ll help you with your iPad, Kindle, etc.

We are starting 1000 Books Before Kindergarten again! It’s a wonderful opportunity to have your child read to everyday, or as much as possible. The American Medical Association said reading aloud to children helps children’s brains improve! No storytime, Sept. 29.

LAPSIT—Story time for families, babies, and toddlers! Thursdays at 10:30 am. Stories, songs and fun! No Lapsit, Sept. 29.

Creative Night! Wednesday, September 14, at 6:00 p.m. Bring \$3.00 for supplies. Sign up by September 12.

Matinee: *Me Before You*, September 15, at 2:00 p.m. You read the book, let’s watch the film!

YALA Book Club: *Miss Peregrine’s Home for Peculiar Children* by Ransom Riggs. Monday, Sept. 19, 6:00—7:30 p.m. Are you ready for some wonderfully peculiar library races and book trivia? We’ll discuss our first book before it becomes to the big screen.

YOGA, With Charity! Saturday, September 3 and 17, at 10:30

a.m. Wear comfortable clothes and bring a mat if you can! This is for all ages and all yoga levels! Give it a try!

Pie Face! Tuesday, Sept. 27, 6:30 –7:30 p.m. Wear clothes you don’t mind getting messy because we’re playing Pie Face, the game of chance that just might splat you in the face! But don’t worry, we’ll save you some pie for dessert!

Book Group: *The Dressmaker*, by Kate Alcott. Thursday, September 29, at 2:00 p.m. Just in time for the centennial anniversary of the sinking on the Titanic comes a vivid romantic, and relentlessly compelling historical novel about a spirited young woman who survives the disaster only to find herself embroiled in the media frenzy left in the wake of the tragedy.

Kids Rock! (The elementary kids!) Come for the after school group. Every Wednesday from 3:30 p.m.—5:00 p.m. Wednesday, September 14:It’s project day! How many things can you make with popsicle sticks? We are going to have fun making all sorts of fun stuff with them like flowers and boomerangs!

Wednesday, September 21. It’s Movie Day! We are going to watch THE JUNGLE BOOK, the one that just came out! Come and have a great time! We need to start it soon so come right after school!

Wednesday, September 28: A Computer Coding Class! You did it once before with Minecraft! Come for another class and play more games while learning coding! You can learn the computer basics while having fun!

NEB-KAN Parish invites you to the ordination and installation of **Nancy Tuma**

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We will be honoring the patrons and districts that are part of HTRS at the home football games this year. We ask that you attend the football games in honor of individual schools and wear your school attire. We want to see the mascots honored. We will honor the following schools, the alumni and staff at the following football games.

Dawson-Verdon	Sept. 2 vs. Omaha – Brownell Talbot at 7:00 p.m.
Humboldt	Sept. 16 vs. Yutan
Southeast Consolidated	Sept. 23 vs. Wilber - Clatonia
Homecoming	Oct. 7 vs. Freeman
Table Rock – Steinauer & Elk Creek	Oct. 14 vs. Elmwood – Murdock

In honor of the schools that come together to make up HTRS, the cheerleaders will be selling T-shirts that honor each of the schools mascots. Please support HTRS by attending and honoring your home town schools.



THE RAIN COULDN'T STOP THE TIGER DEFENSE - Fritz, Vrtiska, Sickel and Thompson blow open a hole for Zane Heckenlively. (Photo by Brian McKim)

Heavy rain couldn't stop the Tigers from mauling the Jeffs

TEAM	FAIR	FCHS
Score	13	14
First Downs	17	12
Rushes / Yards (Net)	36/157	51/249
Passing Yards (Net)	106	17
Passes-Att/Comp/Int	16/6/0	4/1/1
Total Offense	52/263	55/266
Fumble Returns / Yards	0/0	1/9
Punt Returns / Yards	1/21	0/0
Kickoff Returns / Yards	3/0	3/49
Interceptions	1/0	0/0
Punts	2/28.5	3/27.7
Fumbles / Lost	2/2	3/2
Penalties / Yards	3/35	8/78
Possession Time	18:34	28:43

By Brian McKim

The Falls City Tigers took on the Fairbury Jeffs Friday night from Jug Brown Stadium. Hopes of good weather were dashed before kickoff as the rain began and hung around off and on for most of the game. It didn't deter either team or the crowd from giving it their all. The Tigers were looking to get back into the win column, while the Jeffs were looking to stay undefeated. According to Coach Fritz the players had a good week of practice after the Ashland loss.

The Tigers took the opening kickoff and marched down the field against the Fairbury defense all the way to the 19 yard line. The drive stalled however, and on fourth down and ten from the 19-yard line quarterback Rudy Vrtiska was picked off at the one-yard line with 8:17 to go in the first quarter. After the pick, Fairbury moved the ball 46 yards down field before Vrtiska would snare a fumble out of mid air and return it to the 38 yard line of the Jeffs with 5:22 remaining in the opening quarter.

With the rain coming down hard, the Tigers began an 11 play drive that would finish with a six-yard run up the middle by Rudy Vrtiska for the games first score. The PAT was good by Dalton Kennel and with 11:23 to go in the second quarter Falls City led by a score of 7-0. After the kickoff, Fairbury put together a nice drive that would end on the Tigers 28-yard line as the defense held strong and the Jeffs turned the ball over on downs.

On the Tigers next drive the offense would sputter and they would be forced to punt for the first time of the night after going three and out. After a punt and a late hit penalty against the Tigers, Fairbury had the ball, first and ten from the Tiger 28 yard line. On the very next play, a block in the back penalty against Fairbury would move them back to the 43-yard line. Four plays, all passes, and 43 yards later quarterback Adam Wasserman kept the ball for a three-yard touchdown run. The PAT was good and with 4:44 to go in the first half the game was tied 7-7.

Falls City wasted little time as they moved the ball 64 yards on 10 plays. On fourth and six from the 24 yard line Zane Heckenlively carried the ball to the 10-yard line with 27 seconds to go in the first half. After a holding penalty, Vrtiska hit Heckenlively on the left side of the field, who fumbled the ball at the goal line but pounced back on it for the touchdown with four seconds to go in the first half. The extra point kick was good and at the half the Tigers led 14-7.

Fairbury would receive the ball to start the second half but the Tigers defense was ready to play out of the locker room. After just eight yards on three plays the Tigers would force the Jeffs to punt the ball away. Falls City would get the ball at their own 35-yard line. On just the third play of the drive Austin Babb would carry the ball on a counter for a nice gain but would fumble the ball and the Jeffs would recover. The Tiger defense again stepped up and forced a Fairbury punt after giving up minus four yards on three plays. Once again the offense couldn't get going and after five plays the Tigers were forced to punt the ball and the Jeffs would take over at their own 15 yard line. Then on a fourth and two from the 50-yard line Aaron Kurpgeweit would break up the pass and F.C. would get the ball back. The score would remain 14-7 entering the fourth quarter.

After turning the ball over on

downs, Fairbury would take the ball over on their own 27-yard line with 9:17 left in the ball game. The Jeffs would move the ball against the Tiger defense this time and with 6:19 to go in the game running back Logan Slater would carry the ball to the right for a four yard touchdown run. Fairbury gambled and went for a two-point conversion rather than playing for a tie. QB Wasserman, under pressure, rolled right and threw and incomplete pass and Falls City maintained a 14-13 lead.

