



**So,
want a lift?**

South of Falls City, NE
402-245-2363 • 883-7837 • 883-7810

Falls City JOURNAL

Falls City, Nebraska

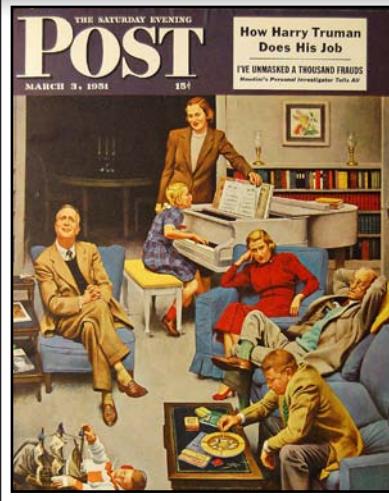
We'll go ahead and predict a winner of Thursday's Republican primary debate: Democrats.

Vol. 148 - No. 9

Tuesday, March 8, 2016

'Living room piano recital'

March 3, 1951



While the young virtuoso executes her recital, we'll whisper the news that the older gentleman on the couch is George Falter, father of Artist John Falter. Although a proprietor of two clothing stores, he does not knowingly sit with his coat flung open like that, publicizing his suit label. His son, striving earnestly for realism, painstakingly painted the label so that it was clearly readable. But alas! the label had to be painstakingly rendered unreadable, on the theory that ads should go on other pages. Regarding those people in the picture who seem to think that the musical child should be seen and not heard, wouldn't it be interesting if someday they had to pay three dollars a head to hear her in Carnegie Hall?

**ADOPTED BY
CAROL TUBACH
JOHNSON**

Please contact
Curator Dobe Haws to make an appointment to visit the John Philip Falter Museum.
402-450-3724
curator@johnphilipfaltermuseum.com

Contents



High school students celebrate FFA Week

Page 14

Walk Don't Run.....Page 2
Public Record.....Page 6
Sports.....Page 7
Days of YorePage 9
Obituaries.....Page 9
Classifieds.....Page 13

\$1.00



© 2016 The JOURNAL Publishing Company

Lady IRISH BASKETBALL

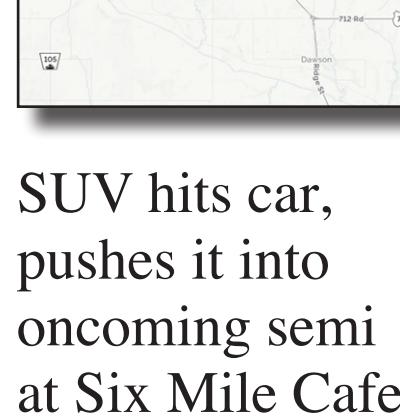
2006-07	23-6 ^{a^}
2007-08	25-2 [*]
2008-09	21-4 ^a
2009-10	22-3 ^a
2010-11	18-6
2011-12	19-6 ^a
2012-13	25-5 ^{a*}
2013-14	27-3 ^{a*}
2014-15	28-2 ^{aTM}
2015-16	26-2 ^{a*}
234-39	.857%

*^aState Tourney Qualifier
^{*}D2 Consolation (3rd Place) winner
[^]D2 Runner-Up
TM D2 State Champion*

DECADE OF Excellence

The FC Sacred Heart Lady Irish basketball team finished third at the Class D2 State Tournament in Lincoln last weekend, beating Sandhills-Thedford 55-36 Saturday morning at Lincoln North Star HS. A 29-9 finish, propelled by the three-point shooting of junior Lexi Barnes, blew a tight game wide open. The Lady Irish trailed by a point early in the third quarter, but Barnes hit a trio of threes after intermission and finished the game with 15. The win gives Coach Luke Santo and FCSH a perfect 4-0 mark in the emotionally difficult consolation game since its inception in 2008. Since Santo took over in 2006, the program has won nearly 86 percent of its games and advanced to state nine times (six times they returned home with hardware). The Lady Irish produced a tremendous 106-12 record the past four years and ended each one of those seasons with a win and NSAA trophy.

-Page 7



SUV hits car,
pushes it into
oncoming semi
at Six Mile Cafe

Two people were injured Monday evening in a three-vehicle crash on U.S. Highway 75 north of Dawson and east of Humboldt, near six mile corner, where 75 intersects with Highway 4.

Though the severity of the injuries wasn't known as of early this morning, a member of the Richardson County Sheriff's Office reported that one of the drivers was flown via medical helicopter to Bryan Medical Center West in Lincoln. The names of those involved was also not made available by press time.

At around 5:15 p.m., an SUV reportedly struck the back of a car that had either slowed or stopped on Hwy. 75 in an attempt to turn into the Six Mile Cafe. The collision forced the car into oncoming traffic, where it was hit head-on by a semi-trailer truck. The driver of the semi was uninjured.

Ruling: Sheriff acted within his powers

The Nebraska Equal Opportunity Commission last week ruled that Richardson County Sheriff Don Pounds did not violate state law when he let go of two employees upon taking office in January 2015.

Former part-time jailer/dispatcher Julie Houser, the wife of Pounds' predecessor, Randy Houser, and former jail administrator Dave Clark filed discrimination complaints with the Commission after their respective dismissals. Mrs. Houser alleged discrimination based on her age and marriage to the former sheriff; Clark said he was discriminated against on the basis of sex, religion and for being a "whistle-blower."

Both were left go when Sheriff Pounds took office. The County Board subsequently held grievance hearings the following month.

During the hearings with commissioners a year ago, Pounds told Clark he was dismissed for creating a hostile work environment and because he (Pounds) was informed that Clark had been cooking meals for inmates "against the Health Department rules and regulations." Sheriff Pounds also said three

employees had approached him about adverse working conditions as they pertained to Clark.

Sheriff Pounds defeated Randy Houser in the 2014 primary election and that, according to Mrs. Houser, was a primary reason she wasn't re-

Prison guards hospitalized after attack

Four inmates attacked three staff members at Tecumseh's State Corrections Institution late Monday afternoon, sending all three employees to Johnson County Hospital for treatment of non-life-threatening injuries, prison spokesman Andrew Nystrom reported.

At about 3:50 p.m., apparently during an escort, an inmate from SMU West, maximum-custody general population unit housing 100 prisoners, struck the staff member escorting him and three additional inmates then began assaulting that officer, as well as two others who responded.

The attackers were quickly restrained by guards. As of early Tuesday morning, names had not been released, but it was reported that the officers suffered only minor injuries, i.e. "bumps and bruises."

The unit was placed on lock-down status pending investigation by the Nebraska Dept. of Correctional Services.

Visitors of inmates in SMU West are encouraged to call the facility (402-335-5998) before visiting Wednesday morning. All other housing units and facility operations continue under normal conditions.



Rioting prisoners at the state pen in Tecumseh last May killed a pair of fellow inmates and caused some \$500,000 in damages. Violence broke out again Monday when four inmates attacked a guard and then two other officers who responded to the incident.

tained. The other, she contended, was her age. She was replaced by a younger employee with "no background in law enforcement, no training and who has never worked in a jail," Mrs. Houser said at the hearing.

Pounds said Mrs. Houser never turned in an application for employment under his administration. Houser stated that she never had a chance to turn in an application because the positions were filled before she had a chance to.

The Board later upheld Clark's dismissal and ruled that Mrs. Houser remained an official part-time employee of the Sheriff's Office and could be called upon to work. Her services, however, have yet to be summoned by the current Sheriff.

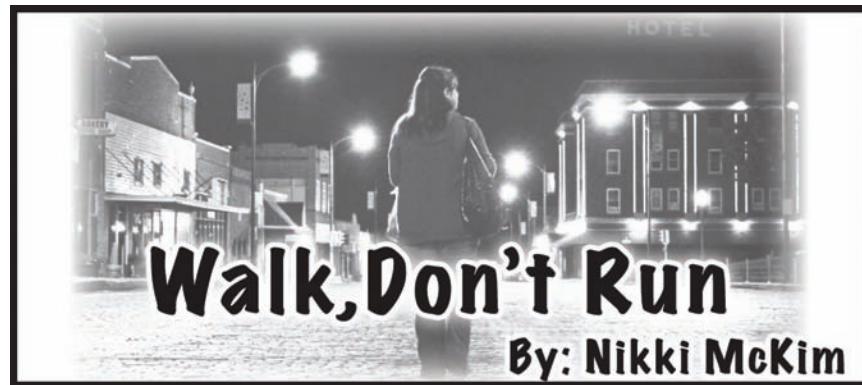
Under state law, elected county officials have the power to terminate their employees.

"The elected county officials have the right of control and supervision over the work, the power to direct the manner in which the work is to be done, and to determine the result to be accomplished by the people working in their office," former Nebraska Attorney General Paul Douglas wrote in a 1982 opinion.

2015 Ford Focus
2.0L - Automatic
\$20,900
-\$3,000 Rebate
\$17,900

HULLMANS
FORD
402-245-4413
WWW.HULLMANSFORD.COM
FALLS CITY, NE

2015 Fiesta SE
\$17,600 - PLUS
\$1,200 Rebate
or 0% for
60 Months!



I'm just not sure I can deal with this weather anymore. I know mostly everyone else is excited about the 70-degree sunshine but I want snow. I love snow and I feel we were really short changed this year. When most people get their burst of energy during sunny and warm days, I'm the opposite. I get my burst of energy when it's cloudy, raining or snowing. But this year I never really got to sit by the fireplace with a record playing as I watched the snow fall quietly outside. A winter with only one measurable snowfall feels like no winter at all. I just don't feel right proceeding with my spring quite yet. Plus the wind is doing a number with my allergies. Only a few short years ago, I didn't have allergies. Growing up is for the birds.

