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'THE DEATH OF A SOLDIER'

By Lori Gottula

None of us, except those who have been enlisted in the United States Navy, will ever understand the commitment that a sailor has to his or her shipmates and vessel. Sailors become so attached to their ships, but it would be hard to find one who has done so with more valor than Congressional Medal of Honor recipient, Reinhardt J. Keppler.

Keppler was just 18 when he enlisted in the US Navy, back in 1936. World War II wasn't even on the horizon yet. Keppler just wanted a place to call home, and a job to call a career.

The son of German immigrants, Keppler was a hard-working son-of-a-gun, and quickly advanced through the ranks to Boatswain's First Mate. He was 22 when he reported for duty aboard the *U.S.S. San Francisco*, and 24 when he collapsed aboard his vessel. The river of life that pumped through his veins had drenched his uniform as it drained out of his body

through slices that had been administered by shards of steel.

But before Keppler's lifeblood drained out, he had saved the life of his best friend—his beloved ship—and all of the souls on board.

It all happened on Nov. 13, 1942, during the battle for Savo Island near Guadalcanal in the Solomon Islands.

The *San Francisco* had been wounded on Nov. 12 when a Japanese torpedo plane that had been shot down spun out of control, and crashed into the after superstructure. Keppler was manning the machine-gun on the platform at the time, but was able to escape without injury. Many of his shipmates

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Brenner Field upgrade nearly finished

Brenner Field is in the final stages of a \$3.2 million face-lift which only adds to its general reputation as one of the finest small-town airports in the region.

The construction project, which has been off and on for the past two years, has included the widening of the main runway and the north taxi lane. This has required extensive grading and dirt work. The Federal Aviation Agency, which deemed the work as necessary for the airport's serviceability, is paying for 90 percent of the cost.

For much of the time the construction has been taking place, Brenner Field has been open for use; however, its runway was shut down from April to September of this year.

The Tom Williams Fertilizer, which operates out of the airport with its aerial spraying service and is widely used by area farmers, utilized a landing strip at Kean Seed, east of Dawson, during that period.

The airport is in its 68th year, having been initially funded by a 1945 \$39,000 bond issue, which carried overwhelmingly, for the airport and swimming pool. Ninety-two acres at the northeast edge of Falls City were purchased for \$28,500. It began operation in 1946 with Charlie Giese as manager.

(An excellent book, "Municipal Airports of Falls City, Nebraska" has been researched by Bob Ferguson, longtime chairman of the Airport Authority. It is available at the library.)

In the intervening years improvements and additions have

been extensive with funding almost entirely by the FFA. The 4,000-foot paved runway (75 feet wide) is plenty adequate for the majority of personal and business aircraft. Brenner Field has a large parking apron, a comfortable terminal building with the manager's office, pilot's lounge and restrooms.

Philip Chaffee has been the airport manager and owner of FC Aero Service since April of 1987. He is a flight instructor and a certified aircraft and maintenance mechanic. His excellent mechanical work is widely recognized and attesting to this one can generally find one or two aircraft being serviced

Photo by Randy Gottula



in the large maintenance hangar. He also is a certified FFA aircraft and mechanical inspector.

While Chaffee is the base manager, Brenner Field is "governed" by the Airport Authority, which was created by the mayor and city council in 1970. It is responsible for establishing policies and supervising the airport management and its unpaid members are chosen in city elections. Bob Ferguson has served as chairman for the past 17 years and other members are Ed O'Grady, Lewis Zentner, Darrell Rannebeck and Cliff Barnhill. Dawn Bennett is the recording secretary.

The majority of Brenner Field's income comes from hangar rent and a mill levy, set by law, in the city's budget. Other sources of income are from the 65 acres of leased airport farm ground, a percentage of aircraft fuel sold, a percentage of Chaffee's mechanical charges and rent from the home in which the Chaffees reside.

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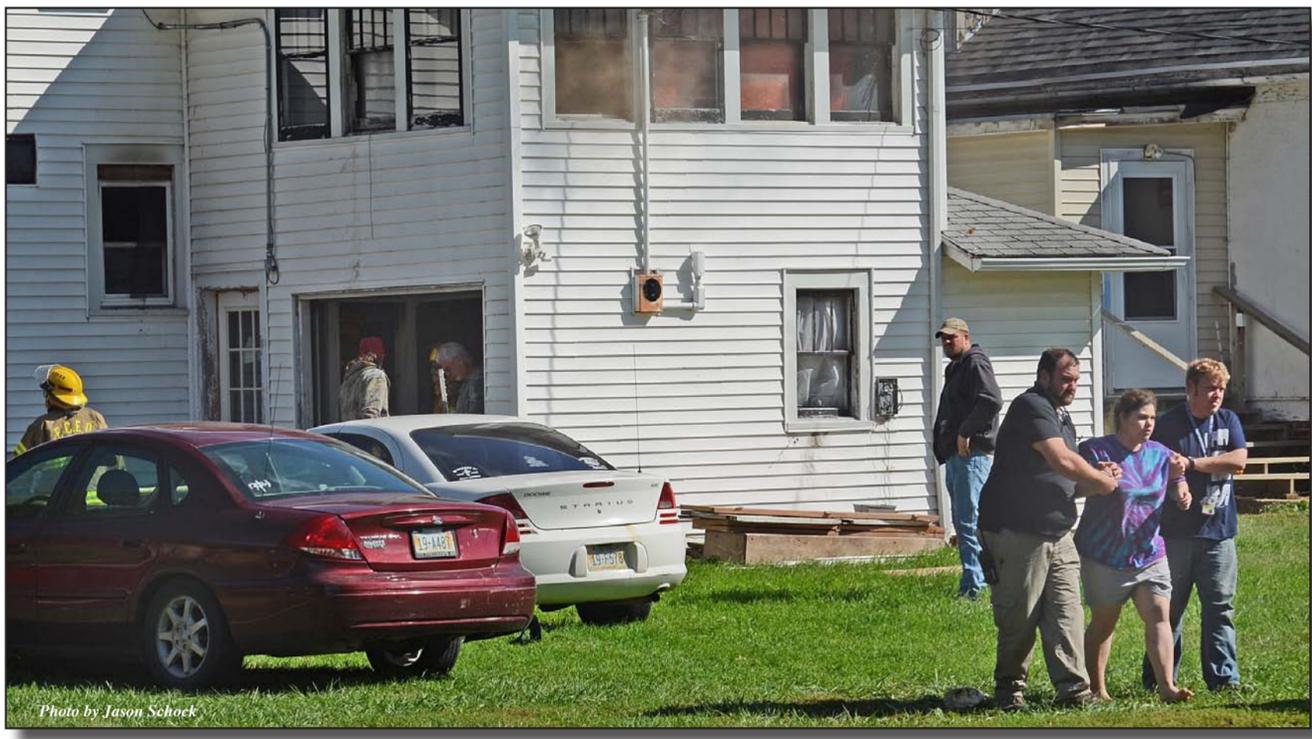


Photo by Jason Schock

Tragedy was narrowly avoided Friday afternoon when a kitchen fire broke out at the home of Robert and Alison Sanders at 2021 McLean St. Alison and her young sons, four-month-old Alex and Robbie, who's 1 1/2, were on the main floor when a grease fire started on the stove and escaped, with the assistance

of Alison's father, Tim Campbell, out the front door unharmed. The family rents out the second story to Cord Gibson and Lisa Williams, shown here being led to an ambulance by Emergency Management Director Brian Dixon, left, and John Moon III of the FC Volunteer Ambulance Squad. The two, who work nightshifts and

were fast asleep when the blaze started, got trapped upstairs and were forced to evacuate from a second-floor window, helped to safety by Campbell and Mike Dishong, who just happened to be driving by the residence at the time and stopped to render aid.

Tragedy averted in Friday afternoon blaze

By Jason Schock

"The last thing in the world you want to see when you drive around the corner is...your daughter's house on fire," father, grandfather, husband, brother, mechanic, and life-long Falls City resident Tim Campbell said Monday, suppressing his emotions, albeit behind watery eyes.

The 49-year-old took a brief break from his job at Hullman's Ford to discuss his other full-time job — that of father and grandfather — that Friday afternoon with a ring of a telephone turned into any dad's worst nightmare. His married daughter, home alone with her infant sons, Tim and his wife Rita's grandsons, called her father at work.

A more horrifying message could never enter the man's ear: Allison and her baby boys Robbie (1 1/2) and Alex (four months) were calling from inside a burning building. And there were two others in the house, fast asleep and cornered on the second floor as flames quickly ascended the stairs.

Tim made like a 429 Boss, exploding from the garage at 14th and Harlan before coming to a screeching halt at 2021 McLean. In the meantime, Campbell made the 911 call. Firefighters were on the scene in minutes.

Unfortunately, Lisa Williams, 21, and Cord Gibson, 27, needed help in a matter of seconds. Campbell's frenzied drive was followed immediately by good news when he arrived at the southwest corner of 21st and McClean Sts., and father met daughter and those little boys at the front door. Safe, if not particularly sound.

His attention then redirected to saving Williams and Gibson, a couple who work nightshifts and rent the second floor of the house from Allison and her husband Robert Sanders. Tim said he made a short scramble around the neighborhood in search of a ladder before scrapping that idea. Williams and Gibson, both by now wide awake but struggling to breathe in an increasingly hot, smoke-filled environment, were forced out a second floor window.

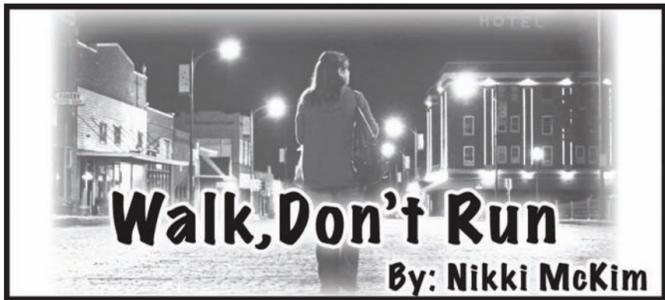
Tim, with the aid of Mike Dishong, who by chance was driving by and stopped to help, convinced the young couple to hang from the window sill before dropping to the men and safety.

Both were taken to Community Medical Center for treatment of smoke

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How do you find the words to describe what happened last Tuesday night during that wild, wild, Wildcard Game?

Brian and I got last minute tickets to the baseball game of the century. Our excitement was nearly too much to contain. Once we arrived in Kansas City and parked helicopters circled above as music rolled around us. An airplane circled with a banner that read "It was worth the wait." I'm going to make a bold statement here but this was unlike any Husker tailgate I had been to. This was special and you could feel it.

Tailgating didn't last long as excitement overtook us and we practically ran to the gates as they opened. Once inside I watched Oakland take their batting practice while Brian just stood in awe. He took everything in with a huge smile on his face.

Our star pitcher James Shields started the game. In the top of the first inning Brandon Moss of the A's had a two run shot but we came back with a run in the bottom and two more in the third. Things were going alright for us until the sixth inning. Royals manager Ned Yost pulled "Big Game James" and replaced him with Ventura. It was a strange move but something we have come to expect from the very unpredictable Yost. Three pitches in, Moss, yes that same Moss hit a three-run homer turning a one-run lead into a two-run deficit. Two more runs silenced the crowd. People started leaving and our row cleared out. People gave up and I have to admit I was near my breaking point. I moved down a few seats so I could do some serious pouting. People all around us were booing Yost. It was upsetting to see Ned booed at home. The Royals had once again been "Yosted" and everyone wanted to make their headache known.

We finally caught fire as the A's started to lose steam. Nobody in that stadium or who was watching could have predicted or imagined in their wildest dreams what was about to happen. The Royals had a run-scoring single by Cain followed by a walk. Salvy and Infante both struck out. Then came Josh Willingham. I am a bit anti-Willingham but low and behold he hit a single to right field. Dyson was brought in to pinch-run for him and with the speed of a jaguar, he advanced to second on a sacrificed bunt and stole third. Finally Dyson was allowed to score off a hit from Aoki.

We went into extra innings! People were cheering, screaming and jumping up and down. I know I had my mouth open with sound coming out but I couldn't even hear myself scream. That is how loud it was at that moment.

The amazing Brandon Finnegan who only a few months ago pitched in the College World Series, kept the A's at bay during the 10th and 11th innings. I was losing my steam. The emotional toll was nearly too much and I was exhausted. How much more could we take? Everyone around us started to agree with my inner monologue. They too were exhausted and emotionally drained.

Finally after heartbreak and joy that had nearly killed us all we were about to see something pretty magical. Salvy hit a walk-off single in the 12th inning. It went right down the left field line and Colon was able to score.

We all lost our minds in a big way. Okay, I want you to stop right now and try to remember the last time you felt so much excitement and joy as an adult that you couldn't contain yourself. When was the last time you felt that kind of intense excitement? I'm talking jumping, crying, screaming, hugging stranger's kind of excitement. I have sat here and tried to remember the last time I had done that. I honestly don't believe I've had that kind of emotional reaction to anything in my life. Sure when my son was born I was the happiest I had ever been but there is no jumping, screaming and grabbing strangers. This was intense and different. 40,000 people in one place were completely losing their minds. There is nothing like it. Most of the people there had waited a full 29 years for this moment, for some it was literally their entire life. I had only waited 12 years so any reaction I had was intensified for so many others in that stadium.

We stood cheering for a good chunk of time after the game. We waited for others to leave while we celebrated and watched the team do their interviews and shower in champagne in the locker room. We wanted to get down to the dugout but an usher told me that the team wouldn't be back out so we went to find our car. (She was a lying liar by the way.) On the way to our vehicle we watched grown men sobbing while hugging strangers. I received so many high fives my hand hurt and we watched fireworks going off all around us. We made it back to our car and enjoyed the blue glow of Arrowhead, fireworks that I felt in my chest and people singing and cheering. It was the greatest party I had ever been to. We had no choice but to enjoy the party and dance in the rain because our car was blocked in as everyone else left. We pulled into Falls City a little before 4:00 a.m. Excitement wound down and sleep finally set in and 3 hours later we were up and ready for work. We rode our euphoric Royals high all day. It was totally worth it.

To be a part of such a wild experience was amazing. Anyone who says baseball is boring will need to be shown that game. There has been nothing boring about this season and now with the first series under our belts, the ride continues to be the stuff dreams are made of. I will continue to wear my lucky long socks, K.C. headband and wrong-side-out rally cap. I will stick with what works, even if it sounds slightly insane. This last week has been absolutely unbelievable. Billy Butler stole second! We swept the best team in the league! But I still can't imagine anything being better than that Wildcard game. I would love to see these guys go to the World Series but after that incredible game, how could it get any better?

Time will tell.



Native Americans, rock legends and the pipeline saga

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

Help me get my head around something here friends. There are nearly 21,000 miles of hazardous liquid and natural gas pipelines in Nebraska already. So what makes the battle over the latest one proposed – the Keystone XL – so special? Just asking.

Nearly 8,000 people gathered on an Antelope County farm on a beautiful fall Saturday afternoon to listen to music legends Willie Nelson and Neil Young perform. If you don't know these artists, stop reading right now. The crowds gathered in protest of the pipeline and in support of alternative energy proposals. They also saw members of several Native American tribes honor the musicians who have been familiar performers at the scattered series of Farm Aid concerts over the years.

The Nebraska Pipeline Association says the prairie is criss-crossed by interstate, intrastate, and distribution lines. Those pipelines may include large-diameter lines carrying energy products to population centers, as well as small-diameter lines that may deliver natural gas to businesses and households in your neighborhood, the Association says. The industry association calls pipelines the safest method for transporting energy products, but admits that when pipeline incidents occur they can present significant risks to the public and the environment.

The Nelson-Young concert and a number of protest-related activities have been sponsored by a group called Bold Nebraska. That group's activist leader Jane Kleeb says a report by University of Nebraska civil engineering professor John Stansbury predicts that there could be as many as 91 leaks in the anticipated 50-year lifespan of the Keystone XL pipeline if it is built. Stansbury apparently researched pipelines' history and TransCanada regulatory filings to predict that the leaks could potentially put 6.5 million gallons of tar sands oil in the Ogallala aquifer and essentially contaminate drinking water.

In May, TransCanada – the company that wants to build the Keystone XL Pipeline – submitted a revised route to the State Department, bypassing an original Sandhills route but still passing over parts of the massive aquifer. That action followed President Obama's rejection of the original route some months earlier.

Protestors have planted crops and built a barn and Native Americans have planted sacred grasses in the proposed path. The outdoor concert occurred on land near Neligh that also lies in the proposed path. While the Harvest of Hope Concert was going on, looking not-unlike a miniature Woodstock or another version of Farm Aid, thousands of other people were driving trucks with trailers and SUV's and station wagons along the multi-stop Junk Jaunt route from Arcadia to Wood River and a number of points (and towns starting with other letters of the alphabet) in between. The garage sale atmosphere in those

communities was heart-warming as people turned the event into an outdoor fair. In fact, county fairgrounds in a number of those towns were crammed with flea market booths offering everything from homemade food to antiques and crafts.

I was driving in the Sandhills as well, enjoying the beauty of the crops and the trees and the sky filled with puffy white clouds on a day that was perfectly perched on the edge of fall. Occasionally I would see an orange and white pipe with a warning sign poking up several feet out of the ground, often at the edge of a pasture or near the rustling stalks of

brown and nearly ready for harvest corn or soybeans. Over the years, I have come to recognize these as the indicator that pipelines are buried below.