With wet conditions Falls City again fumbled the ball away on their next possession. Fairbury took over on their own 35-yard line with 3:38 to go. However four plays later the Jeffs would also put the ball on the turf and the Tigers would fall on top of it. The Tigers could not capitalize and were forced to punt the ball away with 43 seconds remaining in the game. Fairbury had the ball at their own 43 yard line.

After an incomplete pass on first down, F.C. was called for a questionable pass interference penalty. That moved the ball to the Tiger 41-yard line with 19 seconds to go. The Jeffs quarterback scrambled to the 25-yard line before being pushed out of bounds with four seconds remaining. On the final play of the game Kurpgeweit and Noah Milam broke up the pass and the Tigers held on for the 14-13 win.

When asked about the penalty problem Fritz responded, "Penalties were real drive killers for us this week, just when we started rolling we would do something at the worst time to stall out the drive."

Fritz gave credit to Ben Bauman on both the offensive and defensive line and Heckenlively, who once again led the ground attack with 21 carries for 130 yards. Vrtiska also had 74 yards on 17 carries. On the defensive side of the ball Kennel led the way with 11 total stops including a sack.

Falls City travels this week to take on Lincoln Christian. "They have a disciplined group who run fundamentally good schemes on offense and defense," said Coach Fritz.

INDIVIDUAL STATS

Rushing

FC — Heckenlively, 21-132; Vr-

tiska, 17-77 (1-TD); Fritz, 9-40; Babb, 3-14.

Passing

FC — Vrtiska, 3-1-1, 1 TD; Heckenlively, 1-0-0.

Receiving

FC — Heckenlively, 1-17, 1 TD.

Punting

FC — Keller, 83-27.7 ave.

Kick Returns

FC — Vrtiska, 3-49.

Tackles

(solo-assists)

FC — Kennel, 4-7; Heckenlively, 5-2; Vrtiska, 2-4; Baumna, 3-2; Fritz, 1-4; Hayworth, 2-2; Milam, 3-0; Kurpgeweit, 2-1; Hunzeker, 0-3; Sickel, 1-0; Keller, 0-1.



(ABOVE) Alyssa Frederick comes in with the kill. (LEFT) Josie Nolte came in with 16 digs Thursday night. (Photos by Deena Beer)

Volleyball girls have great week-ahead of tough schedule

On Tuesday, Sept. 6, the Falls City Tiger girls volleyball team defeated the Sterling in three sets, 24-26, 25-17, 25-14. Alyssa Frederick once again led the way with 18 kills and 23 digs, followed by Sydney Brewer with six kills. Darcy Snethen had 25 assists and Brooke Lotter had 15 digs.

On Thursday, Falls City defeated Pawnee City: 25-20, 6-25, 25-22. Alyssa Frederick had 17 kills and 16

digs; Darcy Snethen had 18 assists and 14 digs and Brooke Lotter 12 digs.

The Tigers (3-2) face Savannah (1-1) tonight with the freshman match starting at 5:00 p.m.

The Tigers have a busy week ahead with the ladies facing Auburn in a Triangular starting at 5 p.m. in Auburn; and Fairbury on Saturday for a tournament starting at 9 a.m. in Fairbury.



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PSC Homecoming

President Hanson said, "Homecoming is an exciting time to visit campus, we would like you to join us for free food, a children's carnival and entertainment."

"I am looking forward to a great game, but as president I most enjoy that so many people from the region engage with our campus for Homecoming. I hope that everyone can join our celebration."

A schedule of the day's activities is as follows: Saturday, Oct. 1-8:00 a.m. – Nebraska's Toughest Mile – Downtown Peru. An entry fee of \$20 is required.

Those who register in advance will be guaranteed a t-shirt. Register online at <http://goo.gl/YmbSLt> or send a check made payable to Peru State Cross Country, Attn: Coach Katy Billings, 1412 I Street, Auburn, NE 68305. Be sure to include your t-shirt size.

Registration will begin at 7:30 a.m. the day of the race. The starting line is near the Peru Fire Station and the finish line is near the front of T.J. Majors on the Peru State campus. Awards will be given to the top male and female finishers. 10 a.m. – Parade – Downtown Peru. Free and open to the public. Registration to be in the parade is available at www.peru.edu/studentlife/senate.

From 11 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. – Tailgate and Carnival – Campus Quad, Free and open to the public.

The tailgate – featuring chili, burgers, hotdogs and more – will be held on the campus Quad near the Library. The Peru State Jazz Band will be on hand to entertain the crowd on the steps of the Jindra Fine Arts Building and a carnival will be held on the green in front of T.J. Majors. A variety of other activities are planned for young and old alike. In the event of inclement weather, the tailgate will be held in the Student Center and the carnival will be canceled.

At 2 p.m. – Football vs. Baker University – The Oak Bowl. Admission is \$8 for adults, \$7 for seniors (age 65 and older), and \$5 for non-Peru State students ages 7-17.



(ABOVE) Lexi Barnes goes up to block as Diller-Odell's, Mackenzie Vitosh As Sacred Heart's Jade Hill and Diller-Odell's Katie Zarybnicky look on. (Photo by Nikki McKim)

Peru State students with a student ID and children six and younger are admitted free.

Halftime – Coronation of Homecoming King and Queen

At 5 p.m. – Volleyball vs. Clarke University – The AWAC

Admission is \$6 for adults, \$5 for seniors (age 65 and older), and \$4 for non-Peru State students (ages 7-17). Peru State students with a student ID and children six and younger are admitted free.

Tough week for Lady Irish volleyball

It was a tough week for the Sacred Heart Lady Irish volleyball team, both at home and on the road.

The Irish hosted a powerful Diller-Odell team on Tuesday evening, Sept. 6, and lost in straight sets, 25-27, 16-25 and 15-25.

Diller-Odell's team includes a player who has been recruited and

apparently has a full ride scholarship from a South Dakota School.

The Lady Irish played tough in the opening set, forcing Diller-Odell to push beyond 25 in order to get the win. After that set, things went downhill.

Alexis Barnes and Haylee Heits played solidly. Haylee served three aces, had 13 kills and 13 digs. Alexis scored an ace, passed well, had 19 set assists and 13 digs.

Jade Hill also had a good match, with five kills, two blocks and seven

kills. Ahren Ebel contributed three kills and eight digs, while Libby Dunn had a high passing percentage and added seven kills.

Sarah Wertenberger had four kills a set assist and a dig and Randee Witt served two aces, had a kill and 11 digs.

At the weekend H-TR-S. Tournament, the Irish opened with a three set win over Lewiston, but lost to the hosts two sets to none in the Part B final. H-TR-S got the win, 25-12 and 25-20.

HTRS Titans lose to Malcolm bringing record to 0-3

The 1-1 Malcolm Clippers out scored the 0-2, Humboldt-Table Rock-Steinauer Titans 27-0 Friday night. The Titans will play the Yutan Chieftains at Yutan on Friday. The Titans are looking for their first win of the season.