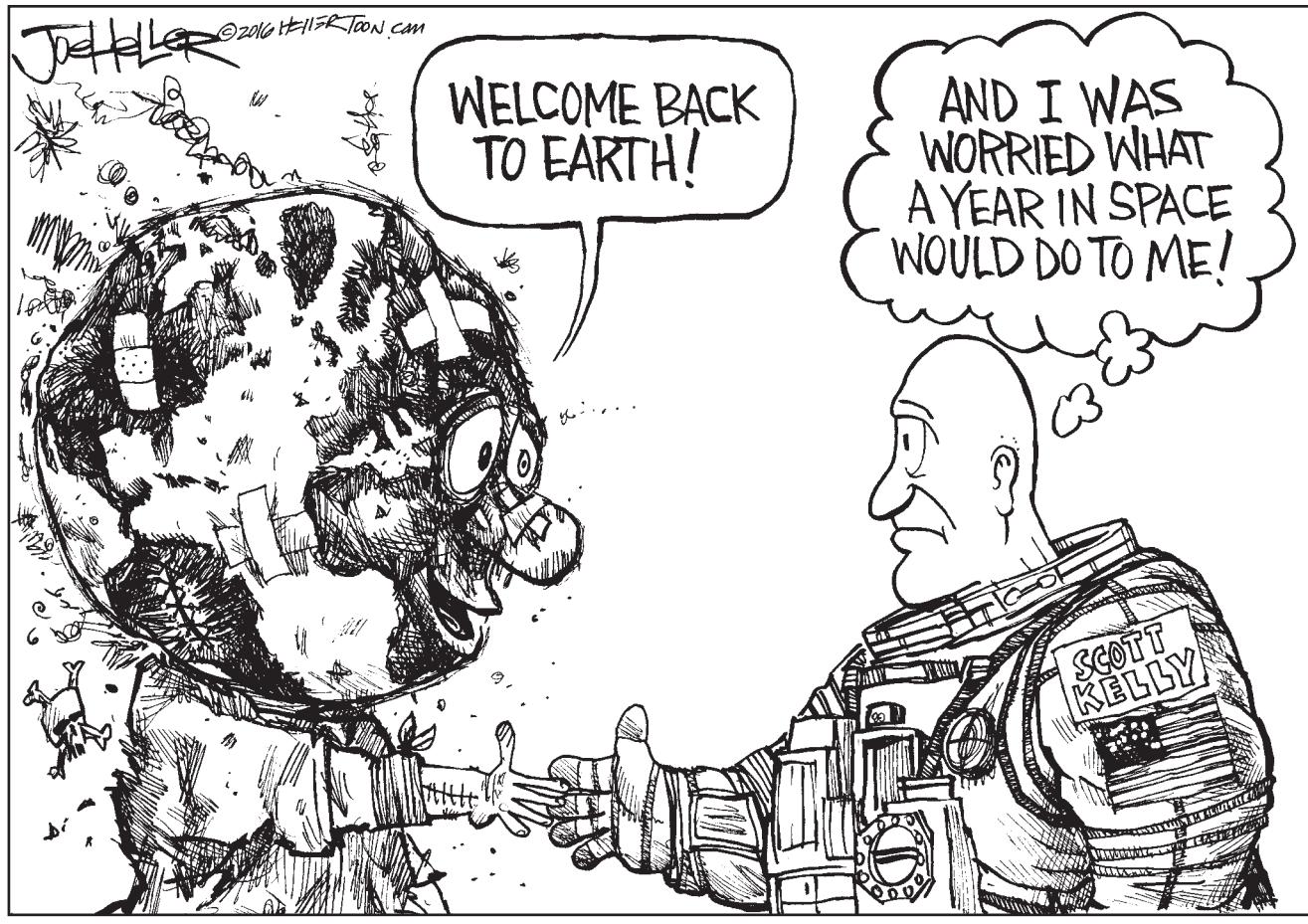
Due to the lack of snow and missing my constant companion, I've been feeling pretty down lately. To make matters worse, I have had migraines every week. I've spent plenty of weekends in bed with my eyes all swollen with ice packs balanced on my face. Naturally when I feel miserable, I find a way to go into a deep hole of despair. Lately with the migraines and being sad, I just feel like what was supposed to be the most exciting and fun year so far has been a mess. During New Years I read an article that said people with high anxiety like me, should make a list of triggers or things that scare them. Keep that list and cross off anything that may happen during the year. Apparently the chances are slim that any of the bad things you worry about will get crossed off. Well three weeks into 2016, I crossed off the first thing on my list, which was losing Beans. A few weeks later I crossed off another item. This little exercise backfired and now my anxiety is worse than ever. But I had to do my best a few weekends ago to get out of my funk and get out of the house.

In the fourteen years I've known my husband, he's been wildly obsessed with the music of Buddy Holly, Ritchie Valens and the 'Winter Dance Party' tour. I can't tell you how often I hear some sort of reference to 'La Bamba' (weekly). So when I heard there was a group who toured as the fallen trio and they would be playing a show near us, we had to go. Unfortunately I know nothing about their music.

I've never been a 'music is my life' kind of person. I strictly use my radio for Paul Simon and sports talk. When other people need something to pep them up when they're down, they go to music, I on the other hand turn to the likes of Humphrey Bogart or Cary Grant. Films are more in my wheelhouse, so when it comes to going to a concert, it better be a good one for me to go-like a really, really good one. I love all things classic and nostalgic but I am clueless when it comes to fifties music. I love the fashion and the idea of malt shops and poodle skirts but everything I know about that era comes from the movie 'Peggy Sue got Married.' Instead of thinking about Buddy Holly when I hear "Peggy Sue," I think of Nic Cage singing it to Kathleen Turner. That movie is so great.

I've read quite a few stories about the plane crash that took the live of the trio but I know nothing about their careers or music. When we arrived at the venue, it was packed. I was amazed because when we were there for the Frank Sinatra Jr. concert, there was plenty of room to spare. We found our seats near the front and waited for the show to start. The first act was The Big Bopper and the crowd went nuts. The empty space in front of us started to fill up with people dressed in poodle skirts and white t-shirts with the sleeves rolled up. They all danced the night away to the songs of their youth. As I sat and watched all of these people dance and sing along to each song-I began to wonder what the style of my era was.

I turned to Brian and asked how we would be dressed for a concert of our youth. He said he would be dressed in the flannel Kurt Cobain look, and I would be dressed in the late 90's Backstreet Boys fashion. I'm not quite sure what that would entail. I guess I would have the butterfly clips in my hair, frosted tips and Doc Martens. Nothing nearly as cool as the 50's, 60's and 70's. While these people twirled around on the dance floor, my generation would dance the perfectly choreographed 'Bye, Bye, Bye' dance. As the concert continued, the crowd got deeper into it. Everyone around us came to life as they shared memories with the people around them. The concert I walked into dreading ended up being pretty fun. Seeing all of these older people dance the night away and share their memories was heartwarming and the music, well it was pretty great as well. I can see why Brian has loved it for so many years. There's something pretty magical about hearing impersonator Big Bopper sing "Hello, baby, Yeah, this is the Big Bopper speakin' Oh, you sweet thing-Do I what? Will I what? Oh baby, you know what I like (so racy). I may need to investigate this 50's music thing a bit further, maybe during a nice snow, by my fireplace with the record player on full blast. Maybe.



Property Tax debate continues as session winds down

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

Plans to cap annual increases in statewide agricultural land valuation have won the support of Governor Pete Ricketts but brought opposition from some municipalities and appears to have created mixed reaction among farm groups.

All this as lawmakers try to solve a decades-old property tax problem in a short session. It's a daunting task at best, but an impossible one with a Legislature more prone to quibbling than cooperating.

Grand Island Senator Mike Gloor introduced the 3 percent cap for the governor in LB958. The measure would affect aggregate agricultural and horticultural land valuation increases and tighten spending limits on local governments to slow property tax growth. Gloor said the intent is to slow down the valuation increase and slow the growth of locally levied taxes.

Gloor's bill would remove some exclusions from levy and budget limits, including the ability of a political subdivision—other than schools—to approve a levy in excess of its limit during a meeting in which more than 10 percent of the subdivision's registered voters are present. The use of restricted funds for capital improvements, sinking funds and inter-local agreements would also be limited to the 3 percent cap in 2017.

There appears to be no argument with the 2013 Tax Modernization Committee, a joint interim study of the Revenue and Education Committees that Nebraska relies too heavily on property taxes to fund K-12 education. The disagreement comes in finding a way to fund education and lower property taxes. Gloor said his plan could result in a variety of increases or decreases in property valuation assessments.

Ricketts testified in support of the bill with the understanding that any property tax relief plan must include limits on local government spending.

Steve Nelson, president of the Nebraska Farm Bureau said he supports the bill because Nebraska farmers and ranchers pay a disproportionate amount of property taxes compared to residential and commercial property owners. Nebraska Farmers Union President John Hansen spoke in opposition to the bill saying the 3 percent assessment limit could result in an overcorrection of agricultural land valuations over the next 10 to 15 years.

Lincoln Mayor Chris Beutler opposed the bill saying spending limits would devastate some political subdivisions by removing budget flexibility. LaVista Mayor Doug Kindig spoke against the bill because of the imposed limitations on interlocal agreements, which have allowed his city to grow. Nebraska Association of County Officials President Robert Post opposed the bill because limits on sinking funds would prevent counties from making unforeseen but necessary purchases of equipment without going to a popular vote, which takes time and money.

The Revenue Committee is also considering a couple of stop-gap measures that could be implemented in case lawmakers do not agree to a more permanent solution. Wahoo Senator Jerry Johnson's bill (LB940) would freeze valuations on all classes of property for three years at their 2016 levels unless lawmakers pass a law to reduce the percentage of

school funding provided by property taxes. Tax credits would remain the same during the freeze and political subdivisions could increase their levy limits only if the state budget grows.

If there is still no law in place at the end of the freeze, assessed values would increase by the same percentage as the increase in the state budget from year to year. If there is no reform in place before the end of the stabilization period, assessed values would increase by the same percentage as the increase in the state budget from one fiscal year to the next.

Johnson said he hopes the stabilization period would give lawmakers time to pass comprehensive tax reform that would reduce the dependence on property taxes to fund public education.

Nebraska Farm Bureau Federation spokesman Bruce Rieker said he supports the bill because it would create an incentive for the Legislature to change the state's property tax policy before the end of the stabilization period. Nebraska Association of County Officials Executive Director Larry Dix said he is against the bill because it doesn't consider land use changes during the stabilization period. Senator Mike Groene of North Platte has proposed a one-year freeze (LB717) and a requirement that assessors use a five-year comparable sale history instead of the current three-year formula.

These appear to be good ideas. But none will be the hoped-for panacea without the necessary study, debate and compromise that is clearly not possible in a short legislative session.