Knowing this and seeing the passion of the folks who are protesting the Keystone XL, I have pause to wonder if we need another pipeline ... another threat to the peace and tranquility of the environment and the lifestyle we have come to appreciate in one of those mostly square states out west.

But I also have to ask if there is a political agenda or a social undertow that I do not recognize. It has been six long years since this pipeline was proposed. Hopefully we can see the matter resolved, one way or the other, sometime soon.

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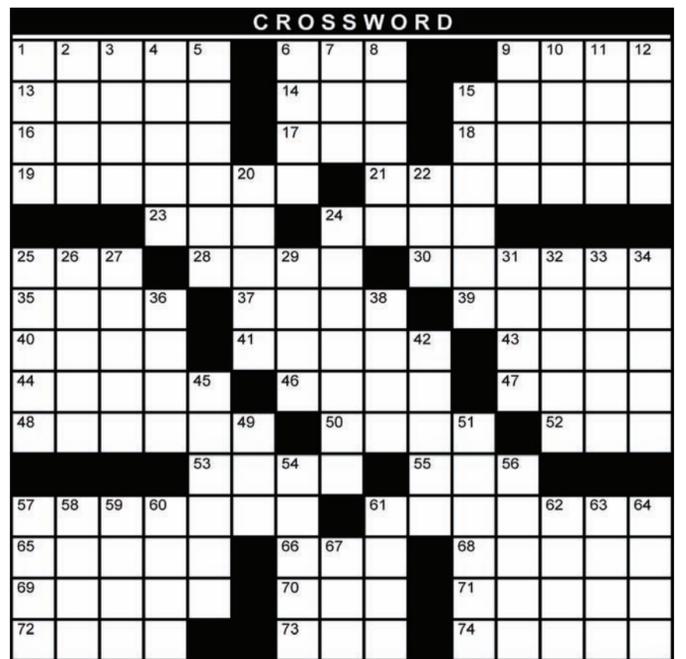
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ACROSS

- Range
- Group of exercise reps
- A large number or bunch
- "I am _____, hear me roar"
- In the past
- Bilbo Baggins' land
- Eye opener
- Negative conjunction
- Dip a _____ the water
- *Team with most World Series titles
- On the shore
- If you do this you shall receive?
- Type of Asian food
- On most pants and skirts
- High fidelity
- Elevated box
- October birthstone
- Winningest Super Bowl coach
- Run off, as in couple
- Have the blues
- Russian prison
- *Go to extra innings when the score is this
- "Bravo! Bravo!" e.g.
- Strong review
- Spanish Surrealist
- Kind of monkey
- *1972 World Series MVP, _____ Tenace
- Newsman Rather
- Easy to pull and hard to push
- Rub the wrong way
- *First non-U.S. team to win World Series
- *First World Series losers
- Dodge
- *1925 World Series hero and HOFer, _____ Traynor
- Put up with
- *A hard hit ball
- Funerary vase
- Fiji's neighbor
- *2013 World Series ended with one for Cardinals
- Teacher's _____
- Atones, archaic

DOWN

- Like a tree in the wind
- RC, e.g.
- Yemen's neighbor
- Winter wear
- Catch in a net
- "Without" in French
- Freudian topic
- Pentateuch
- Pest command
- In _____ of
- Sportscaster _____ Andrews
- Direct one's way
- *Reason for 1994 World Series cancellation
- Increasing or adding to, often used with "out"
- CO2, e.g.
- Farm land under cultivation
- *Reggie Jackson's forte
- Geologic period
- Syrup flavor
- *Minimum games played in modern World Series
- Big Bang's original matter
- Sheep or buffalo, e.g.
- Met's offering
- Xe
- Grassy land tracts
- Cleanse or wash
- Genius, pl.
- *_____ Field, where Braves hosted 1999 World Series
- Chronic drinker
- Misprints
- *When it landed in '96, Yanks were champs
- Shish _____
- Be a snitch
- Hodgepodge
- *You need more than opponent to win a game
- Lyric poems
- Closely confined
- Like Tim of "A Christmas Carol"
- U2 guitarist
- Red one and Yellow one, e.g.
- Anger or wrath



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THINKING ABOUT HEALTH

Generic drug field full of pricing traps

By Trudy Lieberman, Rural Health News Service

A friend of mine, a diabetic, stumbled on to another booby trap in the pricing of generic drugs. In my last column I described the new two-tiered arrangements insurers are pushing on patients. You can choose a non-preferred generic and pay more, maybe a lot more, or a preferred generic and get a price break. That's the same pricing scheme insurers use for the expensive brand-name drugs.

Consumer groups, doctors, and insurance carriers have encouraged patients to choose generics over the name brands as a way to help lower the nation's healthcare tab. So for many years my friend has been using a generic drug called gemfibrozil that diabetics often take to lower triglycerides and cholesterol.

It has worked for him. No nasty drug interactions. No nasty side effects. And the price has been low--\$2.71 for 60 pills. In August the price more than doubled to \$6.14. He was still OK with that.

He was not OK when he got a bill in September from Express Scripts, the pharmacy benefit manager for his Medigap carrier whose plan is offered by his former employer, the City of New York. (PBMs, as they're called, manage the drug benefits for employers and insurers and supposedly help hold the line on prices.)

Express Scripts wrote his doctor without consulting my friend, the patient, suggesting that for reasons of "safety and efficacy," he should switch his patient to a different drug, a generic called fenofibric acid. His share of the cost would now be \$156.70 for 90 pills. Fenofibric acid costs \$1.74 per pill compared to gemfibrozil's 10 cents a pill resulting in an out-of-pocket cost increase of 1,640 percent.

Why the switch, my friend asked his doctor. The doctor pointed to the reasons given in the letter about an increased risk of skeletal muscle effects and said maybe it was advisable to try the new drug. He was, however, astounded by the price, but my friend said it was clear the doctor wasn't going to fight the PBM.

My friend spoke to an official at New York City's employee benefits office who said her office has never heard of a PBM recommending that a more expensive generic drug replace a cheaper one.

I rang up John Rother, former chief lobbyist for AARP and now head of a group called the National Coalition on Health Care. The Coalition is waging a campaign to educate the public about the exorbitant prices of drugs, particularly the Hepatitis C drug Sovaldi and other specialty drugs in the pipeline that will carry super high price tags.

"Generic drug prices have been rising steeply, and there doesn't seem to be an explanation for it," Rother told me. He said he could only guess that some generic drug makers are leaving the market and the ones remaining will have less competition and the power to increase market share and raise prices.

Maybe there are medical reasons my friend should make the switch, but so far his doctor hasn't been persuasive. Has the PBM discovered new side effects for the drug he's been taking? Who's treating the patient--the doctor or the PBM? And how does this big price jump fit in with the PBM's purported mission: to save money for insurers and employers? Was my friend caught in a tussle between the clinician and the bean counters? How does he know who's right without doing extensive research himself?

Since individuals can't negotiate prices with drug companies, and Congress has prohibited Medicare from negotiating prices when it passed the prescription drug benefit law in 2003, my friend says, "companies have carte blanche to rip people off. In situations like this no one ever talks straight, but someone is making a lot more money." He's trying to get back on gemfibrozil or a similar generic that's cheaper than the one the PBM suggested.

Rother looks at the big picture now coming into focus from the sharply rising prices of generics. "Four years after we passed what we thought was universal health coverage, you can't get the medicines you need because of the prices. It's tragic," he says.

We want to hear your questions and comments about your healthcare experiences. Tell us about your experiences with generic drugs. Write to Trudy at trudy.lieberman@gmail.com

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I am a former resident of Falls City and recently had the opportunity to park my family's motor home at the Stanton Lake parking area.

I would just like to compliment everyone who has a part in making this one of the finest camp areas in the state.

The grounds were immaculate from the lawn, trees and planting areas to the well-maintained path and benches around the lake. The children loved the play areas and the fishing was great.

We were also most impressed by the easy accessibility to the wetland area (I remember ice skating there as a child!) and all the "nature" that we saw there.

"Thank you" doesn't cover the amount of work it takes to keep a park this nice. Residents of Falls City--you owe your park workers and City Fathers a pat on the back for making this area a priority.

I'm very proud to call Falls City my hometown.

Penny (Saal) Hewgley
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Area parents and caregivers will have an opportunity to have child safety seats checked at Falls City's Community Medical Center from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 18.

Southeast Safety for Kids and Nebraska Safe Kids will have nationally-certified child passenger safety technicians on hand to assist parents and other caregivers with correct use of child safety seats.

"For this event, parents and caregivers can call and schedule a specific time to come to the event rather than driving up and possibly having to wait in line for assistance," says Laura Osborne, SE Safety for Kids Coordinator. "We are looking forward to helping as many families as we can that day. It is our goal that children leave our event safer than they arrive. When our technicians work with a family, they are working to empower the parent and/or caregiver to install the child safety seat correctly themselves. This is important as we strive to keep the youngest citizens of southeast Nebraska as safe as possible while traveling in motor vehicles."

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Collectibles & Antiques
Approx. 175 collector plates consisting of Knowles, Hummel, Henri d'Arceau & Fils
Two Iron bed frames
Hand painted Nippon plates
Lots of hand painted China plates & bowls
Goebel figurine collection
4' school desk bench
5 Antique dressers and chests
Bottom half of kitchen cupboard, metal top
Very old wooden glider
3-drawer curved front dresser
2 Antique rocking chairs
Antique wooden baby hi chair
Two pair of old wood folding chairs
Two metal trunks
Several wall mirrors

12 - old wooden chairs, various styles
Smith-Corona typewriter w/typewriter table
Wood clothes hangers w/advertising
Metal trunk, walnut doll crib
Old hall trees, cast iron flower stand
Several hat boxes w/hats
Lots of costume jewelry
Vintage dresses & patterns
Tobacco tins, ornate picture frames
Rooster weather vane

Appliances & Furniture
Whirlpool dryer, super capacity
Maytag washer
GE refrigerator w/top freezer, 20.6-cu.ft.

Amana microwave
2 La-Z-Boy recliners
Living room couch; Roll top desk
Dining room table w/6 chairs, 2 leaves
Tiger wood dresser w/wishbone mirror
Pie safe w/tin punch slides
Cedar chest 23"x46"x18", very nice
2 Dressers w/mirrors, 6 & 10 drawers, very nice
3, 4 and 5-drawer chests
Occasional chairs
Table & floor lamps
Drop leaf and End tables
Oak chairs w/padded seats
Bookshelves, magazine racks
Magnavox TV, HP copier - Deskjet F4140
Stereo and cassette player

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AUCTIONEERS NOTE: A lifetime collection of approx. 100 years. Lots of very old pieces of furniture and collectibles. Please join us in a fun, full day auction as we are still unpacking boxes that have been in storage for years. There will be something for everyone. You will not be disappointed!
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Hayes' lawyer seeks change of venue

Presumably, it's a *Falls City Journal* article written by Editor Jason Schock and published in the Aug. 26, 2014 edition that has made it "impossible to secure a fair and impartial jury" in the County's latest case against convicted felon 43-year-old Scott D. Hayes. His lawyer last week in Richardson County Court filed a motion for a change of venue.

Prosecutors are seeking, for the third time in his life, the enhanced penalty of being a habitual criminal for Hayes, who was a felon by the age of 19, was later convicted of ramming a car into a RC Sheriff's patrol vehicle and then shooting the Falls City Chief of Police. He currently stands accused of yet again assaulting a peace officer and is looking at a fifth prison sentence.

The minimum sentence for being a habitual criminal is 10 years in prison; the maximum is 60. The previous two times were dismissed through plea agreements with the Richardson County Attorney's Office. Hayes is currently being housed at the Diagnostic & Evaluation Center in Lincoln and did not appear in Court with his lawyer, William von Seggern, last week.

County Court Judge Curtis Maschman took the filing for a change of venue "under advisement."

According to Nebraska State Statutes, "a party seeking change of venue must show that publicity has made it impossible to secure a fair and impartial jury. The factors to be evaluated in determining whether a change of venue is required due to pretrial publicity include the nature of the publicity, the degree to which the publicity has circulated throughout the community, the degree to which the publicity circulated in areas to which venue could be changed, the length of time between the dissemination of the publicity complained of and the date of trial."

The Aug. 26 *Journal* story detailed Hayes' past convictions, as well as the current case. Hayes, in addition to the habitual criminal penalty, in District Court faces two felony charges of terroristic threats. He's scheduled to go on trial Nov. 12.

On May 5, Hayes, out of prison a couple months shy of one year, was arrested on suspicion of DUI after police received a call from his sister, Tonya Shopteese, at 1004 Stone St., requesting assistance as Hayes was "yelling and kicking the door, trying to get inside" the resi-

dence. Shopteese was in the home with her daughter, who was crying in fear, according to the arrest affidavit.

When FCPD Officers Jason Wasson and Chuck DiGiacomo arrived on the scene, Hayes allegedly spit in Wasson's face and threatened the officer.

The Aug. 26 *Journal* article pointed out that 100 percent of criminal cases held in Richardson County District Court the past three years have been amended via plea bargains.

In other news:

— A 22-year-old Falls City man was sentenced to 18 months probation after attempting to pass a phony \$20 in Atchison last July.

Wendtlandt had earlier pled guilty to one count of making false information. In exchange for the plea, one count of theft was dropped.

— A 22-year-old Falls City man faces up to five years in prison or a \$10,000 fine, or both, after being charged with DUI—.15-plus (second offense).

Tyler S. Wintz was arrested in August and last week appeared in County Court on the additional charges of refusal to submit to pretest; driving under suspension; possess/consume an open alcohol container; and disobey stop light.

A preliminary hearing is scheduled for Oct. 27.

— A 27-year-old Falls City woman faces felony criminal mischief charges after allegedly entering the home of Paul E. Schawang III at 1912 Morton St. on Sept. 1 and causing extensive damage to a TV, computer and printer, and refrigerator/freezer.

Colby L. Elms is scheduled to appear in County Court for a preliminary hearing Oct. 27.

According to court documents, Elms upon her arrest admitted to officers of causing the damage, which exceeded \$1,500.



McCULLOUGH — Michael and Missy McCullough are happy to announce the birth of their son, Thaddeus Michael, who was born on Sunday, Sept. 28, at Baptist St. Anthony Medical Center in Amarillo, TX. He weighed 6 pounds, 15 ounces, and was 19 1/2 inches long. Brothers Riley, Everett and Maddox, and sisters Mazey and Indie welcome him home. Maternal grandparents of Thaddeus are the late Rose and Leo Conrad. Fraternal grandparents are Lynn McCullough and the late Bill McCullough.

Society

STELLA CIRCLE

The Stella Community Church Women's Circle met on Tuesday, Sept. 23, with 10 members and one guest present. Roll call was to bring paper products for church use, of which a generous amount was received.

Monthly reports were given and approved.

Tea and Guest Day will be Oct. 14 at 1:30 p.m. The theme will be "Harvest Blessings," and Jackie Gfeller from the Brock Christian Church will be the guest speaker.

Annual reports of the accomplishments of various committees were given. After hearing the report of the Missionary chairman, it was moved and passed to donate funds to further efforts of those in the field.

At the meeting's close, refreshments were served by Bonnie Mehlin and Ella Johnson.

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Weddings



Lehmkuhl - Walker wed last spring

Amanda Ruth Lehmkuhl and Benjamin Bruce Walker both of Hiawatha were united in marriage on Sunday, March 23, 2014 at 3 p.m. at the Eternal Hope Worship Center in Hiawatha. Parents of the bride are Richard and Susan Lehmkuhl, of Hiawatha, and parents of the groom are Brian and Cindy Walker, of Hickman.

Friends of the couple, LeAnn Merrett and Jessica Nobbe of Lincoln, presided at the guestbook. Guests were ushered to their seats by Joel Thompson, Falls City, friend of the couple, Wayne Harris, Lincoln, brother-in-law of groom, and Chris Yoesel, Falls City, cousin of the bride, while favorite songs of the couple were being played.

Candle lighters, Kaitlyn Rutt, Lincoln, friend of the couple, and Avery Lehmkuhl, Hiawatha, cousin of the bride, lit the candles on the remembrance table. The church platform was decorated with two antique tables with hurricane lamps with ivory candles lit in memory of the groom's grandmothers, Mary Walker and Jean Kechley.

The groom, wearing a black suit with a purple tie and a fresh white rose boutonniere, escorted the grandparents, Karen and Larry Lehmkuhl, Hiawatha, Doris and Clarence Yoesel, of Falls City, and Bruce Walker, of Falls City, followed by his parents. The bride's brother, Levi, escorted his mother.

The bride was escorted by her father, Richard Lehmkuhl. Her dress was a strapless, organza, a-line gown with a side draping style along with a two tier, fingertip floral embroidered veil adorned with a bridal comb with a scroll detail of crystal and pearls. A pearl necklace and earrings were borrowed from her mother to complete her gown. The bride carried a fresh bouquet of white roses and purple hydrangeas wrapped with white satin and adorned with pearls. The song, Keeper of the Stars by Tracy Bird, was played as the bride made her way down the aisle.