	HTRS	MAL
First Downs	3	14
Rushing Attempts	23	52
Yards Gained Rushing	54	256
Yards Lost Rushing	31	21
Net Rushing Yards	23	235
Passes Completed	2	5
Passes Attempted	6	9
Passes Had Intercepted	0	1
Completion Percentage	33.3%	55.6%
Passing Yards	12	117
Fumbles Lost	2	0
Number of Punts	7	2
Punt Yardage	238	30
Punting Average	34.0	15.0
Punt Ret Yds Allowed	40	0
Punt Ret Avg Allowed	5.7	0.0
Net Punting Avg	28.3	15.0
Number of Kick Offs	1	5
Kick Off Yardage	50	255
Kick Off Avg	50.0	51.0
K.O.R. Yds Allowed	27	73
K.O.R Avg Allowed	27.0	14.6
Net Kick Off Avg	23.0	36.4
Total Return Yardage	73	67
Number of Penalties	4	7
Yards Penalized	35	65
Total Offense	35	352

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Falls City over Elmwood-Murdock, 25-15, 17-25, 15-8.

Falls City Junior Varsity Volleyball Scores - Sept. 6, 2016

Falls City over Elmwood-Mur-

dock, 25-22, 25-15.

Falls City Middle School Volleyball, Sept. 6

A Team: HTRS over Falls City, 25-17, 25-7.

B Team: Falls City over HTRS, 25-18, 11-25, 25-21

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Days of Yore...



By:
Scott Schock

50 Years Ago
(September 14-21, 1966)

The Richardson County Fair opened at Humboldt with the coronation of Queen Donna Glathar, a junior at Humboldt High, and King Jesse Nemechek Sr., a retired Humboldt farmer who was key to the beautification of Humboldt's Recreation Park.

A Lincoln resident was returned to Falls City to face charges of defrauding the White City Motel of \$80 in lodging costs. The man was later released. He was the wrong guy.

London (UPI) — When a police officer stopped Samuel Lagunda to ask him about stolen papers, he knocked the bobby down and ate the alleged evidence. However, Samuel was arrested and then sentenced to 18 months in jail for stealing letters and money orders — and assaulting an officer.

The Shubert High School alumni held their first reunion at the FC Elks Club. Among those attending were three generations of the Lundy family: Ray Lundy (1907 grad); his son, Leon (1948); and his son Noel (1961).

Dr. Jim Slominski spoke to the Mrs. Jaycees about the benefits of fluoride in drinking water.

Members of the ASC Committee in Richardson County were Leo Crook, Salem, Kenneth Wittwer, Honey Creek, and Orville Apel, FC.

OPPD purchased 474 acres of land near Nebraska City. An electric generating plant was in their plans. (UPI)

The *Journal* created an ad noting that Sears, the nation's largest merchandising chain, was set to spend \$100 million in newspaper advertising in 1967.

Behind the play of Ken "Skeeter" Swenson, the SH Irish shut-out the visitors from Hiawatha 29-0. The game was played at what is now known as Jug Brown Stadium.

Two carnival workers at the fair in Humboldt were arrested at the request of Michigan authorities. The husband and wife had allegedly written some bad checks.

In Wooley, England, a 12-year-old girl and her grandfather boarded a bus and paid their 8-cent fees (each). But a conductor asked the girl what was in her basket. It happened to be her pet mouse, George. He charged them 7 cents for George's ride. A bus company spokesman described the charge as "ridiculous." The 7-cent fee was to be refunded. (UPI)

Cecil B. DeMille's "The Ten Commandments" was playing at Breezy Hill Drive-In.

A girl in Egremont, England, Gwen McShane, had hopes of winning "the ugliest face in the world" contest. "It's not every girl who can boast of the ugliest face in the world," she said. (UPI)

The *Journal* was predicting "blanket weather" for the night of Sept. 19. Lows were to be in the low 50's.

Floyd McNeely of FC won the *Journal's* weekly Football Contest. He won \$15 in a week that was full of upsets.

Bill Schock defeated Ernie Comfort in a 5-hole playoff to win the annual Grandads' Golf Tourney at the local golf course.

Pvt. Fred Deckinger had left for Fort Ord, CA, after two weeks furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Deckinger.

UPI stories about the Civil Rights movement and Dr. Martin Luther King were included in virtually every issue of the *Journal*.

Officers for the local Rainbow for Girls included Linda Koso, Annice Shurtleff, Dorothy Whitney, Barbara Harkendorff and Vickie Auxier.

An estimated 500 bushels of corn was reported stolen from federal grain storage bins west of Humboldt.

At Safeway, you could buy four 20-ounce fruit pies for a buck.

Volunteers provided the manpower to completely re-shingle the parsonage of the EUB Church at Barada.

The Nemaha Valley Boys were set to perform for a Friday night dance at the R & C Bar at Rulo.

25 Years Ago

A Rulo area landmark, the Red Brick School, which had been closed for 25 years, was getting a new life. Betty Majerus and Renee Kopf were preparing to open the Nursery School in the building and on the property. The were to offering a variety of nursery items, including plants, bushes, fall bulbs, perennials, evergreens, and much more.

The County Board opened bids for a new ambulance for the Volunteer Ambulance Squad. The bids were to be reviewed by the Squad.

Kansas City, at 70-68, was 14 1/2 games back of the Twins in the American League West.

Truckers leaving the Rio Grande Valley of Texas were advised to check their cargo for unwelcome hitchhikers: "killer" bees. (AP)

Gina Wilhelm of Dawson was crowned Queen and John William Gunzenhauser King of the Richardson County Fair. Peru State College Head Football Coach Lou Saban did the honors.

The *Journal* advertised an upcoming "Extra Circulation" paper that would reach upwards of 10,000 folks in SE Nebraska, NE Kansas and NW Missouri.

Wasp, Inc., of FC was recognized by the State Labor Dept. for exemplary and unique employment practices.

Journal owners Marj Loucks and Bill Schock, as well as Victor Lampe, who farmed SE of FC, were presented Soil and Water Conservation Stewards Awards at the County Fair.

Joetta Shaw and Liz Huettner were pictured as they rehearsed for the newly formed English Handbell Choir at First Christian Church and Zion United Church of Christ.

From Dr. Gott: "Low-fat diet helps control obesity."

A positive financial report greeted those who attended Community Hospital's annual meeting. Board members were Jim Heineman, Connie Brandt, Merle Veigel, Jim Hill, Bill Milam, Dana Rathje and Jerry Duerfeldt.

Floyd Vrtiska of Table Rock announced he would be a candidate for the Unicameral, District 1.

Record cold moved into Nebraska. SE Nebraska was luckier than many other parts of the state, with overnight lows in the high 20's.

15 Years Ago

Falls City native Laurie (Schock) Obbink, a resident of New York City, shared her harrowing experiences from the terrorist attacks at the World Trade Center attacks in NYC. Safe to say, most small town newspapers carried such a detailed and excellent account of the tragedy that changed our world. Sean Gatz, Capt. Pat Hoy, an airline pilot, and Mayor Marshall Maddox contributed their thoughts as well. Services were to be held at area churches and a candlelight service was scheduled for the Courthouse lawn. Rain forced that service inside. More than 100 attended.

Queen Holly Crook and King Ray Douglas, both of Humboldt, were crowned during the Richardson County Fair's opening at Humboldt. Calista Cooper Hughes was Humboldt's Woman of the Year.