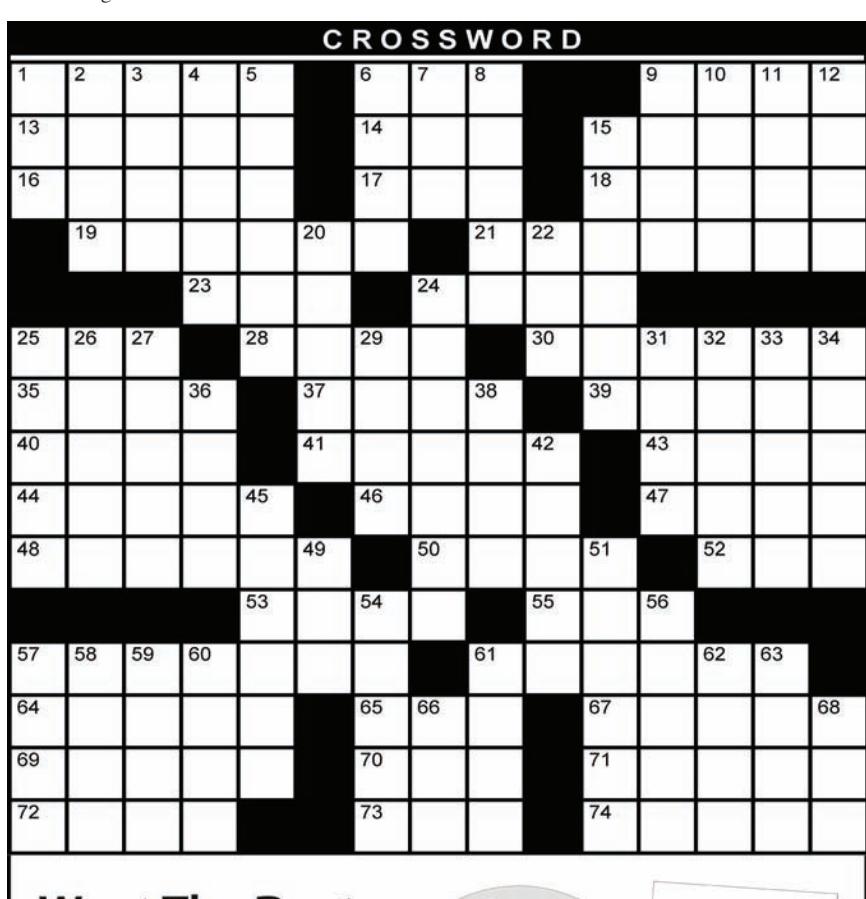
STATEPOINT CROSSWORD THEME: THINK SPRING

ACROSS

- Boat load
- Line of work
- Stairway alternative
- Hitler's mistress
- High or low card
- Country on Samoan Islands
- Stiff hair or bristles
- Kan, neighbor
- Holy See loyalist practicing different rites
- *Daylight ____ time
- *Spring is a symbol of this
- Much of this about nothing?
- "Stop!" to marchers
- Feather glue
- World's largest continent
- To show off
- Functions
- Jittery
- End of a poem
- *Before you spring clean you make one?
- Manet and Gauguin's contemporary
- Seaside bird
- **"Spring to mind" or "Spring into action," e.g.
- Table mineral
- Equal
- Correspondence friend
- Part of ROM
- *Spring is a cure for ___, acr.
- As opposed to "want"
- Pine juice
- Vernal event
- *Japanese spring blossom
- Knucklehead
- Wear and tear
- Made cow noise
- Old hat
- June honoree
- Muscat resident
- #23 Across, pl.
- Mama sheep
- Relating to Scandinavia

DOWN

- *Masters Tournament network
- Mars, to the Greeks
- "Pro" follower
- Exotic jelly flavor
- Iroquois tribe
- "More ___ for the buck"
- *It dissipates in spring
- Striped equine
- Raja's wife
- Gulf V.I.P.
- Castle's line of defense
- Beaten by walkers
- Difficult to detect
- Red- like Rudolph
- Hermy the dentist, e.g.
- Wasted-looking
- *Popular spring flower
- Comment to the audience
- Pine product
- *____ of March, or March 15
- "The ___ Go Marching"
- Part of eye containing iris, pl.
- Marilyn Monroe's given name
- Pronged, as in three-____ fork
- Cut that out!"
- Ivy League school
- Bills under mattress
- Like "The Martian" mission
- DiCaprio to his friends?
- Nature spirit in Greek mythology
- Ooze out
- Movie trailer, e.g.
- Cocoyam
- Leg muscle
- "Do ___ others as..."
- Frosts a cake
- Formally surrender
- Lion's warning
- Strong desires
- Horror movie series
- One of a set of dice



Want The Best Deal On TV & Internet?

Call Now and Ask How!

1-800-318-5121

All offers require 24-month commitment and credit qualification.

Call 7 days a week 8am - 11pm EST Promo Code: MB62015 *Offer subject to change based on premium channel availability.



dish
AUTHORIZED RETAILER

Falls City Journal
The Journal Publishing Co.
www.fcjournal.net

STAFF DIRECTORY

Bill Schock.....Publisher

Jason Schock.....Editor,
Newspaper Composition, Website
fcjournal1@sento.co.net

Ron Dodds.....Backshop Foreman

Nikki McKim.....Ad Design,
Newspaper Composition, Website
fjjournalads@sento.co.net

Chelsie Alexander.....Office Manager,
Bookkeeper chelsiefcj@sento.co.net

SUBSCRIPTION INFORMATION
Delivered by local carrier: Falls City or
Mail Subscriptions within 50 Miles of Falls City - \$40.00/yr.,
50 to 150 miles away - \$45.00/yr., Over 150 miles away - \$50.00/yr.
E-Edition FREE with One Year Subscription to Print Edition.
Subscription to ONLY the E-Edition ONLY \$25.00/yr.

Ten Retirement Blunders to Avoid

By Aaron Hill, CFP®

As a youth basketball coach, I often tell my boys that winning is sometimes not just a factor of doing all the right things, it is the ability to limit mistakes in the game. Retirement planning is very similar in that regard! You can start early and accumulate your retirement assets wisely for decades, but one misstep can derail you and potentially diminish decades of hard work and discipline. Here are a few common mistakes I see people make. These certainly aren't the only roadblocks out there, but avoid these and you are more likely to be able to stay on the right track.

No Plan – This may be the biggest blunder I see people make. Don't spend more time planning your vacation every year, than you do your retirement goals. Do you know how much you need to support your retirement for 20 or 30 years? Have you factored taxes and inflation into the equation? How much do you need to save monthly? If you are married, what if one of the spouses dies early?

Not factoring in Healthcare – Read the studies that come out and you will see that many experts easily project that a typical retired couple could spend well north of \$200k on healthcare expenditures. Don't leave this out of the equation!

Not thinking you will live that long – Are you just average? Take a look in the obituary section of the paper for a few weeks in a row if you don't believe the most recent average mortality figures. There may be a few exceptions, but there sure are a lot more late 80s and 90s individuals than 60s and 70s. Worrying about running out of money is not what you want to be doing in your later retirement years. Does your plan take that into consideration?

Starting later in life – I have five children. If I waited to get serious about retirement until after I raised my kids, I could be in a very tough spot. It sounds like a legitimate and very real reason to put it off. I need to pay off debt, make some repairs to the house, kids have to eat, etc. Regardless, it doesn't change the fact that you miss out on some of the most important factors in growing your nest egg – time and compounding. Can you play catch up? You certainly can try, but it can be way more difficult than most people imagine.

Putting college savings ahead of retirement – Everyone has different financial goals that are important to them. Simply stated, your child can borrow for an education. You can't borrow for retirement. Balance and compromise are probably the key words when it comes to this. If helping your children with college is important to you, my best advice is to start early. The window to meet this goal is typically short.

Not taking advantage of an employee match – You are passing up free money that can grow and compound for several decades. Find ways to trim down the budget to take advantage of this. Contributing more may also lower your taxes!

Wrong investment allocation – I see 60 year olds getting ready to retire that have portfolios that are way too risky. I also see some that are way too conservative for their goals and situation. There are some landmark studies that show 91%-92% of your return is based on asset allocation, not market timing, individual stock selection, fees, or many other things that a typical person wants to worry about. All of these things are important, but focus on the parts that have the biggest impact.

Missing Medicare deadline – Don't forget to sign up at 65. You have a small window to do that. Check out www.ssa.gov/medicare for more information.

Misunderstanding long term care – Medicare does NOT cover long term care. Medicaid can possibly help with that if you find yourself in poverty at the time you need care. And remember, the type of care you receive is determined by the state government. Sound good to you? There are better solutions that can often be addressed in your 50s and 60s. Your adult children will also thank you later! If you have a nice retirement egg or assets you want to protect, long term care insurance planning can be critical.

Not having a distribution strategy – You have saved for retirement your whole life and are getting ready to retire! What's the first thing you need?a paycheck for the rest of your life. Income, pensions, tax situations, types of investment accounts, marital status, health, and many other variables play a role in picking an optimal distribution strategy. Why is this important? It can limit the taxes you pay and help provide a buffer from running out of money!

This article is meant to be general in nature and should not be construed as investment or financial advice related to your personal situation. Please consult your financial advisors prior to making financial decisions. Asset allocation are investment strategies that attempt to manage risk within your portfolio. No investment strategy can guarantee a profit or protect against loss in declining markets. Investing involves risk and the potential to lose principal. Aaron Hill, CFP®, is a Financial Advisor with Waddell & Reed. He can be reached at 816-698-6464 or ahill@wradvisors.com. Waddell & Reed, Inc. Member FINRA/SIPC.

Waddell & Reed is not affiliated with the Falls City Journal and is not responsible for any other content in this publication.



2016
BOBCAT BASEBALL
SPRING CAMP

Saturday, March 20

Hitting Session • 9:00 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.
Pitching Session • 11:15 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
*Registration half hour before each session
Ages 8 - 18 years • \$35 Single Session or \$60 Both Sessions
*\$5 off for Additional Siblings
Located at the Al Wheeler Activity Center at Peru State College
*Participants bring their own bats & gloves
To register, contact Coach Josh Oltmans @ 402-621-0169

For information about other current and future Peru State athletic camps visit:
www.perustatecamps.com

Nebraska's First College • Established in 1867 • Peru, Nebraska • www.peru.edu
Member Institution of the Nebraska State College System

SENC and BVCA Partnership helping SE NE at-risk youth

The Nebraska Children and Families Foundation has announced that they are awarding \$300,000 to Blue Valley Community Action Partnership (BVCA), over two years, to build a Connected Youth Initiative (CYI) serving southeast Nebraska youth, ages 14-24, who are considered "unconnected."