The Pastor Todd Grove, Lincoln, friend of groom and Pastor Richard Lehmkuhl, the bride's father, performed the ceremony. During the ceremony, Annie Tollefson, of Hiawatha, friend of couple, and Kevin Rieger, of Falls City, cousin of bride, sang, "When God Made You and When I Say I Do" during the unity

sand.

Matron of Honor was Emily Thompson, of Falls City, friend of the bride. Bridesmaids were Stephanie Hagedorn, of Parkville, MO, friend of the bride; Kayla Nigus, of Hiawatha, cousin of the bride, Madison Lehmkuhl, Rossville, cousin of the bride, Amanda Adams, of Louisburg, friend of the bride and Christy Huntsucker, of Kansas City, friend of the bride. They wore strapless, floor length gowns of chiffon lapis. All carried silk bouquets of yellow roses and white hydrangeas wrapped in burlap.

Caleb Merrett, of Lincoln, friend of groom, served as best man. Groomsmen were Colin Earnest, Brandon Earnest, Scott Earnest, Cory Jurgens, all of Lincoln, friends of groom, and Levi Lehmkuhl, of Hiawatha, brother of the bride. All wore black slacks and white shirts with matching yellow ties along with boutonnieres of yellow and purple silk mini roses wrapped in burlap.

Ring bearers were Reed and Tate Harris, of Lincoln, nephews of the groom. They pulled the younger flower girls, Sayla Harris and Olivia Smith, of Lincoln, nieces of groom, in a wagon adorned with burlap and white tuleri. The other flower girls were Hallie Harris, Emma Smith and Ava Smith, of Lincoln, all nieces of the groom.

The couple was escorted to the Fisher Center for the reception in a 1953 Chevy Bel Air owned by the bride's grandparents and driven by Steve Yoesel, uncle of bride. A light supper was served. Guests enjoyed viewing a display of pictures of the couple growing up and their families. Tables were decorated with the burlap theme with candle lit mason jars.

The three-tiered wedding cake and groom's cake were made by the bride's grandmother, Karen Lehmkuhl, and Dawn Boyles, friend of the couple. It was decorated with burlap, purple and yellow flowers and topped with the Willow Tree "Together" cake topper. Cake servers were Linda Cook, aunt of groom, Vicky Yoesel, Beth Yoesel, and Ann Lehmkuhl, all aunts of the bride, and Rachel Cook, cousin of the groom.

The couple took a honeymoon trip to Branson, MO, and Eureka Springs, AR, area in May. The couple resides in Hiawatha and both are employed by USD#615.

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Bridal Registry

We congratulate these couples on their upcoming wedding.

Abby Heskett & Drew Froeschl
Oct. 11, 2014

Morgan Hodge & Eli Bachman
May 23, 2015

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Come in and let us help you with your gift ideas for this couple.

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TUESDAY THRU SATURDAY
4:30 - 6:00 P.M.
 1. Hamburger Steak 5. Country Fried Steak w/gravy
 2. Breaded Shrimp 6. All you can eat soup & salad bar.
 3. Chicken Strips 7. Battered Cod Fillets.
 4. Grilled Chicken Breast
Dinners include your choice of baked, mashed or french fried potatoes, and green beans or peaches. Topped off with a dish of ice cream for dessert.
\$6.99

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AUCTION STARTS AT 12:00 NOON

Handmade Quilts	Paul Mitchell basket of products
Rag Quilts	Family Fun Pack
Wreaths	Brown Shoe gift pack
Nebraska Box	Fall Quilted wall hanging
Nebraska Tickets and Misty's gift certificates	BBQ and Beer package
Dr. Crotty Gift Certificates	Stella and Dot jewelry
John Deere toys and blanket	Thirty One package
Handyman box	Twist and Twirls little girls package
Handbags and beauty products	Twist and Twirls girls package
Shell basket with Yankee candles	Eve A. Salon Package
Fall Bouquet	American Flag rag rug
Camo lunch bag with hair product	Mandy Hall Photography package
Stationery basket	Gudy tool package
Distressed Kitchen cupboard	Canvas Sunset Photographs
	Gift Certificates and more!

CUSTOMER APPRECIATION SPECIAL

Calf & Yearling Sale & Barbecue.

Dickey's Barbecue will cater the meal

Thursday, Oct. 9 • 11:00 to 12:00

Starting at 11:30 a.m. selling 600-700 calves and 1,500 yearlings. 50-75 slaughter cows & bulls.

Feature consignment of 800 steers weighing 800-825 pounds that will come from one family

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Breast Cancer Awareness Month

IDC most common type

Many people have been touched by breast cancer. Whether you have dealt with your own diagnosis or that of a friend or family member, the prevalence of breast cancer has left few people without a story to tell about a personal experience with this potentially deadly disease.

According to Breastcancer.org, a nonprofit organization dedicated to proving reliable, complete and up-to-date information about breast cancer, roughly one in eight women in the United States will develop invasive breast cancer over the course of her life, while the Canadian Breast Cancer Foundation notes the figures are slightly more optimistic in Canada, where one in nine women is expected to develop the disease during her lifetime.

Many of the women who develop breast cancer will be diagnosed with invasive ductal carcinoma, or IDC, which the National Breast Cancer Foundation notes is the most common type of breast cancer, accounting for between 70 and 80 percent of all diagnoses. While women and even men who develop breast cancer are most likely to be diagnosed with IDC, there are less common forms of breast cancer, and learning about these rare cancers may help save your life or that of a loved one.

Medullary carcinoma - Though medullary carcinoma diagnoses

are rare, this is an invasive type of breast cancer that begins in the milk duct and spreads beyond it. The tumor that forms when a person has medullary carcinoma is a soft and fleshy mass. Medullary carcinoma cells typically appear like aggressive, abnormal cancer cells, but these cells do not grow quickly and often do not spread outside the breast to the lymph nodes, which makes medullary carcinoma a relatively easy cancer to treat. Medullary carcinoma can occur at any age, though it typically affects women in their late 40s and early 50s.

Tubular carcinoma - Tubular carcinoma is a type of IDC that starts as small, tube-shaped structures known as tubules that appear similar to normal, healthy cells. Tubular carcinoma cells grow slowly and are unlikely to spread outside of the breast, and, for that reason, tubular carcinoma typically responds well to treatment. Though tubular carcinoma once accounted for a very small percentage of breast cancer diagnoses, they are now being diagnosed more often, thanks in large part to the prevalence of screening mammography that has been catching cases of breast cancer before doctors feel a lump. Tubular carcinoma may feel less like a lump and more like a cushiony area of breast tissue.

Mucinous carcinoma - Mucinous carcinoma is also a rare type of IDC in which tumors are made up of abnormal cells in mucus, which is a part of mucus. Many types of cancer cells, including the majority of breast cancer cells, produce some mucus, which lines most of the inner surface of the normal human body. But when a person is diagnosed with mucinous carcinoma, the mucus has become part of the tumor, so when examined under a microscope, the cancer cells appear to be scattered in pools of mucus. Mucinous cancer can affect people at any age, though it is especially rare in men and most often diagnosed in women after they have gone through menopause. Mucinous carcinoma is a less aggressive type of breast cancer than others and is less likely than other types to spread to the lymph nodes. As a result, it typically responds well to treatment.

Paget's disease of the nipple - Paget's disease of the nipple is characterized by breast cancer cells that collect in or around the nipple. The cancer typically affects the ducts of the nipple first before spreading to the nipple surface and areola, which is the dark circle of skin around the nipple. Both the nipple and areola can and likely will become irritated, itchy, red, and scaly when a person has Paget's disease, and these signs may be the first indicators that breast cancer is present. While Paget's disease of the nipple is rare, the National Cancer Institute notes the importance of recognizing its symptoms, as 97 percent of people with Paget's disease also have cancer elsewhere in the breast. Though the NCI notes that Paget's disease can develop in both men and women, it is more common in women, among whom the average age for diagnosis is 62.

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month.



(L-R) Peru State College First Lady Elaine Hanson, King Ryan Bauman, Queen Lexi Neemann and President Dan Hanson. Seniors Ryan Bauman of Falls City and Lexi Neemann were crowned during halftime of the Peru State Football Game.

Falls City Native Crowned PSC Homecoming King

Peru State College celebrated its 94th annual homecoming last Saturday themed "Blue Magic." The day began with the running of "Nebraska's Toughest Mile" followed by a homecoming parade, tailgate carnival featuring chili, burgers and hotdogs, and the Bobcat football game.

Seniors Ryan Bauman of Falls City, NE and Lexi Neeman of Sioux City, IA were crowned Peru State College's 2014 Homecoming Royalty by President

Dan Hanson and First Lady Elaine Hanson during halftime of the PSC, Baker University football game.

Bauman, a graphic design major is the son of Jenny and Mark Bauman of Falls City. Ryan is president of Campus Activities Board, sergeant at arms for Student Senate, a resident assistant and an ordained minister.

The duo was elected by members of the Peru State student body.

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October 8, 9,
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 Park Entry Permit Required. **INDIAN CAVE STATE PARK**

Society

CHINA PAINTERS

On Sept. 17 the Humboldt Forget-me-not China Painters met at the Methodist Church in Bern, KS, with Sharon Hunzeker as hostess. Six members were present.

Sharon gave the lesson on painting corn which was very interesting and fun.

The next meeting will be with Betty Grossenbacher and members are to bring something with a Christmas theme. The meeting will be Oct. 15. Sharon served dessert with coffee and tea.

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 5:00 - 8:00 PM
SAT., OCT. 11
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4. Grilled Chicken Breast
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6. All you can eat soup & salad bar.
7. Battered Cod Fillets.

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Public Record

DISTRICT COURT

— Chance Simon, 31, of Falls City, last Tuesday was sentenced by Judge Daniel E. Bryan to serve 30 days in Richardson County Jail and placed on probation for three years after pleading no contest to a pair of felony possession of a controlled substance charges. The jail sentence began immediately after sentencing. If he breaks the terms of the probation order, Simon is subject to serve a subsequent series of 30-day sentences (beginning March 30, 2015; Sept. 30, 2015; March 30, 2016; Sept. 30, 2016; March 30, 2017; Sept. 30, 2017). He was also ordered to undergo a drug and alcohol evaluation and pay Court and probation costs totaling \$1,316.

— Jeremy S. Kaster, 30, of Rulo (formerly Tecumseh), last Tuesday was found guilty of violating the terms of his four-year probation and will be resented on felony theft and misdemeanor criminal mischief and attempted burglary charges on Nov. 18.

Terms of Kaster's probation included obeying the law and in June he was charged with making terroristic threats, a Class IV Felony, in Johnson County Court in Tecumseh.

Kaster was originally sentenced to probation in relation to 2013 thefts from Douglas Kirkendall, Kenneth Arnold and Brandon Duerfeldt. He was ordered to pay restitution totaling \$7,541.20, in addition to costs and fees of \$2,010.50.

Kaster also appeared in County Court last week and was formally charged with obstructing a peace officer, a Class I Misdemeanor, stemming from an Aug. 11 incident. He pled not guilty and a pretrial hearing was set for Oct. 20.

— Robert S. Hilliard, 42, of Falls City, was sentenced by Judge Bryan to serve six months in Richardson County Jail (to be served in the Nebraska Dept. of Corrections) for a charge of attempted operation of a motor vehicle during revocation period, a Class I Misdemeanor.

or. — Ethen M. Bentley, 22, of Falls City, plead no contest and was found guilty to the charges of terroristic threats, a Class IV Felony, criminal mischief, a Class II Misdemeanor, after reaching a plea agreement with the County Attorney's Office. A felony charge of burglary was dismissed and the criminal mischief charge was dropped from a Class I Misdemeanor (up to a \$1,000 fine and one year in jail) to a Class II (\$1,000 fine, six months in jail).



Kaster

A jury trial had been set for Nov. 12. He will now be sentenced Nov. 18 and a Judge Byran ordered a presentence investigation.

Bentley was arrested on July 12 and accused of throwing a brick through the Burbank Apartment (2704 Chase St.) window of Heidi Jones and entering and ransacking the residence while Jones and her infant daughter barricaded themselves in a bedroom. Jones told police Bentley threatened to shoot her and "make her stop breathing."

Bentley in March 2012 was found guilty of attempted burglary, a Class IV Felony, and spent 278 days in RC Jail.

CIVIL COURT

Judgment entered in favor of Credit Management Services, and against Wesley Twyman, of Shubert, in the amount of \$153.51, plus prejudgment interest of \$7.77, attorney fees of \$20.35 and Court costs of \$58.40.

COUNTY COURT

Amber D. Barr, Verdon, possession of burglar's tools, a Class IV Felony. Plead not guilty; scheduling conference set for Oct. 20.

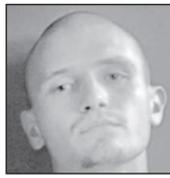
Christopher J. Reeves, Falls City, DUI—.15-plus (one prior conviction), amended to DUI—.15-plus. Pled guilty to amended charge. Sentencing set for Nov. 3.

Cole E. Ramer, Shubert, count one, speeding (21-35); count two, reckless driving, first offense. Probation extended to Nov. 30. Ordered

to complete alcohol counseling by Nov. 15 or appear in Court Nov. 17 and serve five days in Richardson County Jail.

Paige N. Frederick, Falls City, count one, no proof of insurance; count two, operating a vehicle without proof of ownership; count three, unlawful/fictitious display of plates; count four, non-transparent material (window tint). Counts one and two dismissed with prejudice (**ED NOTE** - dismissal with prejudice bars the government from prosecuting the accused later on the same charge). Found guilty on counts three and four. Fined \$75, plus Court costs of \$49.

Enrique Ramirez, Sabetha, KS, count one, DUI, first offense; count two, refusal to submit to test, first offense; count three, non-resident violating 30-day immunity. Trial set for Oct. 29.



Bentley

Timothy A. Scheele, Falls City, count one, DUI, first offense; count two, refusal to submit to pretest. Trial set for Nov. 12.

Allie E. Vaughn, Dawson, count one, leaving the scene of an accident without furnishing information; count two, willful reckless driving, first offense; count three, following too closely. Case continued to Oct. 22 for entry of plea.

Randy E. Ninemires, Leona, KS, theft by shoplifting (less than \$200). Case continued to Oct. 22 for entry of plea.

Blake M. Westcott, Falls City, count one, assault in the third degree; count two, disturbing the peace. Count one dismissed with prejudice, pled guilty to count two. Sentencing set for Oct. 27.

Jack Fritts Jr., Falls City, theft by deception (less than \$200). Pled not guilty. Pretrial hearing set for Oct. 20.

John M. Hall, Shubert, count one, speeding (6-10); count two, driving under suspension. Case continued to Oct. 20 for entry of plea.

Michelle L. Bice, Falls City, count one, maintaining a nuisance; three counts of application - mobile and modular home storage prohibited. Pled not guilty to all four counts. Trial scheduled for Oct. 29.

Michelle L. Bice, Falls City, animal running at large. Pled guilty. Fined \$25, plus Court costs of \$49.

Michelle L. Bice, Falls City, four counts dog(s)/cat(s) unlicensed; count five, nuisance - dogs as a nuisance (Rottweiler mix dog without compliance with City ordinance). Pled guilty to counts one,

two, three and four; pled not guilty to count five. Trial on counts one, two, three and four, and sentencing on count five, set for Oct. 29.

Kevin Craig, Falls City, weeds/grasses higher than 12 inches (property at 2023 Wilson St.). Pled not guilty. Pretrial hearing set for Oct. 27.

Frank Worthey, Humboldt, construction of owner's initiative (built sidewalk that didn't conform to "the estimated grade or elevation indicated by the Street Commission"). Pled not guilty. Trial set for Oct. 29.

Stephen J. Hundley, Falls City, count one, operating a motor vehicle to avoid arrest; count two, obstructing a peace officer; count three, speeding (16-20). Count one dismissed, pled guilty to counts two and three. Fined \$475, plus Court costs of \$49, and placed on six months probation.

COUNTY COURT WAIVERS (Court costs not included)

Guadalupe Cano-Lopez, failure to use child passenger restraint, \$25; failure to use seat belt, \$25.

William E. Messinger Jr., speeding (11-15), \$75.

Fermin J. Bailon, speeding (6-10), 25; failure to use child passenger restraint, \$25.

Corey J. Wasserburger, speeding (21-35), \$200.

Dartan J. Henderson Jr., speeding (16-20), \$125; illegal passing, \$25.

Ronald R. Droll, speeding (16-20), \$125.

Marcos D. Cantu, passing in the same direction, \$25.

Mikel A. Karr-Ake, speeding (11-15), \$75.

Esther L. Sifford, speeding (6-10), \$25.

Cynthia A. Worthington, failure to yield right of way, \$25.

Michelle L. Bice, two counts animal running at large; two counts dogs/cats, unlicensed. Fined \$100.

Wesley R. Johnson, speeding (6-10), \$25.

Emily M. Scribner, speeding (6-10),

\$25. Samantha A. Huffles, speeding (11-15), \$75.

Daniel R. Frenzel, speeding (16-20), \$125.

Dalton J. Witt, speeding (\$200).

Josue Sanchez, speeding (21-35), \$200.

Bradley E. Gannaway, speeding (11-15), \$75.

Shawnderic L. Conner, exceed length limits, \$35.

Arkadiy L. Rakovshchik, speeding (21-35), \$200.

James M. Schneider, speeding (6-10), \$25.