Louis Fritz was named to the Peru State College Athletic Hall of Fame. The FC Sacred Heart Lady Irish upset Freeman and were set to move to No. 1 in Class D1.

SE Consolidated youngsters emptied their piggy banks and donated their savings to firefighters and rescue workers in NYC. Pictured were elementary students Brody Chandler, Lucas Snethen, Peyton Kuker and J.C. McMann.

Richardson County Bank & Trust and First National Bank & Trust were participating in a statewide effort to raise funds for NYC and the Pentagon tragedies. Each bank pledged to match up to \$5,000 in donations to the Red Cross.

Richardson County emergency responders scheduled a pancake feed at Prichard Auditorium (free will donation) to raise funds for "our comrades fallen in the line of duty during the recent tragedy."

(So much more in the paper involving the 9/11 attacks. We'll try to catch up next week).

Remembering the facts of Sept. 11, 2001

This fall, the world gathered once again to commemorate the anniversary of the 9/11 attacks. Fifteen years have passed since the terror attacks on September 11, 2001, and many people in New York City, Washington, D.C., southwestern Pennsylvania, and across the globe are still coping with the aftermath of those attacks.

Misinformation and conspiracy theories about 9/11 are still circulating today. But it's important that people know how to distinguish fact from fiction.

The attacks of 9/11 were carried out by 19 men who hijacked four fuel-loaded American commercial airline jets that were bound for destinations on the west coast. These individuals were militants associated with the Islamic extremist group al-Qaeda. Three planes reached their targets. The fourth crashed in a field in Pennsylvania.

The first point of impact was the World Trade Center's North Tower located in downtown New York City. American Airlines Boeing 767 left a gaping, burning hole in floors 93 through 99 at 8:45 a.m. Many people were killed instantly, and hundreds more were trapped on floors above the 99th floor. The plane crash was initially thought to be an accident. However, when a second Boeing 767 crashed into the South Tower shortly after the first crash, it became apparent that America was under attack and the first crash was no accident.

Hijackers aboard Flight 77 that departed from Dulles International Airport crashed that Boeing 757 into the western facade of the Pentagon building at 9:37 a.m. Fifty-nine people aboard the plane and 125 military and civilian personnel inside the Pentagon lost their lives.

According to History.com, after passengers and crew members aboard hijacked Flight 93 contacted friends and family and learned about the attacks in New York and Washington, they attempted to retake the plane. In response, hijackers deliberately crashed the plane into a field in Somerset County, Pennsylvania, killing all 40 passengers and crew aboard.

Amid rumors that other high-profile buildings were being targeted, by 10 a.m. the Federal Aviation Administration grounded all flights over or bound for the continental United States. Various buildings were evacuated as well.

The South Tower collapsed at 9:59 a.m. and the North Tower collapsed at 10:28 a.m. CNN reports that 2,753 were killed in lower Manhattan alone.

Only 18 people were rescued from the WTC rubble. Many victims were never identified, even after intense DNA analysis of remains.

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Joy Y. Haushahn

Joy Y. Haushahn, 69, of Falls City, passed away Thursday, Sept. 8, 2016.

She was born Nov. 22, 1946, at Horton, KS, to the late Robert and Doris (Ramer) Haushahn.

Joy was raised in Verdon and contracted Spinal Meningitis at the age of eight. She spent six weeks in intensive care at Omaha Children's Hospital and came home a complete invalid. After months of learning to walk and talk again, she faced a very limited future, but met her many obstacles with courage and a positive attitude. When her mother passed away in 2012, she started a new adventure of living on her own. She met this challenge and made many friends at her new

home in Falls City.

Joy is survived by sisters, Reba Benson and her husband, Bill, of Hickman, NE, Dee Dettmann and her husband, Jerry, of Salem, and Vernell Schutte and her husband, Jack, of Verdon; and brothers, Herbert Haushahn and his wife, Marcy, of Oregon, IL, and Joe Jarred and his wife, Debbie, of Verdon.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

A private family memorial service will be held at a later date.

There will be no viewing or visitation.

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

Charles M. Rowland

Charles Michael Rowland, 58 died August 31, 2016 in Sabetha, KS., following a short battle with cancer.

He was born in Falls City December 4, 1957. He attended school at Salem and Dawson.

When he finished school he helped his dad and then started driving truck for Koch Trucking of Sabetha, KS and was driving for Alex Pericido of Lincoln when he became ill in 2016.

He married Mary Light of Tecumseh, NE, in 1980. They had a daughter, Christina. They later divorced.

He then married Annie Wenger in 1984 and they had a daughter, Ashlee and a son, Tyler.

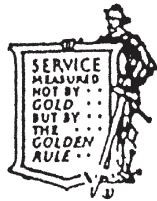
He was preceded in death by his father and mother, Charles and Doris (Gill) Rowland and sister Roxanne Burns, grandparents, aunts and uncles.

Survivors include his wife Annie, daughters Christina Loupin,

her husband Ed and grandson Carlson of Deshler, NE and Ashlee Niehues, her husband Kyle and grandson Henry of Sabetha and son Tyler and his fiancée, Jennifer Stallbaumer of Sabetha, brothers Tom and wife Connie and Richard of Salem, Kevin of Craig, Mo., sisters Judy, of Geneva, NE, Patty Miller of Ohiowa, NE and Brenda of Geneva, NE., brother-in-law Roy Burns of Salem, nieces and nephews. Also survived by aunts and uncles;

Minnie Woosley, Benton, AK, Donald and Betty Gill, of Stewartsville, MO, Lee and Nikky Rowland of Rolla, MO, Frank and Delores Gill, Millie Marrs of Falls City, Linda and David Hance of Rolla, MO, Walter and Connie Rowland of Falls City and Bob and Barb Rowland of Sabetha, KS, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

A memorial service was held September 10, 2016 in Sabetha.



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Telephone: 402-245-4411

PUBLIC NOTICE

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

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

You are hereby notified that pursuant to a power of sale contained in the deed of trust in the original principal amount of \$10,400.00 executed by Gene R. Schuetz, a single person, which was filed for record on April 15, 2010 in Book 239 at Page 425 of the Mortgage Records in the office of the Register of Deeds of Richardson County, Nebraska, the property described below will be sold by the undersigned at public auction to the highest bidder for cash or certified or cashier's check, on the first floor, lobby area of the Richardson County Courthouse, 1700 Stone Street, in the City of Falls City, Richardson County, Nebraska at 11:00 AM on October 10, 2016:

Lots 9 and 10, Block 30, Falls City, Richardson County, Nebraska.

The highest bidder is required to deliver cash or certified funds to the undersigned by the close of business on the day of sale, except this requirement is waived when the highest bidder is the beneficiary. The purchaser is responsible for all fees or taxes, including the documentary stamp tax. This sale is made without any warranties as to title or condition of the property.

Eric H. Lindquist
Successor Trustee

23-30-7-13-20

NOTICE

In the County Court of Richardson County, Nebraska.
In the Matter of the Estate of Harry L. Strasil, Jr., Deceased.
Case No. PR16-38

Notice is hereby given that on August 29, 2016, in the County Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Decedent and that Melissa Morgan, whose address is 604 West 25th Street, Falls City, Nebraska 68355, was informally appointed by the Registrar as Personal Representative of the Estate. Creditors of this Estate must file their claims with this Court on or before November 7, 2016 or be forever barred.