At-risk youth are those that have aged out of the foster care system, are exiting the juvenile justice system, are homeless or near homeless, or simply lack the family supports required to transition successfully into adulthood. CYI is based on the successful practices of existing initiatives in Omaha, Lincoln and the Panhandle.

A powerful partnership has been built with BVCA and primary partner Southeast Nebraska Community Action Partnership (SENC). SENC serves Cass, Johnson, Nemaha, Otoe, Pawnee and Richardson Counties. BVCA serves Butler, Fillmore, Gage, Jefferson, Polk, Saline, Seward, Thayer and York Counties. Together, an estimated 3,113 unconnected youth reside in the 15 counties served through this program. The CYI grant will allow the partnership to dramatically expand to serve more young people with a greater array of services.

BVCA and SENC will provide youth assessments, case management, mentoring, financial literacy training, help saving for a vehicle to alleviate transportation needs, RentWise classes, referrals to Head Start for child care, housing assistance and educational/job training referrals. BVCA will also oversee the creation of youth councils to provide input into the services and processes.

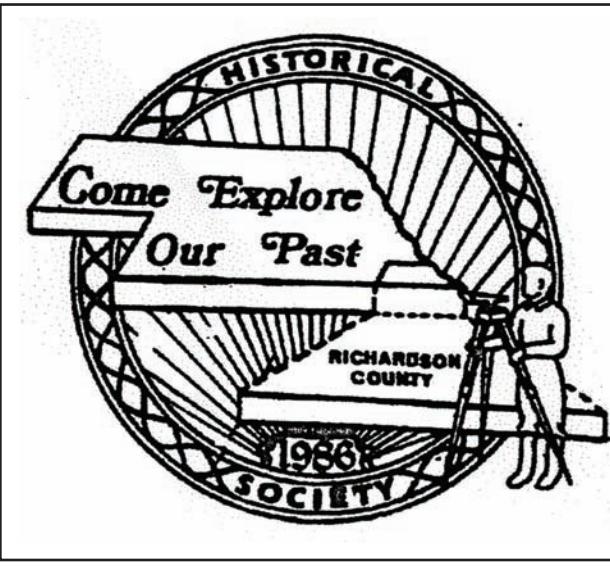
Other community partners assisting with the program include: Four Corners Health Department; Christian Heritage; Jefferson Community Coalition; Public Health Solutions; and FYI Center. Additional partnerships will continue to be formalized with county coalitions and local service providers to help round out the services available to underserved, unconnected youth throughout the 15 county area.

"We are so excited to have the opportunity to work with BVCA on this important project," said Troy Gagner, Nebraska Children's Connected Youth Initiative lead. "The partnerships they've built and the

Success and Progress

In 2002 the Richardson County Historical Society, Inc. purchased the Dorr-Clark Funeral Home building at 1401 Chase St., Falls City. The artifacts from Prichard Auditorium had been in storage in five places for 2 1/2 yrs., until the funeral home dwelling became available.

It took some time to move all the items in storage to the new quarters. The artifacts had to be cleaned and placed in the rooms of this 1865 build-



ing for many of the generously donated artifacts. As the funds became available the AG building was built. It is reaching a near capacity situation. We have been land locked for some time and after negotiating for the 12 lots across to the East and made the purchase it is now possible to add another building as soon as the donations will let us go ahead with that project. We are very fortunate to have some volunteers capable to look into the possibility of another building.

Also in the works is the renovation of an area for the Military exhibits. This will take a lot of work, but is necessary to accommodate the many additional items in that area. We are so grateful to the military families as they downsize to think of the Museum rather than to destroy the heritage of families that came here so many years ago. Our Military and Farmers are such a part of the community we need to honor them as well as pioneer families that came to this prairie when it was set forth as a territory for Nebraska and surrounding states. We must be proud to remember that the first point of measurement for our State starts at the very tip of what later came to Statehood, March 1, 1867. The measurement is used from Richardson County, Nebraska south to the Oklahoma border and North to South Dakota border. Although we do not hear much from the public for this recognition, Richardson County is important and should be remembered as such. "From the past to the future we are in it for the long haul".

plan they've put together have the potential to make a major impact on the youth and young adults who need the most help."

SENC and BVCA are part of the Community Action of Nebraska state association consisting of nine Community Action Agencies (CAAs) that serve all 93 Nebraska Counties. Nationwide, there are more than 1,100 CAAs that annually help 17 million low-income Americans achieve economic security.

To learn more about the programs and services provided by SENC, please visit www.senc.org.

We are Pleased to
Announce the Following
Engaged Couple have
Registered their Bridal
Requirements with Us.

April 23, 2016

**Sydney Schwarting
and
Tyler Cooper**

True Value.

START RIGHT. START HERE.
1519 Stone St., Falls City
Phone 245-2725

Our Bridal Registry Consultant
is Ready to Assist You in
Selecting the Perfect Gift.

A Local Tradition Continues - 71st Annual

Shrine Circus 2016

Wednesday March 9 – Sunday March 13

Lancaster Event Center – Lincoln

Sesostris Shrine wishes to thank all of our generous sponsors who help make the 2016 Shrine Circus a success! Thank you. Payments are not deductible as charitable contributions. Proceeds are for the benefit of Sesostris Shriners activities.



FALLS CITY

BIG TOP - F&M BANK, FALLS CITY

THREE RING

Falls City Community Medical Center

Falls City Family Practice

Watkins Aircraft Support Products

RING MASTER

Ace Hardware

Airlanco

Animal Health Center

Corner Liquor

Falls City Mercantile Co.

Hill's Paint and Glass

Jones Air Conditioning

Milam's Inc.

Stripes & Signs

Mike Castle Insurance Agency, Inc.

DAWSON

THREE RING - Koch's Auto Service, Inc.

RINGMASTER

Larry's Auto Service • Six Mile Cafe

Stateline Ag Enterprises Inc.

STELLA

RINGMASTER

Davis Plumbing, Heating & Electrical

HUMBOLDT

RINGMASTER - 4-Star Shooting Sports

THAT BUMP IN THE NIGHT SHOULDN'T BE YOUR CROP INSURANCE.

Of all the things to keep you awake, your crop insurance shouldn't be one of them. Our full-time specialists spend every working day with crop insurance – it's all we do. We study it, we plan it and we know how important it is.

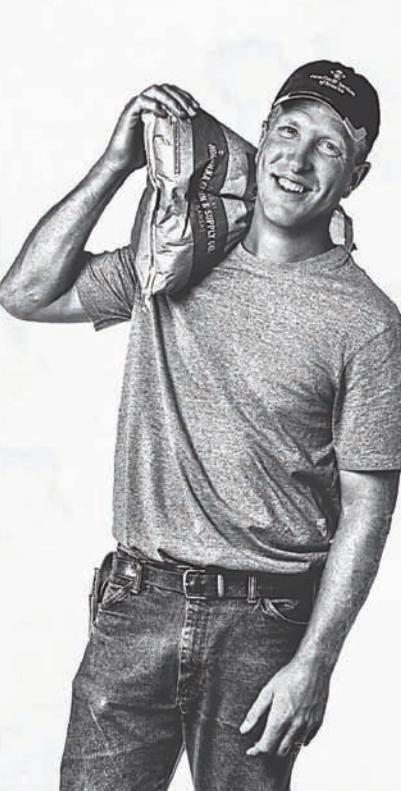
So if you ever have a crop insurance need, you won't have to question your crop insurance plan. Discover the difference with a no-cost, no-obligation plan review.

BEATRICE OFFICE: 402-223-2385
OR TOLL FREE: 1-877-244-1284



AGRICULTURE WORKS HERE.

This institution is an equal opportunity provider and employer.





RHODD — Josh and Carla Rhodd, of Falls City, are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Harper Grace, who was born on Jan. 8, 2016 at Bryan Medical Center in Lincoln. She weighed 7 pounds, 15 ounces and was 19 inches long. She was welcomed home by big brother Garrett. Grandparents are Mike and Sherri Hunzeker, Mike and Carla Marx and Jerry Rhodd. Great-grandparents are Gary and Marilyn Coulter and Leslie Stevens.



Society

Humane Society

The Humane Society held its regular monthly meeting on Feb. 26, at Sun Mart. President Ardis Ramsey called the meeting to order with seven members present. Prayer was offered by Beverly Kimmel.

Business memberships are well on their way, thanks to Bev and Ardis. Individual memberships will be going out soon. The Spay Day USA Voucher winners were drawn on Spay Day, Feb. 23.

A male adult cat was recovered from 24th and Harlan Streets and is at the City Pound; a small kitten was rescued from a cistern in Shubert; a German Shepherd mix is also at the Pound, he was picked up at 11th and Lane. Two of our Shelter kitties, "Lil Mo" and "Jasmine," found their forever home with a family. We wish them the best!

The next meeting is March 15 at Sun Mart.

Kamble-Huppert wedding in April

Shripat and Linda Kamble, of Lincoln, are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Keerun Kamble, to Jeff Huppert, son of Mark and Joyce Huppert, of Dawson. Keerun works at Lincoln-Lancaster County Health Department as the Wellness Coordinator. Jeff works at BNSF Railway in Lincoln as a System Electrician.

An April wedding is planned at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Lincoln.

The local Knights of Columbus announced the winners of the Drug and Substance Abuse Poster Contest.

Drug Awareness: (ages 8-11) Elizabeth Selleek, 1st; Saylor Huffles, 2nd; James Froeschl, 3rd; (ages 12-14) Maddie Littrel, 1st; Jack Fiegner, 2nd; Lexis Porkorny, 3rd.

Alcohol Awareness: (ages 8-11) Chloe Knobbe, 1st; Madison Dougherty, 2nd; Joe Simon, 3rd; (ages 12-14) Claire Niemeyer, 1st; Evi Schock, 2nd; Rachel Magdanz, 3rd.