Mark A. Stokes, speeding (11-15), \$75.

Quentin G. Bowen, overtaking/passing prohibited, \$25.

Pamela A. Harper, failure to use seat belt, \$25.

Elisa A. Rottinghaus, speeding (16-20), \$125.

Donita A. Stratton, unlicensed animal, \$25.

Kyle M. Wells, speeding (6-10), \$25.

Timothy A. Scheele, unsafe backing, \$25; count two, acts declared unlawful, \$50.

Laura E. Blakley, maintaining a nuisance, \$25; weeds/grasses higher than 12 inches, \$25.

Daylon C. Wirsch, speeding (11-15), \$75.

Kyle M. Kovac, speeding (11-15), \$75.

Seth D. Avery, expired in-transit decal, \$50; Lonnie D. Teeter, speeding (16-20), \$125.

Celso Hurtado-Garcia, speeding (11-15), \$75; no operator's license, \$75.

David B. Rottino, speeding (21-35), \$200; failure to stay in lane, \$25.

ACCIDENTS

Wednesday night, Oct. 1, 1912 Nemaha St. Driver: Edward McTaggart, Falls City. Estimated damage when McTaggart backed 1996 Ford F-150 pickup, owned by Violet McTaggart, into light pillar owned by Amy Surman: \$500 of property damage; \$100 to McTaggart truck. Edward McTaggart was issued a citation by Falls City Police Officer Jason Wason.

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Making It Right

In the Public Record which appeared in the Tuesday, Sept. 30, 2014 edition of *The Journal*, it was reported that Deborah L. Hundley, Falls City, pled not guilty to assault in the third degree. It should've read Deborah L. Holloway, of Falls City. The Journal apologizes for the error.

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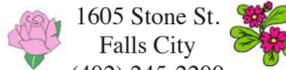
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The Falls City High School Lady Tiger volleyball team celebrates its championship victory over Exeter-Milligan Saturday in Tecumseh at the Johnson County Central Invite. FCHS defeated the hosts (25-19, 25-17), avenged an earlier loss to NC Lourdes (25-23, 25-21) and then upended Exeter-Milligan 25-22, 11-25, 25-21 in the title match. The Lady Tigers, winners of five in a row and six of their last seven matches, improved to 14-5 on the 2014 season. Falls City travels to 4-17 Conestoga tonight and hosts the four-team FCHS Invite Saturday. The team is on the road next week, at St. Joseph (MO) Lafayette Oct. 13 and at Marysville, KS, Oct. 16. "The girls are playing hard and improving everyday," Coach Julie Frederick said. In the big victory over Exeter, sophomore Alyssa Frederick recorded eight team-high kills and made just two errors attacking. As a team, FC had just seven errors at the net. Senior Maygan Ramsey finished with six kills and junior Libby Bauman recorded five. Senior Jerrica Beckner was the defensive leader with seven blocks, two for aces. Senior Baylee Vrtiska set up the hitters with 17 assists.

Twenty-nine Irish champs honored at NE Hall of Fame Banquet Sunday

The Nebraska High School Sports Hall of Fame Foundation honored Falls City Sacred Heart for the Dominant Dynasties Award for 2014 and coaches and players from 29 Irish championship teams (between 1988 and 2011) Sunday at the NSAA Hall of Fame Induction and Awards Ceremony held at the Lied Center in Lincoln.

FCSH Principal, Athletic Director and Coach Doug Goltz accepted the award on behalf of the school, made a few remarks and introduced several former Sacred Heart athletes on stage.

Sacred Heart teams to be honored include:

- Football - 1989, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94
- Volleyball - 1997, 2006
- Girls Basketball - 1998, 99, 2000
- Boys Basketball - 1988, 89, 90, 91, 99, 2001, 2004, 2008
- Girls Track - 1998, 99, 2000, 2001
- Boys Track - 90, 91, 93, 04, 98, 2006

FC Sacred Heart's 2013 boys track and football titles are not included in the "Dynasty" Award, as the nomination and voting process was held prior.

This year's other inductees and honorees:

Athletes

--Wally Anderzunas (Omaha Creighton Prep, 1964): A two-time all-state player, he led Creighton Prep to the state basketball title in 1964, played at Creighton University and for the Cincinnati Royals of the NBA.

--Cory Eikmeier (Dodge, 1997): State record-setting running back rushed for 8,330 yards and scored 156 touchdowns in his prep career. Went on to play at UNO.

--Gerry Ferguson (Scottsbluff, 1947):

A four-sport standout, he was All-Big Ten in football and basketball, leading the Bearcats to the mythical state football title in 1945. Also a state long jump champion, he earned three letters playing football for the Cornhuskers.

--Dennis Harrison (Ralston, 1990): He was a two-time state high school all-around champion in gymnastics and the 1994 NCAA all-around champion leading the Huskers to the national title.

--Cedric Hunter (Omaha South, 1983): A four-year letterman and 1,000-point scorer for the Kansas Jayhawks basketball team, he averaged more than 23 points per game his junior and senior seasons.

--Peaches (James) Keaton (Papillion-LaVista, 1999): The ace pitcher on four straight Monarch state championship teams, she set numerous state records, including throwing 11 no-hitters, five perfect games and a .04 ERA in 1999. An All-American for the Huskers, she pitched professionally for four years.

--Kristie (Korth) Brezenski (Columbus Scotus, 1998): A standout on three volleyball and three basketball state championship teams, she set assist records while leading the Shamrocks to the state soccer championship in 1998 and became a four-time conference offensive player of the year for the College of St. Mary soccer team.

--Jerry Murtaugh (Omaha North, 1967): An undefeated state high school wrestling champion and an All-American linebacker at Nebraska, he set tackle records for the national champion Cornhuskers in 1970. Signed by the New England Patriots, his professional career never took off because of knee injuries.

--Gary Neibauer (Scottsbluff, 1963): All-state in football and basketball and a state champion hurdler, he pitched and ran track for the Cornhuskers then went on to play professional baseball for the Atlanta Braves and Philadelphia Phillies.

--Larry Riessland (Pleasanton, 1967): He scored a national-record nine touchdowns in a single football game and finished with 80 his career. He also scored 400 or more points in his junior and senior basketball seasons and twice placed at the state track meet in the 880.

Coaches

--Kelly Flynn (South Sioux City): He coached South Sioux City to 11 state championships and 508 victories in 27 years.

--John Larsen (Lincoln SE): As a basketball coach, he won 560 games in 31 seasons and won nine state championships. He was an assistant coach for eight Southeast state championships and head coach for four years.

--Roger Mathiesen (Kearney High): Architect of Kearney High's track dynasty that has the nation's all-time regular-season winning streak of 21 years. His Bearcats have won 15 state championships and finished second three times since 1994.

--John Petersen (Columbus Scotus): His 41-year coaching career includes 863 volleyball victories and 353 basketball victories as well as 15 state volleyball championships and three state basketball titles.

Contributors

--Dick Beechner (Kearney): The current Hall of Fame Board of Directors president and a past executive director, he has been an athlete, coach and administrator and an organizer of state high school cross country and golf meets.

--Chuck Stevens (Lincoln): The voice of Lincoln high school sports for 30 years while working at KFOR radio, he often would broadcast more than 100 games in a year.

Official

--Roger Berney (Fremont): A registered wrestling official for 32 years, he worked 20 state tournaments as well as the NAIA National Championships of 1980. He also officiated volleyball for 25 years and football for 15 years.

Honorees

Great Moment in High School Sports -- Twins Darren and Damon Schmadeke of Boone Central led their team to the 1991 Class C state track championship with a 1-2 finish in the 200.

Gustafson Inspiration Award -- Josh Jones, Omaha Central's career leader in scoring, saw his basketball career at Creighton end because of a heart ailment.

Fischer Family Award -- Bill and Delores Kropp Family from Aurora includes successful college athletes in several sports as well as successful coaches. Son Tom played in the NBA and granddaughter Jenny is a professional beach volleyball player.

Silver Anniversary Team -- Elkhorn football (1989), Class B state champions went 13-0 and outscored foes an average of 33.5-7.7.

Silver Anniversary Team -- Hastings St. Cecilia volleyball (1989), Class C2 state champions, went 27-0, while opponents averaged less than five points per set.

Golden Anniversary Team -- Columbus football (1964), went 10-0, outscoring opponents 318-87 and chosen as the state champion by the Omaha W-H.

Golden Anniversary Team -- Cozad Wrestling (1965), won Class B state title for the third straight year with five individual champions.

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FCMS Students of the Month of September

The students of the month for September at the Falls City Middle School were: Jake Joy, eighth grade, Kade Bredemeier, seventh grade, and Thayer Armbruster, sixth grade. Each student received a T-shirt printed with the Student of the Month logo. The shirts are compliments of Stripes and Signs. The Elks Club will sponsor a complimentary meal during Youth Week for all of this year's student of the month recipients and their parents.

To receive student of the month, students must first be nominated by one of their teachers. The criteria for nomination this year once again focuses on the 212 degree message. The teachers are continuously looking for the students that give the extra degree. This is a student that demonstrates extra effort by being an exemplary student. Someone who internalizes the truth that is "Not enough to be good when you have the ability to be BETTER!" Each month the teachers choose an individual from each grade that were identified as a 212 degree student and met the criteria. This includes: turning work in on time, exemplary behavior everywhere, goes out of their way to help peers, good grades and/or improvement; always showing effort, active and/or involved in the community, leadership accomplishments: academic, athletic, or in the community, school attendance, positive attitude toward others, honest and trustworthy, cooperative and dependable, helpful to teachers, positive attitude toward school, and considerate of other's feelings.

Teachers vote by private balloting. To win student of the month, one student must receive a majority of the votes. Those students who don't win are given honorable mention and are eligible in future months.

Thayer Armbruster is the sixth grade student of the month for September. She is the daughter of Andy and Sarah Armbruster. Thayer is a responsible, polite, and respectful student that is attentive in class and helpful to teachers and classmates. She has been on the honor roll and participates in band and chorus. Thayer stays active outside of school with Falls City Recreation softball, soccer, and basketball.

Kade Bredemeier is the seventh grade student of the month for September. He is the son of Jason and Mandy Bredemeier. Kade is a quiet, responsible, and respectful student that strives to do his best each and every day. He has received recognition for honor roll and ABBIT. Kade participates in band, chorus, show choir, football, basketball, track, and quiz bowl. Outside of school, Kade is active in CCD and baseball.

Jake Joy is the eighth grade student of the month for September. He is the son of Ray and Pam Joy. Jake is described as a model student that is responsible, respectful, and a delightful member of classroom discussions. He has been on the honor roll and ABBIT lists in previous years. Jake participates in chorus, basketball, track, and quiz bowl. Beyond the school, Jake is an active member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, ELCA, the Falls City Trap Team, and Falls City Recreation baseball.

The students who received honor-



FCMS Students of the Month of September, from left: Jake Joy, Kade Bredemeier and Thayer Armbruster.

able mention for September include: Stephen Acton, Ali Ivey, Dillon Ebel, Travis Ott, Courtney Rumbaugh, Josie Crofford, and Jessica Burns.



The staff and administration of FCMS have announced the selections for September High School Students of the Month. The honors go to the following students, front row, from left: Leslie Vitosh, freshman daughter of Jason and Stacey Vitosh; Rudy Vrtiska, freshman son of Kim and Kris Vrtiska; back row, Tucker Merz, senior son of Marc and Sally Merz; and Sydney Armbruster, senior daughter of Duane and Theresa Armbruster.

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Tigers earn third consecutive blowout; expect 4th verse Friday with Cougars

FC High senior Brenden Heckenlively rushed 11 times for 129 yards and three touchdowns, senior Jack Hartman added 114 yards on 18 carries and senior Jordy Stoller rushed four times for 67 yards and a score, and also returned a fumble 84 yards for a touchdown as the Tigers beat Louisville 47-12 on the road to get a third consecutive victory and improve to 5-1 on the season.

FC has outscored its last three opponents 139-24 and should only add to the lopsidedness this Friday when they host a winless Johnson County Central team coming off a 26-16 loss to Auburn.

At Louisville, FC racked up 386 yards of total offense, but also surrendered 233 Louisville passing yards. Defensively, Zayne Heckenlively rushed for a couple TDs and on the other side of the ball recorded six solo stops, while Derek McCann and Tucker Merz each had a couple sack dances. Zach Jordening also snagged a pick, returning it 30 yards.

The preliminaries are over this week, though, as Falls City travels to Syracuse Oct. 17 in a game that will decide the District Title and perhaps inevitably a state playoff berth.

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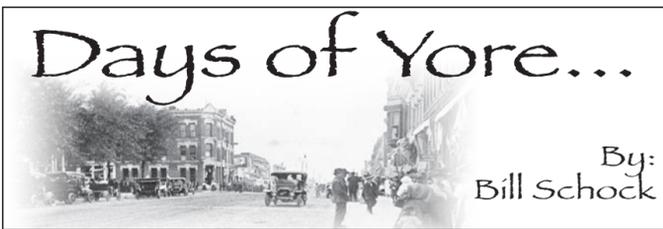
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**50 Years Ago
(Oct. 5-10, 1964)**

In an early harvest corn, at the edge of the severe drought (it was spelled drouth then) area west of Verdon was making about 60 bushels per acre. However, there was some 100-bushel milo.

Bonnie Cook, a member of the FC Saddle Club, won two children's events at the Dawson-Verdon Saddle Club horse show. Weldon Bowers was the announcer.

Fifty-one Richardson Countyans were attending Peru State College. Capt. Larry Apel, FC, was stationed at Forbes AFB, Topeka, KS.

Roger West, a Missouri Pacific Railroad brakeman, was selected to attend the railroad's officer training course at St. Louis.

A son was born Oct. 4 to Mr./Mrs. Michael Pagnano, Verdon. At Hackett's anniversary sale famous name bras were selling for 88 cents and ladies' wool skirts for \$5.44.

The first month of the North and South School lunch program directed by Sally Stanton 1,172 meals were served.

At the Oil City John Wayne was starring in "The Commanche" and at the Rivoli Frankie Avalon and Don Rickles had the leading roles in "Bikini Beach."

Butch Haws, FC, played his guitar and sang at the Peru State College "Variety Show."

Mr./Mrs. Dale Goodhart, Humboldt, purchased the Western Auto store in Auburn.

An item from United Press: Houston, TX--The city's humane department head Harold Fife was asked why there was no law in the city against letting cats run loose as there was for dogs. Harold's reply: "Have you ever tried to catch a cat?"

25 Years Ago

Navy Lt. Sandra Schawang, FC, a graduate of the U.S. Naval Academy at Annapolis, MD, was stationed at Whidby Island, WA.

Nicole Hopper, Southeast Consolidated, was the Journal's Richardson County Athlete of the Week.

Julian Goltz and Donnie Stice, both of Rulo, were married Sept. 2 at the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Rulo.

Airman 1st Class Vernell Schutte, Verdon, was in Air Force intelligence training at Goodfellow AFB, TX.

Chad Wilson, 18, was awarded his Eagle Scout Badge. He was a member of Troop 393 sponsored by the Elks Lodge. Roger Lampe was Scoutmaster.

The stork report: daughter Oct. 8 to Mr./Mrs. Dean Stevens, Reserve; daughter Oct. 9 to Mr./Mrs. Bill Pohlman, Humboldt.

Novak Realty bought the Carter building at 1423 Harlan Street. Kristy Sneathen, Sacred Heart, and Tom Stumbo, FCHS, were selected as Junior Rotarians of the Month.

The FCHS Tigers shut out Auburn 34-0. Juniors Cameron McNabb, Jason McNeely and Jason Schock led the way for the Tigers. McNabb rushed for 144 yards and McNeely connected with Schock three times - A 22-yard diving circus catch by Schock set up one score, another 21-yarder went for a touchdown and the third followed for the two-point conversion.

Minnie Klebba, Grand Island, and Leonard Stout, FC, were married Sept. 16 at the FC First United Methodist Church.

15 Years Ago

The Journal ran a photo and story of horses Cap and Queenie pulling a wagon at The Nursery School, Highway 159 west of Rulo. Cap and Queenie were made of cornstalks by Betty Majerus and her sister, Violet McTaggart. The horses were so realistic that the 159 traffic became terrific as people from near and far drove by to see them and to snap photos.

Homecoming royalty: Sacred Heart, Matt Mosiman and Julie Froeschl; Southeast Consolidated, Curtis Aue and Anna Avery; D-V, Jacob Fritz and Hilary Koso.

Ivy Campbell, FC, received a bachelor of science degree in nursing from Creighton University.

An open house was held for Sandy Catlin, nurse practitioner, at Family Medicine.

The stork report: son Oct. 4 to Mr./Mrs. Kenneth Thiltges, Rulo; son Oct. 1 to Mr./Mrs. Max Milam, FC; daughter Oct. 4 to Mr./Mrs. Michael Stoller, FC.

The Journal's Athletes of the Week were Carla Hunzeker, FCHS, softball, and Josh Rhodd, Sacred Heart, football.

Dan Wittwer, Dawson, sold his Wittwer Fertilizer Service to Stateline Ag, owned by Neal Kanel and J. R. Isch.

At the 4-H Fun Night at Humboldt Vivian Hall, FC, was honored for her 30 years of leadership service and Ron Hilgenfeld and Lois Hersh for 15 years.