Curtis L. Maschman
County Judge

WEAVER & MERZ
Douglas E. Merz, No. 12807
Zachary L. Blackman, No. 24921
1719 Stone Street, P.O. Box 569
Falls City, NE 68355
(402) 245-3015

7-13-20

NOTICE OF INFORMAL PROBATE AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Estate of Warren L. Mullins, Jr., Deceased.
Estate No. PR16-34

Notice is hereby given that on August 19, 2016 in the County Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Deceased and that Paula R. Mullins whose address is P.O. Box 34, Rock Port, Missouri 64482-0034 has been appointed Personal Representative of this estate. Creditors of this estate must file their claims with this Court on or before October 31, 2016 or be forever barred.

Nancy A. DeKlotz
CLERK OF THE COUNTY COURT

Richard L. Halbert, #11659
Michael R. Dunn, #16825
Christopher C. Halbert, #22609
Ryan C. Dorcey, #25748
Halbert, Dunn & Halbert, L.L.C.
111 East 17th Street
Post Office Box 447
Falls City, Nebraska 68355-0447
Phone: (402) 245-4486

30-7-13

NOTICE TO ARMOR COAT CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids, clearly marked "SEALED ARMOR COAT BID" will be received at the office of the Richardson County Clerk, Courthouse, 1700 Stone Street, Falls City, Nebraska 68355, until 11:00 a.m. on September 20, 2016 and at that time publicly opened and read, for furnishing and application of armor coat on various segments of county roads (approximately 7.75 miles) in Richardson County, Nebraska.

The sealed bids are to be sent or submitted to the Clerk of Richardson County, Richardson County Courthouse, 1700 Stone Street, Falls City, Nebraska 68355.

Copies of the Bid Documents and Specifications are on file and open to public inspection at the following locations:

Speece Lewis Engineers, Inc., 906 South 26th Street, Lincoln, NE 68510
Richardson County Hwy. Supt. Office, 65087 706 Trail, Falls City, NE 68355

A set of specifications may be obtained at Speece Lewis Engineers, Inc., 906 South 26th Street, Lincoln, NE 68510 for a non-refundable fee of \$20.00.

Proposals must be submitted on the forms furnished with the Bid Documents and Specifications.

Each bidder will be required to submit with his proposal a Bid Bond made payable, without condition, to the County Treasurer of Richardson County, Nebraska, in an amount equal to five (5) percent of his proposal.

The bidder to whom the contract is awarded shall furnish within ten (10) days after the award a surety bond or bonds in a sum equal to the full amount of the contract. The form of the bonds and surety shall be acceptable to the Richardson County Board of Commissioners.

The bidder will include an estimated time of beginning and completion for the Base Bid for the project with the proposal. The required completion date of the work is June 30, 2017.

Subject to the bids received, Richardson County reserves the right to adjust down the size of the project up to (30) percent of the total. If the County adjusts the size of the project down, it will do so by either eliminating one or more planned segments or shortening one or more planned segments.

Awarding the Contract will be in accordance with the eleven points enumerated under "Competitive Bidding: Considerations", COUNTY PURCHASING ACT, Sections 23-3110 through 23-3114 and any competitive bidding requirements of Nebraska Statutes 16-321, et. seq., and the Richardson County Board of Commissioners will, at their discretion, award based on the lowest or best bid, Richardson County is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Scott Huppert
Richardson County Highway Superintendent

30-7-13

NOTICE OF INFORMAL PROBATE AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Estate of Rodney F. Knaup, Deceased.
Estate No. PR16-35

Notice is hereby given that on August 22, 2016, in the County Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Deceased and that Mary Schimonitz, whose address is 2321 Chase Street, Falls City, Nebraska 68355 has been appointed Personal Representative of this estate. Creditors of this estate must file their claims with this Court on or before October 31, 2016 or be forever barred.

Nancy A. DeKlotz
CLERK OF THE COUNTY COURT

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30-7-13

ERIC H. LINDQUIST, P.C., L.L.O.
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NOTICE OF MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE

By virtue of an order of sale issued by the District Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, and pursuant to a decree of said Court in an action therein indexed at Case No. CI 16-9, wherein Matrix Financial Services Corporation, is the plaintiff, and Timothy O'Leary Boles, Spouse of Timothy O'Leary Boles, real name unknown, John Doe and Jane Doe, real names and marital status unknown, are the defendants, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the following property at 10:00 a.m., on the 4th day of October, 2016, on the first floor, lobby area of the Richardson County Courthouse, 1700 Stone Street, in the City of Falls City, Richardson County, Nebraska, to-wit:

Tract No. 1: Lots Four (4) and Five (5), Block Twenty-five (25), A.R. Luther Nim's Addition to the City of Humboldt, Richardson County, Nebraska. (Commonly known as 119 South Nemaha Street, Humboldt, Nebraska 68376)

Tract No. 2: Beginning 16 ½ Feet West of the Northwest corner of Lot Six (6), Block Twenty-Five (25), A.R. & Luther Nim's Addition to the City of Humboldt, Richardson County, Nebraska, thence running East a distance of 66.5 Feet; Thence South 98 Feet; thence West 66.5 Feet; thence North 98 Feet to the place of beginning, all in said Block Twenty-Five (25), except covenants, restrictions and easements of record, if any. (Commonly known as 914 Mechanic Street, Humboldt, Nebraska 68376),

to satisfy the liens and encumbrances therein set forth; and to satisfy the accruing court costs, all as provided by said order and decree. The purchaser is responsible for all fees or taxes, including the documentary stamp tax. The purchaser will deposit with the Master Commissioner, at the time of sale, a nonrefundable personal or cashier's check in the amount of \$5,000.00, with the full purchase price, in certified funds, to be received by the plaintiff's attorney immediately upon confirmation of the sale by the Court. This sale is made without any warranties as to title or condition of the property.

Dated this 25th day of August, 2016.

O. William VonSeggern
Master Commissioner

30-7-13-20

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received by the Richardson County Clerk until September 20, 2016 at 11:30 a.m., for the construction of bridge abutment repairs and paving approach sections and other related incidental work. The project is located on 703 Trail between 663 and 664 Ave. in Richardson County, Nebraska.

The project is referred to as "Rulo Southeast - C007403435P" and shall include all labor, materials, transportation and equipment required for the construction of: two bridge abutment repairs and paving sections and other related incidental work.

Copies of the Bid Documents and Specifications are open to public inspection at the office of the Richardson County Highway Superintendent, 65087 706 Trail, Falls City, Nebraska 68355. A set of documents may be obtained from Mainelli Wagner & Associates, Inc. for a non-refundable fee of \$30.00 (6920 Van Dorn, Suite "A" Lincoln, Nebraska 68506 PH: 402-421-1717). All Bid Proposals must be submitted on the forms furnished with the Bid Documents.

The sealed bids may be mailed or delivered to the Richardson County Clerk, 1700 Stone St., Falls City, Nebraska 68355, and should be plainly marked as, "Construction Bid Proposal - Rulo Southeast - C007403435P".