The Falls City Trap Team held a raffle for an SKB IS300 12-gauge shotgun sold at cost to Shawn Fouraker of Fouraker Guns. The winner, pictured above with several members of the Falls City Trap Team, was Wyatt Kerl.

Storm spotters Tuesday in Verdon

The Richardson County Emergency Management Agency will hold a storm spotting class at the Verdon Fire Hall, 308 Main St., at 7 p.m. Tuesday, March 15.

Are you interested in severe weather? Are you wondering what it takes to be a storm spotter? If so, please attend this event. They will discuss what a storm spotter does and how they help protect communities.

Please RSVP on Facebook or call the EM office at 402-245-2446.

K of C poster contest

The local Knights of Columbus announced the winners of the Drug and Substance Abuse Poster Contest.

Drug Awareness: (ages 8-11) Elizabeth Selleek, 1st; Saylor Huffles, 2nd; James Froeschl, 3rd; (ages 12-14) Maddie Littrel, 1st; Jack Fiegner, 2nd; Lexis Porkorny, 3rd.

Alcohol Awareness: (ages 8-11) Chloe Knobbe, 1st; Madison Dougherty, 2nd; Joe Simon, 3rd; (ages 12-14) Claire Niemeyer, 1st; Evi Schock, 2nd; Rachel Magdanz, 3rd.

Thinking about your garden?

Seed Potatoes
Sweet Corn, and
Various Seeds
Have Arrived

Helena Chemical Co.
5th & Wilson Street
Falls City, NE 68355



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

66th ANNUAL FISH FRY

Friday, March 18 Serving 5 to 8 P.M.

Prichard Auditorium • 312 W. 17th, Falls City, NE

(Dine In or Carry-Out)

Adults - \$10.00 • Children 12 and Under - \$6.00

Carry-Out - 50¢ Extra

Served by Knights of Columbus and Friends Proceeds Go to The Sacred Heart Athletic Fund

Kex Rx
Pharmacy & Home Care
We take care of you!
Prescriptions • Free Delivery • Oxygen

Falls City
120 E. 18th St.
(402) 245-2446

Atchison Excelsior Springs Hawatha Horton
807 Main St. 149 Crown Hill Rd. 1015 6th St. 1903 Euclid Ave.
(913) 367-5252 (816) 637-3188 (785) 742-2125 (785) 486-3651

KexRx.com • facebook.com/KexRx

The Write A-Way Income Tax and Accounting

All States • Electronic Filing • Payroll-Sales Tax-Accounting

Reasonable Fees • Over 30 Years Experience

Audit Assistance & Year Round Services

823 Stone St. Falls City, NE 68355

402-245-4397 • patrice@sntco.net

BURBANK APARTMENTS

Affordable Housing

1, 2 and 3 bedroom units available with rental assistance
available for qualified applicants.

2704 Chase St., Falls City, NE 68355

402-245-2483 • TDD# (800) 833-7352

Applications are available at the office and the office is staffed

Monday and Wednesday from 8-4:30. www.costellococom

"This Institution is an Equal Opportunity Provider and Employer"

Come to the Falls City Elks Club

For a Corned Beef & Cabbage Meal!

St. Patrick's Day - Thursday, March 17

Lunch Served 11-1:00 p.m.

Dinner starts at 5:30 p.m.

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC!

Sac & Fox Casino® f

GO FOR GREEN AT SAC & FOX CASINO!

LUCK OF THE IRISH

\$10 FREE PLAY

THURSDAY, MARCH 17

SLOTS 10AM - 10PM

TABLES 2PM - 10PM

Celebrate St. Patty's Day by wearing green and we'll give you **\$10 SLOT FREE PLAY** OR **\$10 TABLE GAME PROMO CHIPS.**

Limit one offer per patron.

SATURDAY, MARCH 19 • 8PM

REGISTRATION • 5PM - 7:55PM

Wear your zaniest hat and win up to **\$1,500 SLOT FREE PLAY!** Top 10 winners will share **\$5,000 SLOT FREE PLAY.**

Enjoy our event in our Silver Fox Showroom.

\$5,000 MARCH MAD HATTER, CRAZY HAT DAY

\$10 SLOT FREE PLAY

Like

US ON FACEBOOK!

THURSDAY, MARCH 10 • 10AM - 10PM

Simply "Like" us on Facebook and give us your cell phone number to receive **\$10 SLOT FREE PLAY!**

See Winner's Club for more details. Visit the Winner's Club to receive your \$10 Slot Free Play. Limit one offer per patron.

1322 US HWY 75, POWHATTAN, KS 66527

WWW.SACANDFOXCASINO.COM

See Winner's Club for details. All promotions are subject to change. Must be 21 years of age or older.

Gambling Problem? In Kansas, call 1-800-522-4700.

The Write A-Way

Income Tax and Accounting

All States • Electronic Filing • Payroll-Sales Tax-Accounting

Reasonable Fees • Over 30 Years Experience

Audit Assistance & Year Round Services

823 Stone St. Falls City, NE 68355

402-245-4397 • patrice@sntco.net

BURBANK APARTMENTS

Affordable Housing

1, 2 and 3 bedroom units available with rental assistance
available for qualified applicants.

2704 Chase St., Falls City, NE 68355

402-245-2483 • TDD# (800) 833-7352

Applications are available at the office and the office is staffed

Monday and Wednesday from 8-4:30. www.costellococom

"This Institution is an Equal Opportunity Provider and Employer"

Nominations sought for FCHS Honor Wall

The Falls City School Wall of Fame Steering Committee is seeking nominations for this year's selections. The Wall of Fame is not to be confused with the Sports Hall of Fame, although outstanding athletes could be included in the nominations. The Wall of Fame's purpose is to honor and preserve the history of those associated with the local public school system who have contributed meritorious service in their particular field.

This will be the 14th year of the project, which was started by Bob Ferguson and Rex Jones, members of the Class of 1948. Photos and biographies of the 21 persons who have been selected appear just opposite to the main entrance to the high school. The honoree or honorees are chosen by a Selection Committee, which is comprised of person representing different eras.

The person or persons selected will be inducted into the Wall of Fame during the High School's annual Alumni Association's dinner meeting at Prichard Auditorium on June 26, 2016. Richard W. Schock, Space Engineer and a member of Systems Dynamic Lab of the Space Lab within the Space Shuttle payload bay, was the 2015 inductee.

Persons who wish to make nominations may obtain the forms from Ferguson, 2501 Towle St., phone 402-245-2748. April 8, 2016 is the deadline for submitting nominations. The names of persons previously nominated remain on the active list of the Selection Committee.



The staff and administration of Falls City High School have announced the selections for February High School Students of the Month, from left: Tyler Harms, junior son of Thad Harms and Susie Kreifels; Megan Vollmer, senior daughter of Kevin and Julie Vollmer; Sophia Gilsdorf, sophomore daughter of Randy Gilsdorf and the late Mary Beth Gilsdorf; and Noah Milam, sophomore son of Max and Michelle Milam. The students were nominated by high school staff on their academic achievements, attitude, classroom contributions and work ethic. Each of the students was praised in nomination comments for "academic excellence, going above and beyond what was asked of them, their helpfulness, and their leadership, and serving as excellent role models for their peers," according to FCHS Principal Gale Dunkhas.

FC Educational Foundation Scholarships

The Falls City Educational Foundation has announced that applications are being accepted for \$33,000 in Scholarships for the 2016-2017 school year. Applications must be submitted by March 29 for the Foundation's 2016 Scholarships. Winners will be notified in May.

The Foundation is offering 27 scholarships to 2016 graduates of Falls City High School; two new scholarships are being offered this year.

The Albert Rieschick and Family Scholarship of \$1,000 is offered to a 2016 graduate attending either a two- or four-year college or technical school and majoring in an agriculture-related field. This scholarship was made possible by a donation from Albert's children.

The Ron Roggenkamp Scholarship will be awarded this spring to an FCHS graduating senior who plans to attend a four-year college or university. This scholarship was made possible by his wife and children.

One scholarship to a past graduate of Falls City High attending a four-year college in selected majors is being offered. The Governor A. J. Weaver Family Scholarship is for \$1,000 and will go to a student who will be a sophomore, junior or senior in college in the fall of 2016 and who are majoring in music, photography, journalism, library science, political science, civil engineering or pre-law.

Scholarship details and applications are available at the Falls City High School Guidance Counselor's office or online at www.fctigers.org



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

March 22. Matinee for kids in 3rd - 6th grade.

William A. Reed: motivational speaker and author. Tuesday, March 22, 7 PM. His book, *The Four Sides, "The transformation of a coach and the legacy of a principal."*

Matinee: Humanity from Space, Wednesday, March 23 at 2 p.m. An epic journey of discovery. Using the latest mindboggling data and CGI, it traces humankind's story from hunter-gather to dominant global species.

Book: *The Sandcastle Girls*, By Chris Bohjalian. Thursday, March 24 at 2 p.m.. When Elizabeth Endicott arrives in Aleppo, Syria, a crash course in nursing, and only the most basic grasp of the Armenian language. She meets a widower who writes her letters.

Movie Night: *Mockingjay*, Part II. Tuesday, March 29, 5:15-7:40 p.m. Watch the final installment of The Hunger Games. Rated PG-13.

Movie: *Max*, 1 p.m. Tuesday,

Students



FCHS sophomore Zachary Petry, son of Jerry and Jennifer Rathman, recently participated in the 8th annual BOCH festival, presented by the UNO School of Music. The Band, Orchestra and Choir Honors Festival was held Jan. 29-31 and concluded with a combined concert at the University's Baxter Arena. Students from Colorado, Iowa and Nebraska were in rehearsals everyday for the event. The choir was conducted by Professor Shannon Gravelle,

Nemaha Rescue Squad Fish Fry

Friday, March 11th - 5:45pm to 8:15pm

Nemaha Community Building

To help us purchase advanced medical equipment
Catfish, Carp, Chicken Strips, Baked Beans, Coleslaw,
Chips, Rye bread, various desserts and drinks.

Please come out and help us make our goal to better
serve the surrounding area! Thank you!!!

Nemaha Fire and Rescue Nemaha, Nebraska

Welcome Home-Make New Friends

EAST VIEW APARTMENTS

800 E. 21st Street

Check out our...