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Darlene Willey

Darlene Willey, 72, of Emporia, KS, entered into rest on Thursday Oct. 2, 2014 at Stormont Vail Health Care in Topeka, KS. She was born Oct. 3, 1941 in Salem to Leve and Maude (Roland) Willey.

She loved the Lord and was a good Christian woman who worried for others' salvation. She loved her roses and was known for her rose bushes.

Darlene is preceded in death by her husband, Benjamin Kimbrel; father, Leve Willey; daughter, Sharon Marie Kimbrel; granddaughter, Shanon Maree Eppens; brother, Roger Willey.

She is survived by her mother,

Maude Willey; daughters, Darlene (James) Green, of Hesteria, CA, Jean Kimbrel, of Emporia, and Susan (Robert) Langston, of Wichita, KS; brothers, Frank Willey and Garland Willey, both of Falls City; five granddaughters and four grandsons; seven great-granddaughters and six great-grandsons

Visitation at Bethel Baptist Church in Emporia was Monday, Oct. 6, 2014. The funeral service was held Tuesday, Oct. 7, at Bethel Baptist Church, with the interment at Maple Cemetery in Salem later in the afternoon.

Online condolences may be made at www.charterfunerals.com



Mary Benderson

Mary Benderson, 90, formerly of Fremont, died Friday, Oct. 2, 2014, at Stella Maris Nursing Home in Timonium, MD, following a long illness. Mary was born to Patrick and Josephine (Miller) Quinlan in Dawson on Sept. 15, 1924.

Mary Quinlan married Ben Benderson, who she met three weeks after moving to Fremont in 1945, on Jan. 26, 1952. Ben preceded Mary in death in 2005. She was also preceded in death by her parents and two older brothers, Michael and William Quinlan.

Mary is survived by her three children, Joan (Tony) Paulson, of University Place, WA, David (Susan) Benderson, of Cedar Rapids, IA, and Esther (Eric) Frey, of Lutherville, MD; as well as six grandchildren, Brian (Nadia), Julia Gingerich (Corey), Philip, Monica, Ethan and Sarah; and two great-granddaughters, Yasmine and Salma.

Mary was a longtime member of St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Fremont and worked in the school lunch program at St. Patrick's School for nearly 20 years. She also worked at JC Penneys and Hormel. Mary and Ben were avid walkers in their retirement. They led the Fremont Volkswalk Club and completed Volkswalks in every US state followed by Volkswalks in every US state capitol city. Mary was also a 30-plus year member of TOPS in Fremont.

A Funeral Mass will be celebrated at St. Patrick's Catholic Church at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 9, 2014. Visitation will be from 4-8 p.m. Wednesday, with a Vigil/Rosary Service at 7, all at Moser Memorial Chapel in Fremont. Visitation will continue at church one hour prior to the service at the church. Mary will be buried next to Ben at Calvary Cemetery in Fremont.

Memorial donations can be sent to Stella Maris, the skilled nursing facility that cared for Mary (2300 Dulaney Valley Rd., Timonium, MD 21093) or to Archbishop Bergan High School in Fremont.

Arrangements by Moser Memorial Chapel 2170 N. Somers Ave. Fremont, NE 402-721-4490

Online condolences may be left at: www.mosermemorialchapels.com

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TREASURE SEEKERS

The Treasure Seekers met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Norma Lee Duerfeldt with eight members and a guest, Charlain A. Dkins, of Phoenix, AZ, present.

Carolyn Meckstroth conducted the business meeting. Carol Bierman read minutes and called roll, which was answered with how many states have you visited. Thank you notes were read from James Hersh and Andrew Stalder.

Refreshments were served by Norma Lee. The next meeting will be at 1 p.m. Oct. 15 at the home of Brenda Garriott.

Donna K. (Overfield) Winker

Donna Kay (Overfield) Winker, 60, of Humboldt, passed away Thursday, Oct. 2, 2014 at Good Samaritan Society in Auburn. She was born Feb. 3, 1954 in Falls City to Don and Mary (Mullins) Overfield.

Donna attended Chadron Elementary School through the 3rd grade and then Holbrook Elementary School through 6th grade. After her family moved, Donna attended public school in Humboldt, where she graduated from Humboldt High School with the Class of 1972. Donna continued her education at Peru State College and later received her LPN degree from Southeast Community College in Beatrice.

Donna was united in marriage to Eldon Paul Hunzeker from June 18, 1972 until 1979. To this union four children, Kari, Nathan, Eric and Aaron were born. Donna spent most of her life in Humboldt, where she lived and raised her four children. She worked as a nurse's aide and LPN in hospitals and nursing homes in southeast Nebraska. In April of 1991, Donna was united in marriage to Bruce Anthony Edward Winker in Humboldt. After the passing of her husband, she continued to devote her life to the raising of her children and, later, her grandchildren.

Donna was a member of The Christian Church in Humboldt, where she attended services and Bible study regularly. She enjoyed spending time with her family, watching sports, cross-stitching, poetry, drawing, and word puzzles.

Her favorite entertainment was watching grandchildren play sports, especially baseball, basketball, football and volleyball. She became a resident of Colonial Acres Nursing Home and later Good Samaritan Society when her health began to decline.

She was preceded in death by husband Bruce Winker and her father Don Overfield.

Donna is survived by her daughter, Kari (Mike) Preclik, of The Czech Republic; sons, Nathan (Lisy) Hunzeker, of Altavista, VA, Eric (Amberly) Hunzeker, of Lincoln, Aaron (Melinda) Hunzeker, of Humboldt; 10 grandchildren; mother, Mary Overfield, of Humboldt; sisters, Debbie (Dan) James, Deane Overfield and Darcy Weldon, all of Humboldt; brother, Dan (Cindy) Overfield, of Auburn; and many other nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

Funeral Services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, Oct. 8, 2014 at The Christian Church in Humboldt, with Pastor Howard Blecha officiating. Visitation will be from 9 a.m.-8 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 7, at Wherry Mortuary in Humboldt. Family will greet friends from 6-8 p.m. at the mortuary. Interment at the Humboldt Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be given to The Humboldt Christian Church, Bruun Memorial Library Fund or Good Samaritan Society in Auburn. Online messages of condolence can be left at www.wherrymortuary.com

Kenneth J. Keller

Kenneth J. Keller, 97, of Nebraska City, died Friday, Oct. 3, 2014 at Morton Place in Nebraska City. He was born July 25, 1917 in Syracuse, the son of Harry and Elizabeth (Brammier) Keller.

Survivors include his son, Dennis (Carol) Keller, of Tucson, AZ; daughter, Kay (Gene) Nannen, of Nebraska City; seven grandchildren; eight great grandchildren; daughter-in-law, Madeline Wilhelm, of Falls City; many other relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents; wife, Delores (Meyer) Keller; son, Ronald Keller; infant daughter, Phyllis Anne; grandson, Nathan Nannen; and brothers, Den-

ver Keller and August Keller. Funeral services will be held Saturday, Oct. 11, 2014 at Bethel United Church of Christ in Nebraska City with burial in Wyuka Cemetery in Nebraska City. Memorials are suggested to the Bethel United Church of Christ.

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Local newspaper is 'tie that binds'

By Robert M. Williams, Jr.

What do you care most about in life?

Most of us would put family at, or near, the top of such a list. Friends would be there. So would our jobs or businesses, our livelihoods. Our homes. Maybe our pets. Our hobbies and pastimes. Add in those around us: Neighbors, the community, etc.

That's our world, our "sphere of influence." Whatever happens to those who inhabit that place in our hearts and lives means something to us.

We monitor.

We respond.

We pay attention. We laugh. We cry. We hurt. We rejoice.

We care.

And that is what *well-run* newspapers do, too. (The italics on well-run are mine.)

As I have traveled the nation this past year, it's been reassuring to see so many dedicated men and women who see newspapering as so much more than a "job." Newspapering is a job in the same sense that being a father or mother is a "job."

Parents are responsible for the well-being of their family. Good newspapers take on that role with the communities we serve. Newspapers are vigilant in protecting our communities from destructive influences, both from without and within. Newspapers sound the alarm with swift, accurate and thorough coverage when sensitive issues arise. We provide not just facts, but clearly labeled editorials and analysis stories that offer in-depth points — and counterpoints — to help everyone weigh matters with sufficient information.

Newspapers also serve as "points of pride" where communities celebrate individual and collective achievement, offering congratulations and joining in mass celebration.

Newspapers serve communities in sad times as well, providing clear, concise facts about tragic events, their causes and how they might be prevented from re-occurring. When communities are sick or injured, newspapers bleed. We share the pain and shed tears along with our readers.

If the newspaper I've described sounds like a living, breathing thing ... that's because they are. Despite what a few might have you believe, newspapers are far from dead.

As long as parents take pride in the birth of a baby, a home run by their Little Leaguer, or graduation, marriage, promotion or any number of life's milestones, people will enjoy reading about them in their community newspaper.

As long as people care about who died in their community this week, how high their taxes may rise or who scored the winning touchdown at the high school football game — community newspapers will be alive.

As long as bulletin boards and refrigerator doors display cherished family memories, community newspapers will be alive.

John Donne said: "No man is an island." Because we don't live isolated lives, apart from everyone around, newspapers are going to be here to help us celebrate, mourn and record life's history as it happens. Newspapers are the "tie that binds" people together.

And in the words of that old hymn: "Blest be the tie that binds."

Thanks for reading your newspaper during National Newspaper Week.

Robert M. Williams, Jr. is a weekly newspaper publisher in Georgia and president of the National Newspaper Association, representing more than 2,500 daily and weekly newspapers across America. Email him at rwilliams@atc.cc.

Happy Anniversary



Zimmerman's celebrate 70th wedding anniversary

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Grateful Grandfather

Dear Editor,

Recently there was a fire at my daughter's home in Falls City that started as a small grease fire on the stove as she was preparing her lunch.

Despite her efforts to extinguish, it rapidly turned into an uncontrollable blaze. The Falls City Volunteer Fire Department response time was awesome, they were there in a matter of very few minutes. Upon learning that people were trapped inside the house, our VOLUNTEER community sprang into action...Wow! What a great relief and welcome sight that was to see. The Falls City PD, FC Volunteer Ambulance, FC Volunteer Rural Fire, Verdon Volunteer Fire, Richardson County Sheriff, Emergency Management and The American Red Cross were all there in assistance in only minutes.

I want ALL of you FIRT RESPONDERS to know how

grateful I am to you.

vol-un-tee

noun: volunteer; plural noun: volunteers

1. a person who freely offers to take part in an enterprise or undertake a task.

My wife, Rita, is — and has been — a very active member of the Falls City Volunteer Ambulance Service for the last few years. I know from experience how hard they all work and some of the sacrifices the family has to undertake to support their Volunteer. If you are one, THANK YOU! Or if you know someone who is, please do not take them for granted and give them all of your support.

Sincerely,
Tim Campbell

Friday Fire

(Continued from Page 1)

inhalation. Gibson was then transferred to Lincoln for more intensive treatment on his lungs. Both are now out of the hospital and recovering well. Neither Allison or the little boys were injured.

FC Fire Chief Kenny Simpson said 13 volunteers from Falls City, nine more rural (including Tim's youngest brother, Bob, who heard the call, believed it was his niece's home and got info that people - no names - were trapped on the second floor), were there in minutes, as were members of the FC Volunteer Ambulance Squad and the Richardson County Emergency Management Agency. Firemen quickly extinguished the grease fire, packed up and left in time for happy hour.

Firemen quickly deduced that the fire started in the kitchen and, as fires do, sought oxygen and moved vertically. The stairs leading to the second floor sit directly adjacent to the kitchen.

The home is a "total loss," according to Tim. The young couples are each back in living with parents, all or most of their belongings are destroyed and everything else will forever smell like Friday, Oct. 3, 2014 — and yet this was, and is, truly a "happy" hour. If for no other reason other than they are not the saddest of days for Falls City, these families and their friends. The potential depth of tragedy avoided Friday is nearly incomprehensible, yet very much real.

"Five more minutes, I'm not sure we would've gotten the fire

out," Simpson said. "I don't know that we would've gotten inside the home and you have to get in the house to get water on the fire."

Time, certainly, is of the essence. So let that be a lesson to each of us. This is, after all, National Fire Prevention Week.

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Want an audience? Say it in the paper

By Pete Mohs

2014 MN Newspaper Assoc. President

Tucked inside the 4H building at the Minnesota State Fair is a working museum filled with old presses, two Linotypes and other features of a 1930s-era newspaper. During the two weeks of the state fair each year, I, along with many other volunteers have the opportunity to share with visitors the importance of newspapers in our communities.

Hundreds of visitors, in just the one day I volunteered at the museum, talked about the important role the newspaper industry has played in their lives - past and present. They showed a great appreciation and passion for the longest running media source.

The newspaper industry, with its print and online formats, continues to play a critical role in documenting the daily activities of communities across Minnesota.

Despite our changing world, the daily and weekly community newspapers remain a prime source for recording local news events. Newspaper staffs document the lives of local citizens from birth announcements to their obituaries, the developments of city councils, county boards and school boards, the hometown school athletics and arts programs, and all the news and year-round area event coverage.

Newspapers provide vital information for readers. Other media sources, like online news networks and radio stations, no longer have many news reporters and depend on newspaper coverage to inform their audience. And television network news barely touches the tip of the iceberg for coverage in each community around the state.

It comes down to the newspaper industry to provide community entertainment and news coverage, not to mention key advertising and public notice information. Newspapers continue to serve as an important function of the democratic process in America.

Newspaper staffs across the country can be proud of their efforts to inform and document the events of their communities. The newspaper industry continues to be the best media outlet for reaching mass audiences, especially with the combined print and online capabilities.

Checkoff programs issue statement on gubernatorial debate

Five of Nebraska's commodity checkoff programs have issued a joint statement in response to endorsement claims made during the Nebraska gubernatorial debate held Thursday night.

The Nebraska Corn Board, Nebraska Pork Producers, Nebraska Soybean Board, Nebraska Wheat Board, and Nebraska Beef Council are all prohibited by law from endorsing or opposing political candidates at any level. Comments made during the debate may have led voters to believe that these checkoff programs had made endorsements in the governor's race.

In Thursday night's gubernatorial debate on NET Television, Democratic candidate Chuck Hassebrook said he had received endorsements from "presidents and board chairs of the commodity organizations and boards from every one of the five major commodities—beef, pork, corn soybeans and wheat..."

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Kids: color stuff in!

Exploring the World

I love to explore in the oceans. Can you read these clues and put the last name of each world-traveling explorer in the puzzle?

- Leif _____ - an explorer from Iceland who landed in North America about 500 years before Columbus.
- Marco _____ - Venetian explorer; traveled into China and other parts of Asia. He was the first European to meet Kublai Khan, the emperor of China.
- Amerigo _____ - Italian explorer, thought to have sailed past Brazil. The Americas were named after him.
- Christopher _____ - born in Genoa, (which is now part of Italy), but was sponsored by Spain's King and Queen, who gave him three famous ships: Niña, Pinta and Santa Maria. He made 4 trips to the "New World."
- Ida Laura _____ - Austrian explorer; traveled around the world more than once. Her books about her travels were published in seven languages.
- Juan _____ - first European explorer to land in Florida (which he named). Legend says that he wanted to find "The Fountain of Youth."
- Hernando _____ - Spanish Explorer who led an expedition to South America, which in turn led to the downfall of the Aztec Empire.
- _____ - thought to be the first African-born man to step in North America. He was a slave to an explorer and he scouted much of the Southwest.

Where is my map?

Are we there yet?

Hey! The Fountain of Youth does exist.

Hmmm... I think I see a cozy spot!

Columbus 1
Ponce de Leon 8
Cortez
Vespucci 12
Pfeiffer 10
Magellan 6
Estevanico 11
Zhou 9
Eberhardt 7
Polo
Man
Fawcett
Erikson

"Explorers" of Air and Space

"Hey, there really is cheese on the moon!" My name is Star. I like to study photos that show parts of our solar system and universe. I would like to be an astronaut.

These people studied and explored the skies. Can you finish the clues?