Along with its Bid Proposal, each bidder shall submit an unconditional Bid Bond or Certified Check made payable to the County Treasurer of Richardson County, Nebraska, in an amount equal to five (5) percent of the Bid Proposal. Also, each bidder is to provide a Start of Construction date and an End of Construction date with its Bid Proposal. The desired completion date of the project is June 1, 2017. The successful bidder (i.e. Contractor) will be allowed sixty (60) calendar days for completion of the project after beginning work at the site provided they do not exceed the specified completion date. Additional days, due to poor weather conditions, may be granted at the discretion of the Engineer.

Within ten (10) days following the award of the Contract, the successful bidder shall furnish a surety bond or bonds in an amount equal to or greater than the full amount of the contract. The surety and form of the bonds are subject to the acceptance by the Richardson County Board of Commissioners.

Richardson County, in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 78 Stat. 252, 42 U.S.C. 2000d to 2000d-4 and Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Dept of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of Secretary, Part 21, Nondiscrimination in Federally assisted programs of the Dept of Transportation issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin, sex, age and disability/handicap in consideration for award.

The Richardson County Board of Commissioners reserves the right to reject any and all bids or to waive any irregularities in bids received. Award of the Contract will be in accordance with the County Purchasing Act's competitive bidding considerations as set forth in Neb.Rev. Stat. §§ 23-3110 to 23-3114. Richardson County is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Scott Huppert
Richardson County Highway Superintendent

30-7-13

CERTIFICATE OF ORGANIZATION OF Miles Ranch Vineyard & Winery, LLC

1. The name of the limited liability company (the "Company") is: Miles Ranch Vineyard & Winery, LLC

2. The purpose of the Company is to engage in business as a vineyard and winery and/or any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be formed under the Nebraska Uniform Limited Liability Company Act, as amended from time to time.

3. The address of the designated office is: 63795 708 Trail, Humboldt, NE 68376.

4. The name of the agent for service of process is Paulo Bruxellas, with the following addresses:

i. Business Address: 63795 708 Trail, Humboldt, NE 68376
ii. Residence Address: 63795 708 Trail, Humboldt, NE 68376

5. The name of an initial member is Paulo Bruxellas, with the following addresses:

i. Business Address: 63795 708 Trail, Humboldt, NE 68376
ii. Residence Address: 63795 708 Trail, Humboldt, NE 68376

Dated this 17th day of August, 2016.

7-13-20

NOTICE

State of Nebraska on Behalf of Harper Elaine Foster, Minor Child, Plaintiff
vs. Nicholas Clair Thiemann, Defendant
vs. Tawny Foster, Third Party Plaintiff
District Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, CI12-214

To Nicholas Clair Thiemann: Notice is hereby given that on June 15, 2016, in the District Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, Plaintiff filed a Complaint seeking to establish custody, a parenting plan and modify support. To respond to the Complaint you must answer or otherwise plead within 30 days of the final publication hereof. Failure to answer or otherwise plead will result in the Complaint being taken as true and judgment being entered accordingly.

Diane L. Merwin, #24172
Fankhauser, Nelsen, Werts, Ziskey & Merwin, PC, LLO
P.O. Box 126, 713 4th Street
Humboldt, NE 68376

7-13-20

LEGAL NOTICE IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA Case Number CI-16155 IN RENAME CHANGE OF ISAIAH DEAN FLOREA & REAGAN SOPHIA GRACE FLOREA

Notice is hereby given that on the 7th day of September, 2016, 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 Isaiiah Dean Florea & Reagan Sophia Grace Florea to Isaiiah Dean Radley & Reagan Sophia Grace Radley.

A hearing will be held on said petition before the Honorable Daniel Bryan, in Courtroom No. 301, 1700 Stone Falls City, NE, on the 4th day of October, 2016, 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 Isaiiah Dean Florea & Reagan Sophia Grace Florea to Isaiiah Dean Radley & Reagan Sophia Grace Radley.

Melinda (Radley) Volland
2003 Stone
Falls City, NE 68355
785-366-0025

13-20

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Blue Rivers Area Agency on Aging will meet in regular session at 10:00 a.m. on September 19, 2016 at the Beatrice Senior Center, 101 North 25th Street, Beatrice, NE. The meeting will be open to the public. An agenda for such meeting is kept continuously current and is available for public inspection at Blue Rivers Area Agency office located at 1901 Court Street, Beatrice, NE. The agenda may be modified to include items of an emergency nature only.

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INVITATION FOR BIDS September 13, 2016

The City of Falls City, Nebraska will receive bids until 2:00 p.m., local time, October 6, 2016, at the office of the Special Engineer, where all bids will be publicly opened and all bid prices read aloud for furnishing labor, equipment, and services for the project entitled "4.16 kV Feeder Improvements, Falls City, Nebraska - 2016."

The work is briefly described as follows:

Furnish labor, material, services, supervision and tools necessary for the following:

North Feeder Improvements

Construct approximately two blocks of new 2/0 ACSR overhead line from an existing east/west spacer cable feeder to a point midway between Stone Street and Harlan Street. Continue the new construction with directionally bored underground (2/0 Cu 15 kV) line across East 26th Street to the north side of the North School property. At the corner of East 26th Street and Harlan the new construction turns south for one block then crosses East 25th Street to a new riser at the northeast corner of the Stone/Harlan Alley.

Courthouse Feeder Improvements

Construct a new feeder tie underground with a directionally bored (2/0 Cu 15 kV) line from a new riser at the southwest corner of East 19th Street and Harlan south one half block to a new junction enclosure and an Owner furnished, Contractor installed padmount transformer. Continue the new construction across a parking lot and East 18th Street to the northwest corner of the Courthouse mechanical pit where a new Owner furnished, Contractor installed padmount transformer will sit and the Courthouse service upgraded including the removal of the existing transformers and 4.16 kV switchgear. The new underground feeder tie continues south to cross East 18th Street and halfway down the Stone/Harlan Alley to a new junction enclosure. From the new junction enclosure the new feeder tie goes to a two pole riser structure and ties to an existing overhead feeder. Work includes removal of the existing 4.16 kV radial underground feed to the Courthouse.

Envelopes containing the bids shall be sealed and must be accompanied by a certified check or bidder's bond in an amount of not less than five (5) percent of the amount bid. The check or bond shall be made payable to the City of Falls City, Nebraska, as security that the bidder to whom the award is made will enter into a contract to build the project bid upon and furnish the required bond. The envelope containing the bid and security shall be marked as follows:

Olsson Associates
Attn: Ken Fairchild
601 P Street, Suite 200
Lincoln, Nebraska 68508

"BID ENCLOSED"

Proposal For:
"4.16 kV Feeder Improvements, Falls City, Nebraska - 2016"

Bids Received: 2:00 p.m., Local Time
Thursday, October 6, 2016
Olsson Associates
601 P Street, Suite 200
Lincoln, Nebraska 68508

Contract Documents are on file in the office of the City of Falls City, 2307 Barada Street, Falls City, Nebraska 68355-0158; Lincoln Builders Bureau, 5910 S. 58th Street, Suite C, Lincoln, NE 68516; Omaha Builders Exchange, 4255 S. 94th Street, Omaha, NE 68127; McGraw Hill/F.W. Dodge Plan Room, 3059 Huntington Avenue, Omaha, NE 68112; Hastings Builders Bureau, 301 South Burlington, Hastings, NE 68901; and may be obtained from the issuing office of Olsson Associates, Consulting Engineers, 601 P Street, Suite 200, Lincoln, NE 68508 for a non-refundable charge of \$35.00 for each complete set of documents. To obtain an electronic copy of the bid documents at no charge, contact Dee Pflueger at dpflueger@olssonassociates.com.