- 1, 2 and 3 bedroom apartments
- Versatile package of daily services
- Service to all income and age levels
- Appliances furnished
- Utilities included in rent

Visit our new Sunroom!

Experience years of quality housing and service!

Absolute John Deere Machinery Auction

Sat., March 26, 2016

71259 652 Ave. Falls City, NE



Directions from north edge of Falls City, NE on Hwy. 73: 4 1/2 miles north to 712 Rd (aka Dustless Hwy), 1/2 mile east & 1/2 mile north on west side of road

Auctioneer's Note: We will begin with the Tools & Miscellaneous items followed by the Machinery. At NOON, we will sell the Tractors, Combine, Heads, Gator & 4-wheeler. Wayne was an avid JD enthusiast & kept his equipment in immaculate condition. Come spend the day with us! Thanks, Randy

Equipment will be available for viewing March 19th & 20th ONLY



Combine & Heads

2005 JD 4420 combine, 4434 diesel engine, gear drive, straw chopper, 18.4x26 rubber

JD 444 corn head, oil bath drive • JD 213 black reel flex head

Machinery

Kinze 2000 interplanter planter, liquid fert, big boxes, ground driven pump, Tru Count clutches, corn unit only, Yetter trash whips & coulters on back, coulters only on front

Brent 420 grain cart, new 20.8x38 rubber • Vermeer 8' blade, 3-pt

Parker 2500 gravity flow wagon w/roll tarp w/Parker 1180 gear, 13.5x16.1 rubber

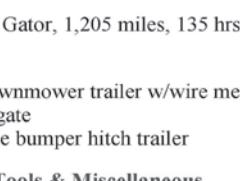
ATV, 55 gal. mist sprayer, 3-pt, like new • Clark 200 gal. boom sprayer, 3-pt

JD 2600 4x16 plow, hyd. steering, on-land variable • JD 915 5-knife ripper

JD 960 21' field cultivator w/walking tandem • JD 210 15' disk, new blades

JD 1008 10' shredder, 3-pt • JD 68 auger wagon, 8.25x20 rubber

Haul More 7x13 box wagon & hoist w/JD gear, new 11Lx15 rubber



Gator

JD 8251 DOHC Gator, 1,205 miles, 135 hrs

Trailers

4x8 ATV or lawnmower trailer w/wire mesh floor & tailgate

16' tandem axle bumper hitch trailer



Other Tools & Miscellaneous

DuraCraft Industrial Machines 1/2" drill press

Century AC/DC welder, 20-250 amps • Acetylene torch w/cart

Hobart Handler 140 wire feed welder, 25-140 amps

Stihl 036, 026 & 13G55 chain saws • Clark 20 gal. parts washer, new

Charge Air Pro heavy duty 3-way spray gun • 10 & 5T bottle jacks

Michelin 3.5 T speed lift floor jack • Mac Tool air hammer set

20 T air over hyd bottle jack • Makita 3/8" variable speed drill

B & D 3/8" variable speed drill • B & D 7.2V cordless drill

B & D 1/2" drill • Makita 4" grinder • Wilton 4" vise & rolling bench

NuMark 1/4 HP bench grinder on stand • Skil Saw 7 1/4" Deluxe saw

Makita portable cut-off saw • Craftsman quick wrench set, 5/16-3/4"

S-K 1/2" 12-pt sockets plus ratchets & extensions, 1/2-1 1/4"

Craftsman Kwik-connect 1/4" drill bit set • Dremel Tool Multi-Pro kit

Blue Point snap-ring convertible pliers • Drill bit set, 1/16-1/2"

Craftsman rolling tool box • Steel glide rolling tool box

Craftsman tool box w/tools • Werner 4, 6 & 8' fiberglass step ladders

Century 6 & 12 Volt battery charger, 30/200 amp • MaxxAir shop fan

3—3/8" tractor chains • 500 & 200 gal. tanks w/pumps

Wayne Witt Estate

660-491-3816

Additional pictures at speckmannrealtyandauction.com



Lunch by Scotty's

SPECKMANN
REALTY & AUCTION SERVICE, INC.

Auctioneer:
Randy L. Speckmann, (402) 335-2659
Clerks & Ringmen: Speckmann Auction Service
Sale Day: (402) 239-8287
speckmannrealtyandauction.com

TWILITE CONSIGNMENT AUCTION

Thursday, March 10 at 6:00 p.m.

Cummings Auction Barn

1015 Harlan, Falls City, Neb.

HOUSEHOLD: REFRIGERATORS (ONE SXSW/ICE & WATER), UPRIGHT FREEZER, STOVES (ONE SMOOTH TOP), NICE DINETTES, WASHERS AND DYERS, (ONE STACK UNITS LESS THAN ONE YEAR OLD), SOFAS, LOVSEATS AND HIDE BEDS (LEATHER SOFA W/DDOUBLE RECLINE) ASST. OF RECLINERS, GLIDERS AND ROCKERS, 8+ BOOKCASES, VERY NICE COFFEE AND END TABLES, 42' & 31" NEWER FLAT SCREEN TV'S, OAK TV STAND, ALL TYPES OF LAMPS, BOSE RADIO/CD, QUEEN, FULL AND TWIN SETS (FULL SIZE) TEMPUR-PEDIC ADJUSTABLE BED, ALL BEDS SUPER NICE, 2 PIECE B/R SET, GOOD ASST. OF DRESSERS AND CHESTS, 3+ NICE COMPUTER DESKS AND CABINETS, 2 NICE OFFICE CHAIRS, GOOD ASST. OF HAND TOOLS (SOME NEW), AND POWER TOOLS. DOG KENNEL (NEW), KARAOKE SYSTEM, NEW MICRO-CUT SHREDDER, VERY LARGE ASST. OF YARD TOOLS, LAWNMOWER, YARD ORNAMENTS, LARGE TENT, BISSELL POWER STEAMER, SHOP LIGHTS, CAR BIKE CARRIER, LOTS MISC. OUTBACK. ASST. OF WESTERN'S, ASST. OF GLASSWARE, JEWELRY, LONGABERGER BASKETS, STONEWARE 5 DRAWER CABINET, THOMAS KINKADE OLD WORLD SANTA'S (COMPLETE SET, 6+ HUSKER CAR BANKS, 4 OAK CHAIRS, ORNATE PAINTED CABINET, OAK OFFICE CHAIR, 100 YEAR OLD ROCKER, LARGE WAYNE'S ESTATE WARDROBE (MARGRAVE RANCH), 4 DRAWER FILE CABINET, MICROWAVE, BELL COPIER, INTEL WOW COMPUTER, COMPLETE W/PRINTER, ETC. (LIKE NEW) FROM ESTATE, 6+ SILVER DOLLARS AND ASST. COINS, ASST. OF SANTA FE RR DISHES & LANTERN. 1917 VOLUME I & II HISTORY OF RICHARDSON COUNTY BOOKS, ALSO SEVERAL OTHER BOOKS OF RICHARDSON COUNTY, ALSO BROWN CO., KS, STERLING SILVER PIECES. LOTS NOT LISTED AT THIS TIME.

GUNS: STEVENS MODEL 238A 20 GAUGE SHOTGUN & POSSIBLY MORE. SHOTGUN RELOADER

THIS AUCTION CONTAINS THE JENNY MARGRAVE COMPLETE ESTATE AND SEVERAL LIVING ESTATES. OPEN WED. 9AM TO 8PM. EVERYTHING ALMOST NEW OR SUPER GOOD CONDITION. LOTS NOT LISTED.

AUCTION CONDUCTED BY
CUMMINGS AUCTION SERVICE
Falls City, NE 402-245-3636 or 7293

**DISTRICT COURT**

-Thomas L. Bassett, 33, of Falls City, DUI (.15-plus), a Class IIIA Felony (15-year license revocation), pled no contest. Sentencing and enhancement hearing scheduled for June 7; pre-sentence investigation ordered.

A charge of first offense operation of a motor vehicle during time of revocation (15-year revocation) was dismissed in exchange for the guilty plea.

CIVIL COURT

Judgment entered in favor of Professional Choice Recovery, and against Codie W. Witt, of Falls City, in the amount of \$6,412.85, plus Court costs of \$63.50.

Judgment entered in favor of Midland Funding LLC, and against Victor Henson, of Falls City, in the amount of \$672.87, plus Court costs of \$63.50. Post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.51 percent.

Judgment entered in favor of Collection Associates, and against Steve Bucher, of Humboldt, in the amount of \$195.81, plus prejudgment interest of \$8.94, attorney fees of \$24.58 and Court costs of \$222.60. Post-judgment interest to accrue at 6.0 percent.

Judgment entered in favor of

Credit Management Systems, and against Dennis Koenke, of Rulo, in the amount of \$16,897, plus Court costs of \$84.10. Post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.51 percent.

Judgment entered in favor of Sunflower U.P. Federal Credit Union, and against Zachary Bokelman, of Falls City, in the amount of \$782.42, plus Court costs of \$51. Post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.51 percent.

Judgment entered in favor of Ford Motor Co., LLC, and against Megan L. and Chester E. McConnell, of Paxton, in the amount of \$2,323.89, plus prejudgment interest of \$449.25. Post-judgment interest to accrue at 2.51 percent.

COUNTY COURT

-Breanna S. Knapp, 25, of Falls City, count one, no proof of insurance; count two, no valid registration; count three, failure to use seat belt. Pled guilty to counts two and three; count one dismissed with prejudice (**Editor's Note** - dismissal with prejudice bars the government from prosecuting the accused later on the same charge). Fined \$50, plus Court costs of \$49.

-Brian K. Zentner, 39, of Falls City, count one, DUI (.15-plus); count two, no proof of insurance; count three, no driver's license on person; count four, speeding (11-15). Pled no contest to count one; counts two, three and four dismissed with prejudice. Sentencing scheduled for April 6; ordered to obtain alcohol assessment.

-Bradley D. Fiscus, 48, of Falls City, count one, leaving the scene of an accident (failure to furnish information); count two, no proof of insurance; count three, no valid registration; count four, operating a motor vehicle without proof of ownership; count five, improper/defective vehicle lighting. Pled no contest to count one; counts two, three, four and five dismissed with

prejudice. Sentencing scheduled for March 23.

-Jason N. Berger, 29, of Falls City, count one, assault; count two, disorderly conduct. Sentencing scheduled for March 14.