- Yuri Gagarin - Soviet cosmonaut; first person in outer space and to orbit _____ (1961).
- Steven Hawking - Works in the science of energy and matter (physics) and math; helps us understand space, the way our _____ works, and what may lie beyond the stars.
- Neil Alden Armstrong - First man to walk on the _____ (1969).
- Valentina Tereshkova - Soviet cosmonaut, first woman in _____ (1963).
- The Wright Brothers - First people to have a powered, controlled _____ in 1903.
- Galileo Galilei - Italian physicist was put under house arrest for writing that the Sun was the center of the universe, not the Earth; invented one of the first _____.

telescopes 4
flight 5
universe 2
Earth 3
Moon

Searching the Seas

deepest oceans breathe 3 species

- Jacques Cousteau - his Aqualung let divers _____ underwater; filmed the world under the water.
- Jacques Piccard and U.S. Navy Lt. Don Walsh - manned a deep-diving bathyscaphe ("deep boat"), reaching a record-breaking depth of about 35,761 ft., in the _____ surveyed part of any ocean.
- Robert Ballard - found the sunken ship Titanic underwater; discovered countless new _____ deep in the sea.
- Teams of filmmakers, naturalists, zoologists and marine biologists work to explore and film the depths of the _____.
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Stephen Floyd, pastor
402-245-3755

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

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

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Sunday: Morning Worship 9:30 a.m., Sunday School 10:45 a.m.
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Rhonda Boeckman, pastor

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

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(Verdon)
Sunday: Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school.
Wednesday: Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
Jim Rannels, pastor

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701 Stone Street
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Wednesday: Adult Bible study, 6:30 p.m.; MAD4GOD Youth Group, open to all teens in the community age 13 and over, 6:30 p.m.
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(1902 Lane Street)
Sunday: Worship service, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, nursery (or pre-school), adult, 10:45 a.m.; Fellowship Hour, 6 p.m.
Wednesday: Bible study, 6:30 p.m.
Victor Haworth, pastor
245-5287
Don Shafer, moderator
245-5209

St. Thomas Episcopal Church
(16th and Harlan)
402-245-2868
sthomas@sentco.net
www.stthomasfallscity.org
Sunday: 9 a.m., Worship, Holy Eucharist, coffee, tea and conversation follow worship.
Wednesday: 5:30 p.m., Service of Evening Prayer.
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Monday: Prayer and Share Monday, 8:30 a.m.
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Dick Lionberger, Intern pastor

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

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Rev. Fay Ann Blaylock, pastor
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Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; church service, 10:15 a.m.
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Office: 883-2110
pastor Dave Lockard

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA, Case CI 14-129, ADAIR ASSET MANAGEMENT, LLC, Plaintiff, vs. RICHARD A. LIBERTY and THE HEIRS & DEVISEES OF LEORA M. LIBERTY, Husband & Wife; STEWART TITLE GUARANTY COMPANY, Trustee for FIRST-PLUS FINANCIAL, INC., d/b/a FIRST PLUS DIRECT, a Texas Corporation; JOHN DOE AND MARY DOE; and all other persons/entities UNKNOWN claiming any right, interest or title in the real estate described herein,

To: Richard A. Liberty and The Heirs & Devisees of Leora M. Liberty, Husband & Wife; Stewart Title Guaranty Company, Trustee for FirstPlus Financial, Inc., d/b/a First Plus Direct, a Texas Corporation and all other persons/entities UNKNOWN having or claiming any right, interest or title in Lots Five (5) and Six (6), Block One Hundred Ninety-five (195), Falls City, Richardson County, Nebraska.

You have been sued by Adair Asset Management, LLC. The object of the plaintiff's Complaint is to foreclose on Tax Sale Certificate No. 11-002 for the delinquent taxes on the real estate described above. The taxes due under the certificate are for the 2009 thru 2013 taxes plus interest at the rate of 14% per annum. The Complaint asks the court to find that the taxes are a lien against the real estate, as provided by law, and that upon establishment of such lien, the real estate, which may remain undredeemed, be sold at public sale to satisfy the decree so entered, together with interest and costs, including attorney's fees as provided for and by Nebraska Revised Statute §77-1909, as amended, and that the defendants be forever barred of all claims upon, interest in, right or title to, lien upon or equity of redemption in the real estate upon confirmation of the sale. To defend this lawsuit, an appropriate written response must be filed with the District Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, 1700 Stone Street, Falls City, Nebraska 68355, within 30 days of the last publication of this notice. If you fail to respond, the court may enter a judgment for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

ADAIR ASSET MANAGEMENT,

Deana K. Walocha, #21652
405 N. 115th Street, Suite 100
Omaha, Nebraska 68154
(402) 399-9049, ex. 103
Attorney for the Plaintiff
7-14-21

NOTICE

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA, Case CI 14-0115, ADAIR ASSET MANAGEMENT, LLC, Plaintiff, vs. THE HEIRS & DEVISEES OF BERT WETMORE and DONNA WETMORE, Husband and Wife; ALLEN FANKHAUSER, TRUSTEE; TED L. SCHOWENGERDT and BEVERLY SCHOWENGERDT, Husband and Wife; JOHN DOE AND MARY DOE; and all other persons/entities UNKNOWN claiming any right, interest or title in the real estate described herein,

To: Heirs and Devisees of Bert Wetmore and Donna Wetmore; John Doe and Mary Doe; and all other persons/entities UNKNOWN having or claiming any right, interest or title in All of Lot Three (3) in Block Thirty two (32), Nims Addition to the City of Humboldt, ALSO a strip of land 42 feet wide off the North side of Lot Two (2), in Block 32 in the City of Humboldt, Nebraska, more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the Northeast corner of said Lot 2, thence running South 42 feet, thence West 100, thence North 42 feet, thence East 100 feet to the place of beginning, Richardson County, Nebraska.

You have been sued by Adair Asset Management, LLC. The object of the plaintiff's Complaint is to foreclose on Tax Sale Certificate No. 11-011 for the delinquent taxes on the real estate described above. The taxes due under the certificate are for the 2009 thru 2011 taxes plus interest at the rate of 14% per annum. The Complaint asks the court to find that the taxes are a lien against the real estate, as provided by law, and that upon establishment of such lien, the real estate, which may remain undredeemed, be sold at public sale to satisfy the decree so entered, together with interest and costs, including attorney's fees as provided for and by Nebraska Revised Statute §77-1909, as amended, and that the defendants be forever barred of all claims upon, interest in, right or title to, lien upon or equity of redemption in the real estate upon confirmation of the sale. To defend this lawsuit, an appropriate written response must be filed with the District Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, 1700 Stone St., Falls City, Nebraska 68355, within 30 days of the last publication of this notice. If you fail to respond, the court may enter a judgment for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

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School District #70

Humboldt-TR-S Public Schools Board of Education, District #70 Special Meeting on Sept. 4, 2014 6 p.m., Board Conf. Room in Humboldt

A special work session of the Humboldt Table Rock Steinauer Public Schools Board of Education, District #70 was held on Sept. 4, 2014 at 6 p.m. in the Board Conference Room in Humboldt. The meeting was advertised in The Humboldt Standard, The Falls City Journal and The Pawnee Republican. A copy of the agenda was kept in the Superintendent's office prior to the meeting.

Board President Scott Ogle called the meeting to order at 6 p.m. Board members in attendance by roll call were: Neal Kanel, Rock Herr, Steve Schardt, Mike Bredemeier and Sandy Stalder. Also in attendance were Principals Lisa Othmer and Karl Cover and Board Recorder Kellie Workman.

Motion by Stalder, seconded by Bredemeier to approve the agenda. Motion carried 6-0.

Work session conducted with Shari Becker and Marcia Herring of NASB to begin the superintendent search process.

Motion by Schardt, seconded by Stalder to adjourn at 7:42 PM. Motion carried 6-0. The next regular meeting of the HTRS Board of Education will be Sept. 9, 2014 at 7:10 p.m. in the 2nd Floor Math Room at the Humboldt site.

Respectfully submitted,
Kellie Workman, Board Recorder

NNRD

NOTICE:

The Nemaha Natural Resources District Board of Directors will hold their regular meeting at 8:00 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 9, 2014, at the NRD headquarters in Tecumseh, NE. Individual committee meetings begin at 7 p.m. An agenda is being kept current at the office - 62161 Hwy 136, Tecumseh, NE 68450.

Lisa Bartels, Secretary
Nemaha NRD

Village of Rulo

Village of Rulo Board of Trustees, Regular Meeting Minutes Aug. 11, 2014 7 p.m. Rulo, Library

Kevin Barber called the meeting to order at 7 p.m. Present, Glen Kelley, Kraig Coonce, Norman Thompson, Kevin Barber, James Coonce and Jan Price/Village Clerk. Guests: Wayne Alexander, Kathy Meckern, Ellen Coburn, Joe Gist, Allen Donigan, Stacey Hollens, Sam Cockerham, Jim Cummings, LeRoy and Hazel Bestwick and Rita Goll. Minutes: Kraig Coonce made a motion to accept the minutes of July, 2014, seconded by James Coonce. Voting: Kraig Coonce, Norman Thompson, Glen Kelley and James Coonce, yea. Claims: Jan Price, Village Clerk/Treasurer, read through the claims. Kraig Coonce made a motion to approve the claims, seconded by James Coonce. Voting: Glen Kelley, Kraig Coonce: James Coonce, Yea. Norman Thompson, Yea, except Sapp Brothers.

Treasurer's Reports: Motion made to approve the treasurer's report by Kraig Coonce; seconded by James Coonce. Voting: Glen Kelley, Kraig Coonce, James Coonce and Norman Thompson, yea.

OLD BUSINESS:

Street repair - There still needs to be something done on Ash Street, Jan Price will put a notice in the paper to take bids for the repair of Ash St. The No Outlet signs need to be put back on Ash Street. There are several tubes in town that need to be replaced. James Coonce is planning on putting more concrete in holes on the streets. He will also get prices and see what it would cost to put asphalt on the streets, we might be able to get a few blocks done before winter. Water Department: No report. Fire Department: There was a new hose ordered for the fire truck, but hasn't arrived yet. Cemetery: There was a lengthy discussion regarding the Cemetery Association, that was tabled until next month. Auditorium: The drain in the basement is not draining, they will check the septic after the meeting to see if it needs pumped. Library: no report.

New Business:

The board reviewed the new water contract. James Coonce made a motion to accept the new contract seconded by Kevin Barber. Voting James Coonce, Glen Kelley, Norman Thompson and Kevin Barber, Yea.

Claims: SE NE Telephone, \$90.99; FC Utilities, \$2,346.33; OPPD, \$1,231.02; Sapp Bros., \$257; Merz Farm Equipment, \$148.94; FC Auto Supply, \$42.42; Farm and City, \$42.42; Sapp Bros., \$112; Wolfes Printing, \$189.00; FC Journal, \$30.33; Tammie Bents, \$286.29; Stacey Hollens, \$223.97; Janice Price, \$643.53; Joe Bachman, \$129.29; Kevin Barber, \$369.40; Norman Thompson, \$138.53; Kraig Coonce, \$184.70; Glen Kelley, \$184.70; James Coonce, \$46.18.

Kevin Barber made a motion to adjourn. Kraig Coonce seconded. Voting, Kevin Barber, James Coonce, Kraig Coonce and Norman Thompson, Yea.

Jan Price/ Village Clerk/ Secretary

City of Falls City

SEPTEMBER 2, 2014

A meeting of the City Council of the City of Falls City, NE, was held in said City on the 2ND day of September, 2014, at 7 p.m. Council met in regular session. Mayor Hersh called the meeting to order and City Clerk Jorm recorded the minutes of the meeting. On roll call the following Council persons were present: Davis, Dougherty, Murphy, Nolte, Oliver, Robidoux, Scholl. Absent: Wisdom. Notice of the meeting was given in advance thereof by posting in three public places, a designated method for giving notice as shown by the Certificate of Posting Notice attached to these minutes. Notice of this meeting was given to the Mayor and all persons of the Council and a copy of their acknowledgment of receipt of notice and the agenda is attached to the minutes. Availability of the agenda was communicated in the advance notice and in the notice to the Mayor and Council of this meeting. All proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public. Mayor Hersh publicly stated to all in attendance that a current copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act was available for review and indicated the location of such copy posted in the room where the meeting was being held.

CONSENT AGENDA

A motion was made by Council person Oliver and seconded by Council person Dougherty to approve the Consent Agenda as printed: WHEREAS, certain business of the City Council (Council) of the City of Falls City (City) transpires on a regular and routine basis or is not of controversial nature; and WHEREAS, roll call votes on each individual issue greatly extend the meeting time. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY the City Council that in the interest of economizing time, yet complying with the Public Meeting Laws of the State of Nebraska, which require roll call voting, the following issues are hereby consolidated in this Consent Resolution: 1. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY the Council that the minutes from the August 18, 2014 meeting is hereby approved. 2. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY the Council that the agenda for September 2, 2014 is hereby approved. 3. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY the Council that the Claims for August 2014 of the City of Falls City are hereby approved. 4. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY the Council that the Consent Resolution for September 2, 2014 is hereby approved. Roll was called on this motion and the Council persons voted as follows: "YEA" Davis, Dougherty, Murphy, Nolte, Oliver, Robidoux, "NAY" None. "ABSTAIN" Scholl. Motion carried.

SECOND READING - ORDINANCE #2014-105, SET WATER RATES

A motion was made by Council member Oliver and seconded by Council member Murphy to approve the Second Reading of Ordinance 2014-105 as printed. Roll was called on this motion and the Council members voted as follows: "YEA" Davis, Dougherty, Murphy, Nolte, Oliver, Robidoux, Scholl. "NAY" None. Motion carried.

REQUEST TO BLOCK OFF 10TH ST. FROM ALLEY TO LANE STREET FOR HOUSEHOLD AUCTION - SEPT. 6, 2014

A motion was made by Council member Scholl and seconded by Council member Nolte to approve the request to block off 10th Street between the alley and Lane Street on Sept. 6, 2014 for a household auction. Roll was called on this motion and the Council members voted as follows: "YEA" Davis, Dougherty, Murphy, Nolte, Oliver, Robidoux, Scholl. "NAY" None. Motion carried.

LETTER OF AGREEMENT FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES - CITY OF FALLS CITY AND OLSSON ASSOCIATES - STREET SUPERINTENDENT SERVICES

A motion was made by Council member Murphy and seconded by Council member Davis to approve the letter of agreement between the City of FC and Olsson Associates for Street Supt. Services. Roll was called on this motion and the Council members voted as follows: "YEA" Davis, Dougherty, Murphy, Nolte, Oliver, Robidoux, Scholl. "NAY" None. Motion carried.

REQUEST TO WAIVE FEE FOR AUDITORIUM FOR A BENEFIT - OCT. 12, 2014

A motion was made by Council member Scholl and seconded by Council member Robidoux to approve waiving the rental fee for Prichard Auditorium on Oct. 12, 2014 for a benefit. Renee Kopf spoke. Roll was called on this motion and the Council members voted as follows: "YEA" Davis, Dougherty, Murphy, Nolte, Oliver, Robidoux, Scholl. "NAY" None. Motion carried.

REQUEST TO WAIVE FEE FOR AUDITORIUM FOR A BENEFIT - OCT. 25, 2014

A motion was made by Scholl and seconded by Robidoux to approve waiving the rental fee for Prichard Auditorium on Oct. 25, 2014 for a benefit. Julie Proper spoke. Roll was called on this motion and the Council members voted as follows: "YEA" Davis, Dougherty, Murphy, Nolte, Oliver, Robidoux, Scholl. "NAY" None. Motion carried.

REQUEST FOR CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER/POLICE OFFICER

A motion was made by Scholl and seconded by Robidoux to approve the request to hire a full time Code Enforcement Officer/Police Officer. Chief Armbruster and Assistant Chief Baker spoke. Roll was called on this motion and the Council members voted as follows: "YEA" Davis, Dougherty, Murphy, Nolte, Oliver, Robidoux, Scholl. "NAY" None. Motion approved.

ADJOURNMENT

I, the undersigned, City Clerk for the City of Falls City, NE, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of proceedings had and done by the Mayor and Council on Sept. 2, 2014; that all of the subjects included in the foregoing proceedings were contained in the agenda for the meeting, kept continually current and available for public inspection at the office of the City Clerk; that such agenda items were sufficiently descriptive to give the public reasonable notice of the matters to be considered at the meeting; that such subjects were contained in said agenda for at least 24 hours prior to said meeting; that at least one copy of all reproducible material discussed at the meeting was available at the meeting for examination and copying by persons of the public; that the said minutes from which the foregoing proceedings have been extracted were in written form and available for public inspection within 10 working days and prior to the next convened meeting of said body; that all news media requesting notification concerning meetings of said body were provided advance notification of the time and place of said meeting and the subjects to be discussed at said meeting; and that a current copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act was available and accessible to persons of the public, posted during such meeting in the room in which such meeting was held.

Gary Jorm, Clerk
Tim Hersh, Mayor

Village of Shubert

Village of Shubert Regular Monthly Meeting Sept. 8, 2014; Shubert Library

The Village Board of Shubert, NE held the monthly board meeting on Sept. 8, 2014 in the Shubert Library. Chairman Shafer opened the regular meeting at 7 p.m., with the following board members present: Peggy Oliver, Gina Steele, Nathan Handley was absent. Clerk was present to record the meeting. Shafer announced the Posting of the Open Meetings Law. Chairman asked for any additions or deletions to the agenda, hearing none, chairman the opened the regular meeting with visitors present. G. Maddox was present to request that the board waive the Community Building rental fee for the fundraiser for Kallie Power on Sept 20. Motion and Second (Oliver/Steele) to waive fee. Roll call vote was all "Ayes"; Motion carried. S. Howard questioned a claim from last month. Chairman explained that it was for tapping the village water and sewer line in front of his property. Bill reflected work on the village property not his. She requested a copy of the bill. B. Wortmann commented that things are starting to look nice. D. Goff was present to discuss Fire Dept. Moving on the regular business, there was a motion and second (Oliver/Steele) to approve the Aug. 4, Meeting minutes. Roll call vote was all "Ayes." Motion carried. Clerk mentioned that the Journal did not publish the claims with the minutes. Journal apologized and will publish in next paper. There was a motion and second (Shafer/Oliver) to approve the balance and claims sheet. Roll call vote was all "Ayes"; Motion carried. Water & Sewer: Board reviewed delinquent water accounts. Board reviewed Tracy's water and wastewater report. Clerk reported that a water meter post had been damaged. A new post will be put in place by T. Milke. Wood & Brush pile: Clean up should be done soon. General: Ordinance Violations: The next five properties will be reviewed on Sept. 20. If no effort has been made they will be turned in to the Sheriff. Buildings and Park: Community Building: Woman's sink cabinet need replaces or repaired. Park: P. Oliver has a basketball hoop and net, need someone to put up. Would also like to purchase a grill for near the shelter area. She will look up prices and report back next month. Library: Still waiting for someone to check roof for leaks. Streets: Snow Removal: Post ad in Falls City Journal for two weeks and post flyers in town and Stella. Looking for someone that can use their own equipment. Tractor still need to be repaired. Fire: D. Goff was present to discuss various matters about the Fire Dept. With board member absent and G. Steele was abstaining from the vote; we will have to wait until next month. Public budget meeting will be Sept. 15 at 7 p.m.