No bid may be withdrawn within a period of sixty (60) days after the date fixed for bid opening. Only firm (non-escalating) bids will be allowed.

The project is to be guaranteed for a period of one year following final acceptance of the work against defects in materials and workmanship.

The successful bidder shall supply a Performance and Payment Bond executed by a corporate surety licensed in the State of Nebraska in an amount equal to 100 percent of the contract price as part of his contract.

The City of Falls City reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive informalities in bids submitted.

13-20-27

NOTICE

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA
Estate of Lois J. Wittwer, Deceased
Estate No. PR16-39

Notice is hereby given that on September 1, 2016, in the County Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Decedent and that Nancy J. Wittwer, whose address is 14509 Patrick Ave., Omaha, NE 68116, was informally appointed by Registrar as Personal Representative of the Estate. Creditors of this Estate must file their claims with this Court on or before November 14, 2016, or forever barred.

Nancy A. DeKlotz
Clerk of the County Court
1700 Stone Street

Falls City, Ne 68355
L. Joe Stehlik (Bar ID #14011)
Jennifer Stehlik Ladman (Bar ID #21965)
Stehlik Law Office
653 G Street, PO Box 187
Pawnee City, NE 68420
(402) 852-2973

13-20-27

Village of Salem

VILLAGE OF SALEM

The Salem Village Board met August 2, 2016, at 7:30 p.m. in the Community Building. Strauch opened the meeting. Wessel, Kean and Catlin answered roll. Vogeles was absent.

Fred Reimers reported on the operation of the water system.

Kean discussed the street work that will begin soon. Residents are reminded that the brush dump area is for brush only. No trash is to be dumped in this area.

Propane contracts for the Community Building and Fire Department were discussed. Catlin moved to purchase 1500 gallon at 1.00 per gallon from Stateline Propane for the winter season. Wessel seconded the motion. Motion carried, all voting yes.

Claims were presented for payment. Strauch moved to pay the claims, seconded by Kean. Motion carried, all voting yes.

The September meeting will be held September 13 at 7:30 p.m. in the Community Building. The 2016-2017 Budget hearing will follow at 8:00 p.m.

Strauch moved to adjourn at 8:30 seconded by Kean. Motion carried.
Carolyn Glathar, Village Clerk

CLAIMS

OPPD, 606.73; Rural Water, 1689.68; Fred Reimers, 650.00; Salem Water Fund, 400.00; League Dues, 210.00; Attorney Fee, 172.00; Martin Marietta, 422.23; Schendel Pest, 73.00; Water Testing, 15.00; Stateline Propane, 1500.00; Glathar Salary Postage, 29.30; Mowing, 210.00.

CLASSIFIEDS

CARDS OF THANKS

I just want to give a great big THANK YOU to all the people who attended my 100th birthday celebration. It is a once-in-a-lifetime experience, and it was a fantastic day for me to share with relatives and friends! Thanks also to all who called, brought and sent cards, gifts, food and other remembrances in observance of my special day. You have all touched my heart. Thanks to my daughters and their families for planning this event and making sure that all the arrangements were taken care of and that everything went smoothly. It was a wonderful, wonderful day filled with memories I will treasure forever.
Sincerely, Lester Penkava 36P

WANTED

WAFFLE EATERS: Waffleman coming! September 25, 10AM to 1PM at the Richardson Co. Museum, 1403 Chase, FC. 36-37

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

RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING AND BUDGET SUMMARY

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the provisions of State Statutes 13-601 to 13-513, that the governing body will meet on the 20th day of September, 2016 at 10 o'clock, a.m., at Room 203, Courthouse, 1700 Stone St 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)
	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017			
	(1)	(2)	(3)			
General	\$ 5,492,272.98	\$ 5,476,295.64	\$ 6,294,721.66	\$ 250,000.00	\$ 2,187,888.16	\$ 4,356,843.50
Federal Match			\$ 238,841.22		\$ 238,841.22	-
Road & Bridge	\$ 3,103,811.58	\$ 2,808,266.14	\$ 3,536,195.00		\$ 3,536,195.00	-
Rad Buyback	\$ 210,953.18	\$ 850.22	\$ 885,639.11		\$ 885,639.11	-
Road /Bridge Const	\$ 44,075.30	\$ 2,629.70				-
Road Sinking	\$ 357,575.15	\$ 150,000.00	\$ 19,503.37		\$ 19,503.37	-
Civil Defense	\$ 157,343.66	\$ 220,607.75	\$ 98,574.00		\$ 98,574.00	-
Chromatograph	\$ 3,919.18	\$ 4,182.86	\$ 5,700.00		\$ 5,700.00	-
Co. Visitors Promo	\$ 21,113.50	\$ 20,640.19	\$ 34,375.85		\$ 34,375.85	-
Co. Visitors Improv	\$ 4,100.00	\$ 29,500.00	\$ 56,122.45		\$ 56,122.45	-
Reg of Deeds Pres	\$ 1,701.84	\$ 1,732.32	\$ 20,701.50		\$ 20,701.50	-
Employ Security	\$ 7,832.34	\$ 20,374.33	\$ 20,000.00		\$ 20,000.00	-
General Assistance	\$ 2,651.59	\$ 22,932.65	\$ 60,000.00		\$ 60,000.00	-
State Institutions	\$ 4,275.00	\$ 2,574.00	\$ 7,000.00		\$ 7,000.00	-
Veterans Aid Fund	\$ 2,207.23	\$ 1,957.06	\$ 2,000.00		\$ 427.08	\$ 1,572.92
Juvenile Div Fund			\$ 15,122.47		\$ 15,122.47	-
STOP Prog Fund			\$ 11,000.00		\$ 11,000.00	-
Drug Law Enf Fund			\$ 608.95		\$ 608.95	-
Federal Forefeiture	\$ 1,700.00		\$ 4,973.35		\$ 4,973.35	-
Inheritance Tax	\$ 707,063.81	\$ 528,550.27	\$ 950,000.00		\$ 950,000.00	-
Sheriff Commissary			\$ 5,200.00		\$ 5,200.00	-
Juvenile Serv Grant	\$ 42,412.73	\$ 71,896.71	\$ 142,663.80		\$ 142,663.80	-
Jail Bond Repay		\$ 46,763.44	\$ 800,000.00		\$ 362,502.14	\$ 437,497.86
Hwy Bond Repay	\$ 145,857.50	\$ 319,636.57	\$ 370,000.00		\$ 81,246.45	\$ 288,753.55
Natural Disaster			\$ 325,000.00		\$ 325,000.00	-
Jail/Law Enf Bldg		\$ 3,245,849.44	\$ 454,880.56		\$ 454,880.56	-
Noxious Weed	\$ 18,139.78	\$ 16,789.56	\$ 861.63		\$ 861.63	-
TOTALS	\$ 10,329,006.35	\$ 12,992,028.85	\$ 14,359,684.92	\$ 250,000.00	\$ 9,525,027.09	\$ 5,084,667.83

The Falls City Journal assumes no responsibility for Employment Opportunity, earn-at-home or other similar ads which are placed in our paper by firms outside our trade area. This newspaper has neither the resources nor the time to investigate the reliability of such offers.