-James Bassett, 57, of Falls City, disorderly conduct; fined \$75, plus Court costs of \$49.

-Melissa S. Everhart, 47, of Falls City, disturbing the peace; fined \$100, plus Court costs of \$49.

-Jeffrey M. Frenzel, 29, of Falls City, assault in the third degree, amended to disturbing the peace. Pled guilty to amended charge; fined \$125, plus Court costs of \$49.

-Patricia R. Stonebarger, 25, of Auburn, count one, assault in the third degree, amended to disturbing the peace; count two, criminal mischief (less than \$500); count three, criminal trespass in the second degree. Pled no contest to counts one and two; count three dismissed with prejudice. Fined \$75 on count one; fined \$150 on count two, plus Court costs of \$49.

-Joel T. Lunsford, 27, of Falls City, domestic assault in the third degree. Case continued to March 16 for entry of plea.

-Gary M. Dumont Jr., 29, of Falls City, count one, resisting arrest, first offense; count two, violate protection order; count three, driving under revocation; count four, criminal mischief (\$500-\$1,500); count five, criminal mischief (less than \$500). Case continued to March 21 for entry of plea.

-Jamie L. Simmonds, 48, of Rulo, sentencing for DUI - first offense; driver's license revoked for three months (ignition interlock permit ordered); placed on eight months probation and pay \$250 on probation fees; must successfully complete inpatient program for chemical dependency at his own expense; ordered to serve 50 days in Richardson County Jail beginning June 1, unless waived by the Court; fined \$500, plus lab costs of \$145.65, and Court costs of \$49.

COUNTY COURT WAIVERS

(Court costs not included)

Tickets written by Deputy Sheriff Jonathan Kirkendall

-Randolph G. Koehler, speeding (11-15), \$75.

Tickets written by Deputy Sheriff Clinton Stonebarger

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

Tickets written by State Patrolman William Rowell

-Timothy J. Barber, no valid registration, \$25; non-resident violate 30-day immunity, \$25; failure to use child passenger safety restraint, \$25.

-Romaro D. Nelson, speeding (6-10), \$25.

-David J. Passarelli, speeding (16-20), \$125.

Tickets written by State Patrolman C.A. Zost

-J.R. Reyes Esquivel, failure to use child passenger safety restraint, \$25.

Tickets written by State Patrolman Kaleb Bruggeman

-Jan L. McCarville, speeding (16-20), \$125.

Tickets written by State Patrolman Kent Kavan

-A.M. Dye, speeding (11-15), \$75.

-Aaron B. Bans, excess windshield or window tint, \$25.

-Timothy D. Richardson, speeding (16-20), \$125.

-Mary E. Pringle, speeding (11-15), \$75.

Tickets written by FCPD Officer Jeremy Goldsberry

-James Cummings, traffic control violation, \$75.

Tickets written by State Patrolman Thomas Giffey

-Lin Weng, speeding (6-10), \$25.

Tickets written by N/A

-Christian M. Tollefson, speeding (21-35), \$200.

ACCIDENT

-Wednesday morning, March 2, 20th and Morton Streets. Driver: Andrew J. Dean, 29, of Falls City. Owner of parked 2005 Ford van: Educational Services Unit No. 4, of Auburn. Estimated damage when Dean was backing his 2001 Chevy pickup and struck parked ESU van: \$1,000 to Dean vehicle; \$2,000 to ESU van.

**Gifts enable PD to buy tasers, cameras**

Last fall the Falls City Police Dept. announced it was trying to raise money for the purchase of new tasers and body cameras for each officer in the department.

After hearing of the situation, Steve Kottich, Board Chairman of the Richardson Foundation authorized a donation of \$7,000 to go toward the cause. Since the initial donation, the Richardson Foundation has set up an account to accept additional donations for possible future FCPD equipment needs.

In addition to the new tasers, the Department was able to purchase new body cameras, in order to document any incidents officers may become involved in.

The Department thanked all the donors who made the new purchases possible: The Richardson Foundation, Airlanco, American National Bank, Armbruster Motor Co., Ames True Temper, Mrs. Kenneth Arnold, Farm & City Supply, Community Medical Center, F&M Bank, Frontier Bank, Casey's General Store, Consolidated Grain and Barge, FC Elks Lodge, Shopko Foundation, Edward Jones Investments, Sapp Bros., Check Inn Motel, El Camino Electric, Flood Broadcasting, Crime Stoppers, Kobza Dental, John and Marry Martin, Richard Little, Personal Care, Pest Control Services of SE NE, and Michael and Sherri Hunzeker.

DID YOU KNOW?

It is said that, in 1941 the Ford motor company produced an experimental automobile with a plastic body composed of 70% cellulose fibers from hemp. The car body could absorb blows 10 times as great as steel without denting. The car was designed to run on hemp fuel. Because of the ban on both hemp and alcohol, the car was never mass produced.

A&G'S STEAKHOUSE & PIZZA

TRY THE NEW "PERFORMANCE"
PEPPERONI PIZZA

For a limited time Large \$9.99

1618 STONE ST. FALLS CITY - 402-245-4292

SPECIALTY ROOFING

Residential or Commercial

-and- UNRUH
SEAMLESS
GUTTERING
ask about Leaf Screens



We offer a free, no-obligation assessment and estimate.

CALL 785-742-9686

BUSINESS SERVICES**TICHY LAND SURVEY COMPANY**

402-657-6832

"For all you're surveying needs"

A Roof That Lasts a Generation

Contact: Specialty Roofing & Unruh
Seamless Guttering for your
Roof & Gutter Solution

785-742-9686

bestfuturoof.com

Bob Bachman's Home Improvements

For Your Total Building Needs

Siding • Roofing • Decks

Remodels • Wood Flooring

Installation of Ceramic, Granite, and

Marble Floors and Countertops

66064 703 Trail, Rulo, NE

402-245-4693

HOMETOWN FLORAL & GIFTS

1605 Stone St.

Falls City

(402) 245-2200

RAM EXTERMINATORS

For All Your Pest Control Needs

Termites, and Inspections

Insects, Rodents, Bed Bugs

Jared Crider

Owner-Operator

402-245-2966

or Toll Free 888-395-3377

We Install Original

Factory Replacement

Glass Only

All Glass in Stock For

Immediate Installation

Jim Hill's

PAINT • GLASS • WALLPAPER

1619 Chase

St.

402-245-4444 or 1-800-232-6556

JAMES MURPHY CONSTRUCTION

"Building your dreams one nail at a time"

New Home Construction,

Remodeling, Decks & Kitchens

James L. Murphy

402-245-4406

Cell: 402-202-8288

Fully Insured

1619 Chase

St.

402-245-4444 or 1-800-232-6556

Falls City Journal

www.fcjournal.net

VERDON VOLUNTEER FIREMEN SOUP SUPPER

Sunday, March 20 - 3-7 PM.
Verdon Fire Hall, Verdon, NE
Chili, Chicken Noodle, Vegetable Beef, Ham and Bean and Potato Soups.
FREEWILL OFFERING — Thanks for Your Support!

J&F CONTRACTING Land Improvement Tree & Branch Removal with Turbo Tree Saw

Dan Jones
402-883-7837

BLETSCHER TRUCKING

Dump Truck Work
Rock • Sand • Gravel • Lime
30 Years Experience
402-245-5540
Cell 402-245-7294

Dr. Eric McPeak
Your Hometown Optometrist
Comprehensive Eye Care
Your vision is important to us.
Please call for your complete eye exam.
1823 Chase Street
Falls City, NE
(402) 245-2017 - Falls City (785) 742-3021 - Hiawatha MCPEAK OPTOMETRY

Dylan L. Handley Attorney at Law

Probate and Estate • Wills
Divorce and Family Law • Taxation
Personal Injury • Real Estate
General Civil Practice • Bankruptcy
Appointments Available in Falls City (402) 883-7470
Auburn (402) 274-5484
Nebraska City (402) 873-3080

Ligouri Law Offices
1118 15th Street, P.O. Box 99
Auburn, NE 68305

PEST CONTROL SERVICES

Don Ferguson, Owner
"Serving Falls City since 1987"
Call: 402.245.3289 (Office)
Call or Text: 402.245.0339
Email:
donferguson622@gmail.com

Falls City Journal

www.fcjournal.net

Tuesday, March 8, 2016

Page 7

Comforting Consolation

While it wasn't the prize they coveted, in the surroundings they found so pleasant and comfortable a year ago, the Class D2 third-place trophy did indeed provide a reasonable amount of much-needed consolation to a Falls City Sacred Heart girls' basketball team stinging from a third heart-breaking semifinal loss in four years.

The top-seeded, top-ranked and defending Class D2 champions at the Bob Devaney Sports Center lost an early 11-point lead and hopes of a repeat with a 43-39 loss to eventual champion Wynot, which advanced to its seventh state final in a row. Just as it did to the Irish in 2012 and 2014, Wynot ratcheted up the defensive pressure, got the train moving downhill and FCSH couldn't find a way to pump the brakes. The Blue Devils stole the momentum during a third-quarter run and then iced the game in the final period, hitting 13-of-16 foul shots. They went on to beat 2015 D1 champion St. Mary's, 41-40, on a game-winner to capture a fifth D2 title in six years.

Wynot, obviously, was intimately familiar with its Saturday surroundings. And so, too, were the Irish with theirs. Not 16 hours after leaving the Devaney Center Friday, Sacred Heart had to muster the will to fight another battle. And, as they've done three times in the last four years, the girls in green answered the bell and did so with authority. Junior guard Lexi Barnes drained a trio of three-point attempts in the second half as FCSH hammered Sandhills-Thedford 55-36 to relish some consolation, hoist another trophy and make a small statement. The best team doesn't always win and the *Lincoln Journal-Star* acknowledged as much Monday, ranking FCSH No. 2 in its final poll. Regardless of what may be engraved on that trophy, this team, which finished 26-2 and posted a 54-4 record the past two seasons, all year was far better than the third-best team in D2, with the exception of a frustrating stretch of time Friday.

"You just have to keep reminding yourself that we won 26 games, won the holiday tournament, won MUDECAS, the conference and districts - and finished by winning that consolation game, too, which is very hard to do," Coach Luke Santo said. "But it hurts. There's no shame in placing third; we came back, but we'll always think, 'what if?' It's just hard for everybody."