With no further business: Motion and Second (Shafer/Oliver) to adjourn meeting at 7:47 p.m. Roll call votes all Ayes. Motion carried. The next regular village board meeting will be Oct. 6, 2014 at 7 p.m. in the Shubert Library. Jennifer Buchner Village Clerk

VILLAGE OF SHUBERT Claims SEPTEMBER 2014

Tracy Milke - AUG Salary	450.00
Tracy Milke - AUG Expenses	87.95
Aaron Davis - AUG Salary	225.00
Aaron Davis - AUG Mileage	40.00
State of NE Public Health Env. Labs	968.00
FC Sanitation - trash pickup - 84	1,005.10
NPPD	Pending
W/S/G transfer to USDA Lean	906.00
Sentco - Well House Phone	47.03
Miller-Monroe - Workers Comp Ins.	1,796.79
Midwest Lab	192.03
Jennifer Buckner August Salary	600.00
RCB&T - 941 tax deposit to IRS	195.08
Falls City Journal - Publications	Pending
Gary Wittwer - mowing	350.00
Orkin - Termite treatment - Library	202.56
Dearborne National - Fireman's Ins.	61.92
Paul Platter - Sludge Haul (1 load)	130.00
Village of Stella - Sampler	15.00
Farm/City - Comm. Building Supp.	44.93
Vice Propane Contracts	Pending
Dept. of Revenue underpayment	46.72
Jana Anderson One Stop Shop	42.93

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NOTICE

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA ESTATE OF MARJORIE E. HEADLEY, DECEASED PR14-31

Nancy A. DeKlotz Clerk-Magistrate

Neal E. Parsons, #13228 Attorney at Law 217 East 18th Street Falls City, Nebraska 68355 402/245-3088

23-30-7

NOTICE

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA ESTATE OF VICTOR C. KARST, DECEASED PR14-32

Notice is hereby given that on the 18 day of September, 2014, 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 Joyce M. Jones, whose address is 816 East 19th Street, Falls City, Nebraska 68355, was informally appointed by the Registrar as Personal Representative of the Estate.

Nancy A. DeKlotz Clerk-Magistrate

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23-30-7

NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION BELUGA ENTERPRISES, LLC

Notice is hereby give that Beluga Enterprises, LLC, a Nebraska Limited Liability Company, has been organized under the laws of the State of Nebraska with its registered office located at 1719 Stone Street, Falls City, Nebraska. The Limited Liability Company is organized to engage in and to do any lawful act concerning any and all lawful business, other than banking or insurance, for which a limited liability company may be organized under the laws of Nebraska.

Terry C. Smith, Manager

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30-7-14

LEGAL NOTICE

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION: CASE NO. 14-22: IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ROXANNA NEBRASKA, LLC, FOR AN ORDER ESTABLISHING A SPACING UNIT FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OIL AND ASSOCIATED HYDROCARBON SUBSTANCES FROM THE HUNTON FORMATION IN PART OF THE N/2 NE/4 OF SECTION 18 AND PART OF THE N/2 NW/4 OF SECTION 17, TOWNSHIP 1 NORTH, RANGE 16 EAST OF THE 6TH P.M., RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA, CONSISTING OF 80-ACRE SPACING.

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on October 1, 2014, the Nebraska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission received the above-entitled Application. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Nebraska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission, pursuant to said Application, will hear the above-entitled matter on: DATE: October 28, 2014 TIME: 10:00 a.m. MDST PLACE: Nebraska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission Office, 922 Illinois Street, Sidney, Nebraska, 69162

The Application in the above-entitled matter may be inspected at the office of the Nebraska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission, 922 Illinois Street, Sidney, Nebraska.

LEGAL NOTICE

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION: CASE NO. 14-23: IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ROXANNA NEBRASKA, LLC, FOR AN ORDER ESTABLISHING THE RIGHTS AND EQUITIES AND POOLING OF ALL INTERESTS IN THE HUNTON FORMATION IN PART OF THE N/2 NE/4 OF SECTION 18 AND PART OF THE N/2 NW/4 OF SECTION 17, TOWNSHIP 1 NORTH, RANGE 16 EAST OF THE 6TH P.M., RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA, AND TO PROVIDE FOR PROPER ALLOCATION OF COSTS OF DEVELOPMENT.

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CORRESPONDENCE/OTHER

Inventory Report An inventory report for the year 2014 was approved by Brian Dixon, EMA Director. Operating Statement The Board reviewed the monthly operating statement for August, 2014. Agreements with OPPD

NOTICE IN THE COUNTY COURT OF RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA ESTATE OF JANIS C. WILLIAMS, DECEASED PR14-34

Notice is hereby given that on the 30 day of September, 2014 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 Mary Ann Williams, whose address is 610 East 36th Street, Kansas City, Missouri 64109, was informally appointed by the Registrar as Personal Representative of the Estate.

Nancy A. DeKlotz Clerk-Magistrate

Neal E. Parsons, #13228 Attorney at Law 217 East 18th Street Falls City, Nebraska 68355 402/245-3088

7-14-21

NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION McCOY DANCE, LLC

Pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. §21-193 notice is given that McCoy Dance, LLC, a limited liability company, was organized on September 29, 2014 by filing a Certificate of Organization with the Nebraska Secretary of State setting forth the following:

- 1. The name of the company is McCoy Dance, LLC. 2. The period of duration of the company is perpetual. 3. The address of the initial designated office of the company in Nebraska is: 2522 Schoenheit Street, Falls City, Nebraska 68355, and the company's initial agent for service of process in Nebraska is Heath D. McCoy, 2522 Schoenheit Street, Falls City, Nebraska, 68355.

Its Attorney: Michael R. Dunn, #16825 Halbert, Dunn & Halbert, L.L.C. 111 East 17th Street Post Office Box 447 Falls City, Nebraska 68355-0447 Phone: (402) 245-4486

7-14-21

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS CALL ORDER 160

FEDERAL PROJECT NO. BRO-7074(24) LOCATION: ON A COUNTY ROAD, SOUTHEAST OF STELLA COUNTIES: RICHARDSON The Nebraska Department of Roads will receive sealed bids for the COUNTY OF RICHARDSON in Room 104 of the Central Office Building at 1500 Hwy 2 at Lincoln, until 1:30 P.M. on October 23, 2014. At that time the bids will be opened and read for GRAD CULV BR GDRL

BIDDING PROPOSAL FORMS WILL BE ISSUED AND A CONTRACT AWARDED TO A CONTRACTOR WHO IS QUALIFIED FOR: BRIDGES START DATE 03/30/2015 - WORKING DAYS 135 Price Range \$500,000 to \$2,000,000 THIS PROJECT CONTAINS A DBE GOAL OF 3.0%

Plans and specifications may be seen beginning September 30, 2014 at the Lincoln Central Office and October 06, 2014 at the District Engineer's Office at LINCOLN Additional letting information may be found at the Nebraska Department of Roads Web Site at http://www.dor.state.ne.us/letting/ This project is funded under the Federal-Aid Highway Act, all appropriate Federal requirements will apply.

7-14-21

County Board

RICHARDSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS SEPTEMBER 23, 2014 CALL TO ORDER

The regular meeting of the Richardson County Board of Commissioners was called to order by Chairman Sichel at 9 a.m. Tuesday, Sept. 23, 2014. Roll call was answered by Standerford, Davidson and Sichel. The Invocation was given by Chairman Sichel and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Vice-Chairman Davidson. Chairman Sichel announced that the open meeting laws have been posted at the entrance to the meeting room.

Motion was made by Davidson to approve the minutes of the Sept. 16, 2014, meeting as read. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sichel-aye. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Sichel to approve the minutes of the Sept. 16, 2014, Board of Equalization meeting as read. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sichel-aye. Motion carried.

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

ROAD & BRIDGE DEPT.

Scott Huppert, Highway Superintendent updated the Board on the routine maintenance being done on county roads and bridges this week. Mr. Huppert reported that the completion items on the Preston Road have started this week and hope to be done by the 1st week of October.

Motion was made by Standerford to enter into an agreement with OPPD for utility relocation for the Stella SE Bridge Project Motion seconded by Sichel. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sichel-aye. Motion carried.

SHERIFF HOUSER

Sheriff Houser withdrew his appointment on the agenda to request approval for the full-time employment of Julie Houser as a dispatcher/jailer.

PAM BOURNE, ATTORNEY

Revision/Update of Employee Handbook The Board and other elected and appointed officials met with Pam Bourne, attorney with Woods & Aitken, LLP who the County Board contracted to revise the Richardson County Employee Handbook. The meeting was to continue the review of the drafted handbook which began on Aug. 26 and answer and/or clarify any questions that officials may have. A second draft of the handbook will be sent to the Board and officials for continued review within the next few weeks.

The Board recessed at 1:20 p.m. for lunch and reconvened at 2 p.m.

DEBORAH RANEY

Dismissal of employment from Jail Deborah Raney requested to meet with the County Board of Commissioners to discuss the dismissal from her position as a jailer/dispatcher from the Richardson County Sheriff's Office on September 17, 2014. Mrs. Raney read a statement to the Board regarding this termination. Sheriff Houser was also present for the meeting and offered information to the Board to explain the termination.

County Attorney, Doug Merz was also present.

Commissioner Sichel stated that the Board would take the matter under advisement and inform the Sheriff and Deborah Raney of their decision.

CORRESPONDENCE/OTHER

Inventory Report An inventory report for the year 2014 was approved by Brian Dixon, EMA Director. Operating Statement The Board reviewed the monthly operating statement for August, 2014. Agreements with OPPD

Motion was made by Sichel to enter into an agreement with OPPD for the use of county road right-of-way 4 miles south and 1/2 mile west of Barada on 713 Road between 652 and 653 Avenue. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sichel-aye. Motion carried. (Resolution Book 21, Page 75)

Motion was made by Standerford to enter into an agreement with OPPD for the use of county road right-of-way 1 mile south and 2 1/2 miles west of Falls City on 704 Road between 649 and 650 Avenue. Motion seconded by Sichel. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sichel-aye. Motion carried. (Resolution Book 21, Page 76)

Motion was made by Sichel to enter into an agreement with OPPD for the use of county road right-of-way 1 mile south and 3 1/2 miles west of Falls City on 704 Road between 648 and 649 Avenue. Motion seconded by Davidson. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sichel-aye. Motion carried. (Resolution Book 21, Page 77)

Other

A proposal to provide services to Richardson County from Robert W. Aitken, CPA, P.C. for the development of a central service cost allocation plan based on actual costs for the year ended June 30, 2013, was reviewed and accepted by the Board. The fee for this service will not exceed \$4,400.00. (Resolution Book 21, Page 78)

CLAIMS

Motion was made by Sichel to allow the payment of all claims that were submitted today and to allow payment of a claim to Masonry Construction, Inc. which has been held for further review. Motion seconded by Standerford. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sichel-aye. Motion carried.

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

Table with 2 columns: Item Name, Amount. Includes AS Central Services, Consolidated Plastics Co., Cummins Central Power LLC, Deckings Body Shop, Des Moines Stamp Mfg., Brian Dixon, FC Journal, Family Medicine, Farm & City Supply, Five Rivers RC&D, Hillyard/Kansas City, Humboldt Standard, Iowa Tribal Police, Masonry Const., Midtown Service Center, Midwest Special Services, MIPS, John Moon, Motorola Solutions, NE Emergency Medicine, NE State Bar Assoc., Physicians Lab, Postmaster, Pro Serv Business Systems, Quill Corp., Radiology Assoc., County Clerk Petty Cash, EMA Petty Cash, Securus Technologies, SE Dist Co. Officials, SunMart, Tichy Land Survey, William VonSeggern, West Payment Center, Tylene Windle, Wolfes, Woods & Aitken, Total General Fund.

ROAD & BRIDGE FUND

Table with 2 columns: Item Name, Amount. Includes Orscheln's, Concrete Industries, Mainelli Wagner & Assoc., NE Dept of Roads, NPPD, Quill Corp., Road Builders Machinery/Supply, Sapp Bros., Unifirst Corp., Windstream, Total Road/Bridge Fund.

ROAD BUYBACK PROGRAM FUND

Table with 2 columns: Item Name, Amount. Includes Charles Mack, Verdon NW, Total Road Buyback Program Fund.

CHROMATOGRAPH FUND

Table with 2 columns: Item Name, Amount. Includes Community Medical Center, Total Chromatograph Fund.

REG OF DEEDS PRESERVE & MODERN FUND

Table with 2 columns: Item Name, Amount. Includes MIPS, Total Reg of Deeds P&M Fund.

GENERAL ASSISTANCE FUND

Table with 2 columns: Item Name, Amount. Includes Maria Oliver, Total General Assistance Fund.

JUVENILE SERV GRANT FUND

Table with 2 columns: Item Name, Amount. Includes Terry Clark, Laura Osborne, Total Juvenile Serv Grant Fund.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Davidson to adjourn the meeting at 3:15 p.m. Motion seconded by Sichel. ROLL CALL VOTE: Standerford-aye, Davidson-aye, Sichel-aye. Motion carried. The Board will meet again at 9 a.m. Tuesday, Sept. 30, 2014 in the Commissioner's Meeting Room, Courthouse, Falls City. The agenda is kept current at the County Clerk's Office.

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

Village of Stella

Village of Stella Board of Trustees Meeting September 11, 2014 at 7:00 P.M. at the Stella Community Building

Present: Adam Stanley, Heath Stanley and Jerry Joy. Absent: Henry Sullwold and Allen McNeely. Guests: Jim Owings and Andy McMullen. Chairman Joy called the Budget Hearing to order at 7 P.M. and noted the posting of the Open Meeting Act. Roll Call was taken. Clerk presented a copy of the proposed budget to each board member and it was reviewed.

Ordinance 2014-06 entitled: An Ordinance to adopt the Budget Statement to be termed the Annual Appropriation Bill; To appropriate sums for necessary expenses and liabilities; to provide for an effective date, was introduced by Chairman Joy. Motion by H. Stanley and second by A. Stanley to forego the three separate readings of Ordinance 2014-06. All voted yea.

Ordinance 2014-06 was read by title and approved for passage adopting the presented budget on a motion by A. Stanley and second by H. Stanley. All voted yea.

Motion by H. Stanley and second by A. Stanley to adjourn budget hearing at 7:10 P.M. All voted yea.

Hearing to set final tax levy request called to order at 7:11 P.M. Resolution 14-005 was read by Chairman Joy with a motion by H. Stanley and second by A. Stanley to adopt the resolution setting the tax request at \$18,000.00. All voted yea. The proposed Village levy is .408193 and last year was .407282.

Motion by A. Stanley and second by H. Stanley to adjourn the tax hearing at 7:14 P.M. All voted yea.

The regular monthly meeting was called to order at 7:15 P.M. by Joy who noted the posting of the Open Meeting Act. Motion by Joy and second by H. Stanley to approve the minutes as presented. All voted yea.

Motion by A. Stanley and second by H. Stanley to approve the treasurer's report as presented. A. Stanley questioned the barn rent being received. Letters need to be sent to those not paying rent. All voted yea.

Motion by H. Stanley and second by A. Stanley to pay the claims as presented. Excess library hours were discussed and a letter will be sent stating hour limitations. All voted yea.

Communications: Emergency Management meeting at Verdon on Oct. 23 for board members, fire department; the proposal of a dog grooming and housing business at the old animal clinic to open later this year; Evan Wickersham will be looking at the street and area behind Sur-Gro and Vice Oil to the track to see if there is a solution to water run off; continuing to look for uses of old school building; maps are put up in the community building for water and sewer lines; thanks to

Andy McMullen for putting up the flags.

Committees: Streets - None. Lights - One by the Post Office is off and on. Park - None. W&S - Written report by Milke. Question by A. Stanley about the completion of the licensing of the assistant. Joy will address this. Library - Written report. Maintenance Man - None. Planning - None. Tree - None. Health - None. Community Building - Motion by A. Stanley and second by H. Stanley to pay one-half of the roofing bid in advance as requested in the bid. All voted yea. Main Street Improvement - None.

Motion by Joy and second by H. Stanley to contract 2,500 gallons of propane at 1.48 from Vice Oil. All voted yea.

Water shut-offs were signed. Motion by A. Stanley and second by H. Stanley to request an audit waiver for the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 2014. All voted yea.