HELP WANTED

NOTICE
Applications will be received at the office of the City Clerk, 2307 Barada Street, Falls City, Nebraska until 4:00 P.M., September 23, 2016, for the position of Part-Time Radio Dispatcher for the City of Falls City Police Department, Falls City, Nebraska. The job description and qualifications for the position are at the office of the City Clerk. The City of Falls City is an Equal Opportunity Employer.
Gary Jorn, City Clerk 36-37

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TIGER SOFTBALL TEAM: Back row, L-R: Jessica Burns, Meredith Poppe, Erin Brewer, Rylee Scholl, Hannah Clary, Regan Deckinger, Maggie McNeely, Azlynia Lenard, Emma Gill, Sophia Gilsdorf. Front row, L-R: Seniors Molly Brown, Megan Eickhoff, Morgan Bletscher, Bailey Armbruster, Emma Gerdes, Tayten O'Brien, and Bailey Gilkerson. (Photo by Lori Gottula)

FC Softball team places second in tournament

By Lori Gottula

The Falls City High School softball team had quite a week this past week, starting with a gut-wrenching loss to Fairbury last Thursday—a game that went two extra innings, and ended with a crushing blow in the bottom of the ninth. Senior pitcher Tayten O'Brien went the distance on the mound all nine innings.

Falls City was behind four to one after the second inning, but scored three in the top of the fourth. Catcher Molly Brown led off with a single, and was knocked in by shortstop Rylee Scholl's out-of-the-park homer. Not to be outdone, third baseman Morgan Bletscher walked up to the plate and socked one out, too, sending the score to four-four.

The two teams then battled it out pitcher-for-pitcher and fielder-to-fielder, including three K-Os by pitcher O'Brien, five throws to first by Scholl and three by Bletscher, an over-the-head catch by right-fielder Emma Gerdes, and a diving shoe-string nab by left-fielder Bailey Gilkerson.

In the top of the ninth, Scholl drove in two runs with a double, and it looked all but over. But Fairbury had other ideas. The Jeffs scored three in the bottom of the ninth, and beat the Tigers seven to six. The agony of defeat was palpa-

ble, but the Tigers played a stellar game with very few errors.

On Saturday, Falls City placed second in its 2016 home tournament.

In the first game against Wymore Southern, the girls struggled at the plate in the first three innings as seven of the first eight batters sat back down on strike-outs. But the Tigers found their mojo in the fourth inning and scored four runs to Southern's one. The runs were scored on hits by Brown, second baseman Bailey Armbruster, Bletscher, left-fielder Regan Deckinger, and first baseman Erin Brewer.

Defensively, O'Brien led the way on the mound for the Tigers. Bletscher had four grounders for outs as she threw to Brewer. Scholl had three grounders for outs at first plus a fly catch, Armbruster scooped five for outs and caught two flies, and center fielder Meredith Poppe caught two fly balls. Regan Deckinger also caught a fly in left field, and right fielder Bailey Gilkerson threw a runner out at first.

In the second game of the day, Falls City played perennial rival Auburn. At first, it looked like the Tigers would have an unusually easy game against the Bulldogs. FC's first five batters scored on a single by Poppe, a walk by Brown, and singles by Scholl, Armbruster, Bletscher, Deckinger, and Brewer.

In the top of the second, Scholl got on base with a single, and was knocked in when pitcher Bailey Armbruster scorched a double to left center.

Auburn scored one in the bottom of the second, so by that time, the score was six to one. Falls City crossed the plate again in the top of the third on singles by second baseman Sophia Gilsdorf, and Poppe, Brown, and Scholl, making the score seven to one.

Auburn tried to battle back when super-hitter Mollie Grant led off and hit a triple (after a double in the second inning). She scored on a single, and later hit two home runs to lead Auburn's offense. The Bulldogs scored seven runs in the game.

Falls City's other scoring frenzy came in the top of the fourth when Armbruster and Bletscher both took walks, and Brewer pounded one

over the fence to send all three over the plate. In the top of the fifth, the Tigers added one more run on singles by Poppe, Brown, and Scholl.

Defensively, Bailey Armbruster led the Tigers on the mound, and struck out five batters. Auburn hit several fly balls. Gerdes and Poppe each caught two. Gilsdorf, Bletscher, and Deckinger all caught one. On the ground, Bletscher threw four scoops to first for outs, and Scholl had three. First base duties were shared by Brewer, and Megan Eickhoff.

The final score was 11 to 7, and Falls City advanced to the championship game.

In that game, Falls City unfortunately came out on the short end of the stick, losing to Cass County Central in five innings, nine to one. The Tigers couldn't seem to find their bats as eight batters fanned the air that game. The lone FCHS score came in the fourth inning when Armbruster hit a single, then stole second, and crossed the plate on a hit by Bletscher.

Defensively, pitchers O'Brien and Armbruster shared the duties, and struck out four. Fly balls were caught by Deckinger, Gilkerson, Poppe, and Scholl. Grounders for outs were fielded by Scholl and Armbruster.

Coach Joe Dunn said, "The girls did a great job of battling all day." That, they did. They played sharp ball all day long, and ended the day with a second place plaque, out of eight teams.

The Tigers also saw action on Monday night, in a makeup game at Wymore Southern.

Falls City's varsity plays again on Thursday in a triangular at Auburn. The next home contest for the varsity is a triangular on Monday, September 19. The JV and varsity next play at home on the 22nd, against Freeman.



Half way to St. Patrick's Day Celebration

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On the keyboards and vocals is Julie Hamann from Elkhorn NE. Julie was 5 when she started piano lessons and credits her mother with her musical abilities. She's got her Masters in Piano Performance and a BA in Vocal Music Education and taught piano for many years.

Steve Groves on bass, acoustic guitar and vocals brings much experience and many talents to the group. Throughout his long career he's played rock, country, blues and Irish,

and for the past 19 years was with the Omaha band Donnybrook.

Julie McCabe-Johanning, fiddle, vocals; is originally from Chicago and began Irish dancing and violin playing at age 5. She favored the violin over dance and has been playing and singing ever since. She was classically Suzuki trained and in her twenties made an easy conversion to Irish fiddle while studying in Dublin. The songs and melodies from Ireland became her best expression of her soulful connection to the people of Ireland.

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Cover ideas are where you find them, and John Falter found this one last year while he was passing through the town of Pecos, which is deep in the Texas cow country. The movie house was getting a brisk play from the local cowboys and girls, and what should be luring them in but a cowboy picture. Falter quickly recognized that he had something, but it was January of this year before he could come back and go to work on it. In the finished painting, the Cactus Theater and the hatter's shop are real, the titles of the movies displayed on the marquee and on the bill boards are fictitious. So are the customers: Falter hit Pecos during such a bad stretch of weather last January that movie-goers just weren't venturing out.

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