Motion by Joy and second by A. Stanley to adjourn at 7:30 P.M. All voted yea. Vicki Owings, Clerk Village of Stella Budget Workshop, Aug. 19, 2014 at 7:00 P.M. at the Stella Community Building Present: Henry Sullwold, Heath Stanley, Jerry Joy and Allen McNeely. Absent: Adam Stanley. Guests: Andy McMullen.

The workshop was called to order at 7 P.M. and roll call was taken. Chairman Joy noted the posting of the open meeting act. The clerk provided the members with figures from 2012-13, 2013-14 and sheets for 2014-15. Members mentioned projects they would like to see accomplished in the future for the park, library and community building. After reviewing the figures it was decided to lower budget figures in water and general due to projects which were completed or are to be completed this fiscal year and raise budget figures for the library-park. It was the consensus of the members present to try to keep the levy at about the same level.

Motion by H. Sullwold and second by McNeely to adjourn the workshop at 7:55 P.M. All voted yea.

Claims and Payroll

One Call Concepts, 11.95; Danny Sullwold, 108.00; One Stop Shop, 43.47; American Recycling and Sanitation, 1,040.00; Jeff Huettner, 1,171.63; NPPD, 1,354.02; Darnell Glass, 110.88; Roger Sullwold, 550.00; Handley Construction, 9,755.00; NE Public Health Environmental Labs, 478.00; Global Equipment Co., 357.04; OPPD, 400.49; FC Journal, 30.51; Midwest Labs, 83.45; SENDD, 275.00; SENDD, 46.00; Vicki Owings, 525.00; Tracy Milke, 250.00; Aaron Davis, 175.00; Vicki Owings, 46.62; Tracy Milke, 167.95; SE NE Telephone 203.73; Internal Revenue Service, 195.16; Shadow Loveless, 110.50; Sue James, 81.25; Shadow Loveless, 8.91

School District #70

Humboldt-TR-S Public Schools Board of Education, District #70 Regular Meeting, Sept. 9, 2014 7:10 p.m., 2nd Floor Math Room

A public meeting of the Humboldt Table Rock Steinauer Public Schools Board of Education, District #70 was held on Sept. 9, 2014 at 7:10 p.m. in the 2nd Floor Math Room. Notices of the meeting were advertised in the Humboldt Standard, The Falls City Journal and the Pawnee Republican. A copy of the agenda was kept in the Superintendent's office prior to the meeting.

Board President Scott Ogle called the meeting to order at 7:13 p.m. Board members in attendance by roll call were: Neal Kanel, Steve Schaar, Sandy Stalder, Rock Herr and Mike Bredemeier. Also in attendance were Superintendent Clinton Kimbrough, Principals Lisa Othmer and Kari Cover and Board Recorder Kellie Workman.

President Ogle welcomed guests to the meeting.

Motion by Bredemeier, seconded by Kanel to approve the agenda. Motion carried 6-0.

Motion by Schaar, seconded by Herr to approve the minutes of the regular meeting held on Aug. 11, 2014 and the special meeting held on Sept. 4, 2014. Motion carried 6-0.

Motion by Kanel, seconded by Stalder to approve the bills for payment in the amount of \$556,485.43 for general and payroll funds; \$32,456 from depreciation fund, which includes a \$30,310 transfer to the qualified capital purpose undertaking fund for a \$30,310 payment; \$758.85 for the building fund. Motion carried 6-0.

Motion by Stalder, seconded by Kanel to approve the treasurer, lunch and activity fund reports. Motion carried 6-0.

Patron comment: Corey Hain, e-cigarettes at school activities. The board will review policy 3016 in October.

Discussion items: Two handouts to the board concerning the upcoming superintendent search. Discussion concerning future purchase of a bus and a mower.

Action Items: Motion by Herr, seconded by Kanel to approve the 2014-2015 budget as presented. Motion carried 6-0.

Motion by Kanel, seconded by Stalder to approve the 2014-2015 tax request as presented. Motion carried 6-0.

Short update on the Humboldt Site North Addition. Construction should begin by Sept. 22. Herr addressed cosmetic issues at the football field facility.

Booster club presented the board with a check for \$80,000 for the Humboldt Site North Addition.

Administrator reports: Principal Othmer's report gave updated enrollment, listed the staff development topics and upcoming events. She also mentioned that FFA had it's first meeting today and elected officers. Principal Cover's report gave updates on attendance, activities, assessments and the Back Pack program. Supt. Kimbrough discussed storage issue at the football field. Workman will be attending training for new accounting program in October. NASB area meeting will be on Oct. 8 in Nebraska City, safety audit was performed, Prime Communications is working on updating cables and phones, tuck-pointing on the Humboldt building and requested a short negotiations committee meeting following adjournment.

Motion by Stalder, seconded by Kanel to adjourn at 8:14 P.M. Motion carried 6-0.

The next regular meeting of the HTRS Board of Education will be Monday, Oct. 13, 2014 at 7 p.m. in the 2nd Floor Math Room at the Humboldt site.

Respectfully submitted, Kellie Workman, Board Recorder

Humboldt-TR-S Public Schools Board of Education, District #70 Tax Request Hearing, Sept. 9, 2014 7:05 p.m., Humboldt Board Conf. Room

A public hearing of the Humboldt Table Rock Steinauer Public Schools Board of Education, District #70 was held at 7:12 p.m. Sept. 9, 2014 in the 2nd Floor Math Room. Notices of the meeting were advertised in the Humboldt Standard, The Falls City Journal and the Pawnee Republican. A copy of the agenda was kept in the Superintendent's office prior to the meeting.

Board President Scott Ogle called the meeting to order at 7:12 p.m. Board members in attendance by roll call were: Neal Kanel, Scott Ogle, Sandy Stalder, Mike Bredemeier and Rock Herr. Also in attendance were Supt. Clinton Kimbrough, Principals Lisa Othmer and Kari Cover and Board Recorder Kellie Workman.

President Ogle welcomed guests to the hearing.

Motion by Bredemeier, seconded by Stalder to approve the agenda. Motion carried 6-0.

No comments were made concerning the 2014-2015 tax request.

Motion by Kanel, seconded by Bredemeier to adjourn at 7:13 p.m. Motion carried 6-0.

Respectfully submitted, Kellie Workman, Board Recorder

CLAIMS

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Allstate - American Heritage Life Ins.

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Blue Rivers Area Agency on Aging, a human services agency, serving eight counties in Southeast Nebraska, is searching for an Executive Director to manage the day to day and long term operations of the Agency. Job description and application information is available from the Administration office located at 1901 Court Street, Beatrice, Ne. 402-223-1376. Applications close on October 15, 2014.

POLICE OFFICER

Applications will be received by the City of Falls City, 2307 Barada Street, Falls City, NE 68355, (402) 245-2707; until 4:00 P.M., October 16, 2014, for the position of full time Police Officer for the Falls City Police Department. Certification preferred, but not required. Competitive salary/benefit package. Applicants shall be State of Nebraska certified law enforcement officer and a resident of Falls City within 6 months.

Gary Jorn, City Clerk

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The Falls City Library & Arts Center
is hiring for **Building Maintenance Worker; an hourly contracted job** for
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1400 Stone Street, Falls City, NE 68355
Application and job description available @ the Library. Deadline for applications: Monday, October 20, 2014, 6 P.M.

The Falls City Library & Arts Center
is hiring for a **Library Assistant/Janitor**
Part Time evenings and Saturday mornings
Falls City Library and Arts Center
1400 Stone Street, Falls City, NE 68355
Application and job description available @ the Library.
Deadline for applications: Monday, October 20, 2014, 6 P.M.

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Wanted to buy; Brome hay. 402-245-5818 or 785-547-5319. 39-40P

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The Hunter Trust is now accepting bids for the cash rental of the SE 1/4 of Section 23, Liberty Township, Richardson County, NE. Bids may be made on a one or two year basis, for crop years of 2015 and 2016. Send bids to Attorney Craig Johnson, 807 W. Oakland Ave, Austin, MN 55912 by 11-15-14. Questions should be directed to Randy Mickelson at 507-433-1936. 39-41

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Cards of Thanks

Many thanks to all our friends, relatives and family for their love and support the past 7 years of Dean's illness. The flowers, cards, visits and food sent are appreciated. Thank you, Pastor Jerry Yount, for being with us that last afternoon and the years of being our special friends also. The Barada Ladies prepared such a fine meal at the parsonage following the funeral. Thank you, We can be ever thankful for the best care and kindness shown Dean these past years at our Community hospital, Family Clinic, Creighton, In-Home Health and Hospice. The hospice group made Dean's wish to remain at home possible. Thank you Sally, Doris, Janice and all. A special thanks for the families being with us that last day which made his passing more bearable. Also, a special thanks goes to Tom McCann for being there for Dean when he needed assistance. Your making him laugh and tell one of his many stories, lightened his problems. Many thanks to Dorr Funeral Home for their exceptional service and kindness. Thank you Brian and Donna so very much. My prayers are all that God Blesses each of you forever. Caroline Palmer; Douglas, Margie, Scott & Emily Sailors; Diane McCann, Jessica & Matt; Cindy Sailors & Family; Valerie & Blake Buckminster family; Kristie & Dan Simon and boys; Kim and Ryan Nolte family; Kelle & Art Dean family. 40

Native American Family Services, White Cloud, KS has an opening for a full-time Child Development Center Assistant at the Iowa Tribal Learning Center. Minimum Qualifications: Applicant shall possess a CPR and First Aid training or be willing to obtain certification. Have a genuine interest and enjoyment of small children/infants and the ability to stay calm, in all situations and to respond to children in a quiet, reassuring manner. Must possess a valid driver's license and pass an extensive background and character check. Native American preference given. To apply send resume with three personal references to Native American Family Services, 3303 Thrasher Rd; White Cloud, KS 66094, or email to nafs@iowas.org ,or fax to 785-595-3262.

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November 11 through December 31
Stalder Art Gallery, FC Library & Arts Center

'THE DEATH OF A SOLDIER'

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weren't so lucky. Bodies of the dead were strewn about, lying among sailors who writhed in pain or lie motionless in shock.

Kepler quickly went into action and tended to those who held on. He directed the triage, bandaged wounds, installed tourniquets, and did whatever else was necessary to save the lives of his shipmates—many of whom would have otherwise perished.

In the aftermath, he nursed his beloved ship, cleaning and repairing its wounds with the gentle tenderness of a nurse caring for a patient.

That night, the U.S.S. San Francisco led an American fleet into battle with the Japanese, even though the U.S. fleet was outgunned and outnumbered. Kepler, and the young sailors who had escaped injury during the morning's battle, followed the commands of Admiral Daniel J. Callaghan, and fed the guns while the coal-black sky burst with the fireworks of the enemy's rockets, and the explosions of crippling hits.

One of the strikes landed squarely on the navigation deck of the San Francisco, instantly killing the admiral and captain. Another ripped through the hangar, killing and maiming dozens of Kepler's shipmates, and slicing the steel vessel into flying, shredding shards. The hangar erupted, and the fire spread like a cancer through the body of Kepler's best friend. Flames of death licked at Kepler's arms. Blood seeped from dozens of julienne slices on his body. A furnace of heat ripped air from his lungs. Most men would have abandoned ship then, purely by instinct. But not Kepler.

Ignoring the warm blood that ran down his arms, legs, and torso, Kepler dragged one of the ship's hoses through the flames, like a surgeon expertly running a life-saving vein through the body of an injured soldier. Sweat mingled with his blood, and drenched his uniform. His weakening body slumped. Still, he battled on.

While naval brothers, buddies, and bunk mates moaned and pleaded for aid, Kepler forged ahead. He knew that the hangar contained the ship's gas reserves and its stock of ammunition. If fire met gasoline, the ship would burst into oblivion, leaving its sailors to the annals of history. So he single-handedly battled the jumping flames, protecting his beloved vessel and all souls on board from certain demise. When reinforcements arrived, Kepler issued commands to his subordinates, then disappeared into the thick smoke. While the flames sizzled into steam, Kepler responded to the moans of his shipmates. Blood surged through his body and spurted from his injuries as he ran from comrade to comrade,

knowing with relative certainty that his own life was drifting away with each beat of his pulsating heart. Still, he and the rest of the men who were able bandaged the wounded, carried friends to safety, and ensured them that help was coming. All the while, Kepler resisted all pleas to care for himself.

Finally, when he couldn't go on, he collapsed. At 24, he took his final breath. All had given some that night, but Kepler had given all, to save his fellow sailors, and above all, his best friend—the ship that had carried him for two years, the ship that had become his home and his career—the U.S.S. San Francisco.

None of us will ever understand the commitment that a sailor gives to his shipmates or his ship. But maybe, because of stories like Kepler's, we will show unending respect to those who do.

The scene described above was painted in captivating detail by author Paul Gallico, in a March 1944 article written for Esquire magazine. The article accompanied a painting that was also commissioned by the magazine, and was painted by Falls City native son, John Falter.

The Death of a Soldier will be on display in the Stalder Gallery of the Falls City Library and Arts Center from Nov. 11 through Dec. 31, along with six other original Falter paintings that were commissioned during WWII. An art opening will be held on the first night, (which is Veterans Day), at seven p.m. and will feature a gallery talk by Dr. Adrian Lewis, a professor at KU, and one of the most renowned WWII scholars in America. The doors will open at 6 p.m. for gallery viewing.

The event is free and open to the public. It is sponsored by the Richardson County Arts and Humanities Council, with help from the Richardson County Visitors Committee.

Museum ceremony

A ribbon cutting ceremony will be held tomorrow for the new Falter Museum. The museum is still under construction but the ceremony is planned for 4:30 p.m. Wednesday. The Falter Museum, which will be located at 17th and Stone Street, will display the works of local artist John P. Falter.

Museum coordinator Dobey Falter Haws says that several people will be giving remarks during the ceremony, including Nebraska Gov. Dave Heineman. Other speakers will include Deb Arnez of the NE State Historical Society; Sandy Hartman with the Library

and Community Foundation; Steve Kottich, representing the Richardson Foundation; and Mitch Glaser. Music by Falls City Public and Sacred Heart students will also be included in the ceremony.

The museum will include both Falter's artwork as well as personal arti-

facts. The highlight of the museum will be the studio that was in Falter's Philadelphia home at the time of his death. The studio was donated by Falter's widow to the Nebraska Historical Society and has been housed in Lincoln since. The Historical Society has agreed to loan the studio to the Falter

Museum in Falls City.

John Philip Falter is best known for illustrating 129 *Saturday Evening Post* covers.

The museum will not be open for tours due to construction, but they hope to have work wrapped in time for the Falls City window opening Nov. 28.



Promoting community projects, benefits, and events with organizations and individuals that matter to our community is something SNC does almost every day. Our involvement in the community takes many shapes--whether it is sponsorships, promotions, or providing manpower and supplies to help make things happen, we believe in "Giving Back" to our community.

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- Cobblestone Fun Run
- Community Medical Center Building Fund
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- Falls City Access College Program
- Falls City Alumni
- Falls City Aquatic Center Annual Luau Night
- Falls City Aquatic Park Shuttle
- Falls City Aquatic Triathlon
- Falls City Backpack Program
- Falls City Band Calendar
- Falls City Baseball Improvement Project
- Falls City Booster Club Tailgate Party
- Falls City Chamber Adult Easter Egg Hunt
- Falls City Chamber Golf Tournament
- Falls City Chamber of Commerce
- Falls City Cobblestone Parade
- Falls City EDGE
- Falls City Health Care Easter Egg Hunt
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- Falls City High School After Prom
- Falls City High School Golf Tournament
- Falls City High School Yearbook
- Falls City Historical Society
- Falls City Jaycees
- Falls City Library- Friends of the Library
- Falls City Main Street
- Falls City Recreation
- Falls City Recreation Flag Football League
- Falls City Recreation Soccer Team
- Falls City Recreation T-Ball Team
- Falls City Rural Fire Department
- Falls City Sacred Heart Activity Center
- Falls City Sacred Heart Basketball Camp
- Falls City Sacred Heart Booster Club
- Falls City Sacred Heart Home & School Association
- Falls City Sacred Heart Home & School Tailgate Party
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- Good News Assembly Church
- HTRS After Prom
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- Itha Krumme Memorial Arboretum
- Juvenile Diabetes
- Lane Leadership Program
- Main Street Sauces & Cycles
- National Fire Safety Council
- Nebraska State Chamber
- Popcorn sacks for School Events
- Richardson County Cancer Fund
- SCC Allstar Game
- SENCA Food Pantry
- SENCA Golf Tournament
- SENCA Meals on Wheels delivery
- Shubert Athletic Club
- SNC Customer Appreciation
- Stanton Lake Berm
- Stella Fire Department
- Table Rock Living History
- Tanner Merz Benefit
- Teachers Appreciation Week
- Towle Memorial Scholarships
- Verdon Fire Department
- Verdon Food Pantry
- Would Eye Golf Tournament
- Zimmerman Scholarship Fund



Falls City Journal

READER PHOTO OF THE WEEK

This week our photo was submitted by Mary Roe, Reserve, KS. The topic was "Flowers"



Thank you everyone for your photos! Each week we will give you a new topic or subject. You can enter a new photo every week, one photo per week per person with the photographers name and location.

Please no logo's, or copywritten work. The Falls City Journal will choose a photo to be featured in the paper the following week with the new topic. Submit photos to: journalpotw@gmail.com before Noon on Monday. Each weeks winner can come by the Journal office at 1810 Harlan St., to receive their prize!

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