There was no "what if's" Thursday at Lincoln SW High, in a 46-21 manhandling of Wauneta-Palisade in the first round, nor in Saturday's trouncing of Sandhills. And, early on, it looked like Friday's game with Wynot would unfold similarly. Sophomore Abby Fiegener came off the bench and scored five early points, All-Stater Maggie Goltz drained her first shot, and Lauren Parrish, Haylee Heits and Sara Wertenberger all were involved in the offense, as FCSH smoothly broke Wynot's full-court press and effective got the ball to the block, where they're size advantage was off the charts (Sacred Heart owned a 2-to-1 rebounding edge in the game, if you want proof). The Irish bolted out to a 16-5 lead early in the second period.

"The girls did a great job early and we had a mismatch inside," Santo said. "We knew they'd press, but I really felt like we should've stretched that lead some and we didn't. And once they get the momentum going their way, they feed off it. And we turned it over too much."

Wynot's Cortney Arkfeld hit three shots, one a three-pointer, to get her team back in it during the second quarter. FCSH started the second half up four, but a three-pointer by Carissa Kuchta and a trio of scoring plays by Danielle Wieseler, assisted by seven Irish turnovers, completely turned the tide in the third quarter. Goltz hit two shots in



TIME FLIES. It doesn't seem like that long ago when then-FCSH freshman Maggie Goltz, opened the 2013 Girls State Basketball Tournament by pouring 30 on Sandhills/Theford at Lincoln Northeast. Four years later, coincidentally, the all-stater also finished her high school hoops career with a commanding win over the Knights, as the Lady Irish took third place in Class D2 with a 55-36 victory Saturday morning at Lincoln North Star. In four trips to state, Goltz and FCSH came away with a state title (2015) and three runner-up trophies.



THE FUTURE IS NOW. While Coach Santo will most likely feel a little lonely next year without his all-stater running the show, he can take comfort in knowing the rest of varsity roster returns. Four of those girls are six-footers with a wealth of experience — Lauren Parrish (above), Haylee Heits, Sara Wertenberger and Jade Hill — and a fifth, Lexi Barnes, is a sharp-shooting straw who stirs the drink. Santo's teams have won fewer than 20 games just two times in 10 years and they've averaged nearly 27 wins each of the last four seasons. No reason to think it won't continue.

7th Annual

EMPTY BOWLS SOUP SUPPER

Proceeds to Benefit the children of the Falls City Backpack Program.

Tuesday, March 8

**Prichard Auditorium, 5 – 7 p.m.
Free Will Donation**



Southeast Nebraska
COMMUNICATIONS
People • Service • Quality

Serving a Variety of Soups
from Falls City's Fine
Restaurants and Volunteers

For more information contact
Debbie Witt, dkwitt@sencco.net or
Chuck Whitney, cwhitney@sencco.net or
call (402) 245-4451

Prich's Spartans take No. 8 to No. 1

Falls City native and former Sacred Heart teacher and coach Dennis Prichard's Lincoln East girls' basketball team capped a magical 2015-16 season last weekend by taking a No. 8 seed into the state tournament and leaving with the top prize.

Prichard, who coached and taught at FCSH for 17 years before leaving for a three-year stint at Peru State College and moving on to East in 2006, directed the Spartans to one thrilling victory after another, beginning with a 64-56 upset of top-seed, top-ranked and unbeaten South Sioux City Thursday afternoon at the Devaney Center. The mighty Cards came in with a 22-0 record and a pedigree that includes 11 state championships. Furthermore, SSC on just two occasions throughout the winter had teams narrow the spread to singe East, on the other hand, was



Dennis Prichard

making its first appearance since 2009 and hadn't won a state tournament game under Prichard, who led the Lady Irish to state tournament berths each of his final eight years at Sacred Heart, taking D1 titles in 1998, 1999 and 2000 and runner-up finishes his last two seasons, 2002 and 2003.

That colossal first state tourney win at East turned out to be the least burdensome of the tournament, though SSC did own a six-point lead with a minute to play in the third quarter. The Spartans outscored the Cards 15-4 down the stretch, hitting 11 of 18 free throws in the fourth quarter. "I think we tired out their legs," Prichard said afterwards.

Saturday's redemptive win, however, gives Coach Luke Santo and FCSH a perfect 4-0 mark in the emotionally difficult consolation game since its inception in 2008. Since Santo took over in 2006, the program has won nearly 86 percent of its games and advanced to state nine times (six times they returned home with hardware). The Lady Irish produced a tremendous 106-12 record the past four years and ended each one of those seasons with a win and NSAA trophy.

Wynot - Carissa Kuchta 13, Courtney Arkfeld 11, Danielle Wieseler 11, Skylar Arkfeld 6, Madelynn Gartner 2.

FCSH--Haylee Heits 14, Maggie Goltz 14, Jade Hill 6, Lexi Barnes 5.

Team fouls--Wynot 14, FCSH 18.

Turnovers--Wynot 8, FCSH 18.

Dennis and his wife, Pam, live in Lincoln and have three daughters.

The WOULD EYE
Bar & Grill

**REGULAR MENU AND
DAILY LUNCH
SPECIALS**

SOUP OF THE DAY
MON. - FRI. 11:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M.

1821 STONE ST., FALLS CITY, NE

POPPE REALTY & MGMT LLC
HOME FOR SALE
1302 E. 19TH ST., FALLS CITY, NE

**4 Bedrooms, 3 1/2 Baths, Open Floor Plan,
Main Floor Laundry, 2 Car Oversized Garage.**

QUALITY LOCATION!

**CALL POPPE REALTY & MGMT FOR MORE DETAILS AT
402-245-0866 OR VISIT OUR WEB SITE AT
WWW.POPPERREALTY.COM**



Twenty-five area youth participated in the local SuperShooters event held Sunday, Feb. 21. First through third place winners in each age group are pictured above. These athletes have the opportunity to advance to the state competition in Doniphan on March 20. **Front row, from left:** Avery Santo (Age 6-7, 1st Place, Score 30), Paxton Armbruster (6-7, 2nd Place, 24), Noah Wenz (6-7, 3rd Place, 18), Brenden Lemerond (8-9, 2nd Place, 29), Cole Taft (8-9, 3rd, 24); **back row**, Hannah Clary (12-13, 1st Place, 20), Alijah Hernandez (10-11, 3rd Place, 29), Charlie McNeely (10-11, 1st Place, 31), Cayden Dunkhas (10-11, 2nd Place, 30), Quincy Koelliker (8-9, 1st Place, 39). The event is sponsored by the Falls City Jaycees.

TIME FOR SPRING CLEANING!

BOOK YOUR PRE-EASTER CARPET CLEANING TODAY!!!!

Residential & Commercial

- Professional Carpet & Upholstery Cleaning & Water Damage Clean Up.
- Carpet & Fabric Protection, Spot & Odor Treatments.
- Fast-Drying, Powerful Truck-Mounted Cleaning.
- Top-of-the-line, environmentally friendly cleaning agents.

LOCAL, FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED FOR 17 YEARS!
FREE ESTIMATES • INSURED

EPLER'S CARPET CLEANING
402-274-1749

TOURS!

- Pella Tulip Festival
May 4-6
 - Wisconsin Treasures
June 6-11
 - California Gold Coast
June 15-27
 - National Parks Adventure
June 21-30
 - Nova Scotia & Prince Edward Island
July 1-8
 - New York City Broadway & Baseball
Aug. 3-7
 - Alaska Cruise
Aug. 5-13
- 
- Allied Tour & Travel
See Tours at [AlliedTT.com](#)
800-672-1009

BULL SALE?
Run this size ad in over 160 Newspapers for just \$5.95*/newspaper!



Place your 1x4 display ad in over 160 Nebraska newspapers & get your message to over 750,000 readers. Statewide coverage for just \$975*. Regional ads also available in Central, Northeast, Southeast or Western Nebraska. Other sizes available upon request.

Call this newspaper or 1-800-369-2850 for more information.

Nebraska 2x2/2x4 Display Ad Network

Revenue Cycle Manager Wanted

Full-time employment opportunity at Brown County Hospital. Candidate must be proficient in our core values of Integrity, Excellence, Compassion and Unity. The Revenue Cycle Manager is responsible for enhancing and maintaining a properly functioning revenue cycle process through a cross-department organizational structure. Creates value in operations by incorporating change management and seeking out new ways to deal with issues and opportunities that will benefit the organization.

Bachelor's Degree in Business, Finance or Accounting is required; consideration will be given to other degrees with proven competencies. A comprehensive benefits package is available.

Contact Lisa Fischer or Lisa Wood for more information at 402-387-2800.
lfischer@browncountyhospital.org cfo@browncountyhospital.org

Brown County Hospital
Office 402-387-2800 • Ainsworth, NE • www.browncountyhospital.org

March is National Kidney Month - Are you at risk?

One in six Nebraskans is at risk of developing kidney disease—are you one of them? This means over 300,000 Nebraskans!

During March — Kidney Month — the Nebraska Kidney Association reminds Nebraskans with high blood pressure, diabetes, a family history of kidney disease, or being over 60 years old that they are at an increased risk. Early detection is the key to preventing or delaying the onset of kidney disease and avoiding the need for dialysis or transplantation. The NKA hosts free kidney health screenings across the state as part of its Kidney Early Detection Screening program. Screenings are open to the public and participants receive results on-site; a list of upcoming screenings can be found at www.kidneyne.org/ KEDS

In addition to being screened regularly, at-risk individuals should watch for the following symptoms: loss of appetite, nausea, swollen ankles or feet, fatigue and frequent urination. More serious symptoms, such as severe joint pain or numbness in the hands, occur when kidney function deteriorates to less than 25 percent.

If you experience these symptoms, contact a physician immediately. The NKA has been helping improve the lives of Nebraskans impacted by kidney disease since 1969. As an independent association without ties to a national organization, 100 percent of funds raised by the NKA stay in the state to help Nebraskans.

Visit www.kidneyne.org or call (800) 642-1255 to learn more.

DID YOU KNOW?

The oldest continuous trophy in sports is the America's Cup. It started in 1851, with Americans winning for a straight 132 years until Australia took the Cup in 1983.

It's time to start applying your lawn chemicals.

SEASONAL LAWN CARE

- Lawn Chemical Application
- Residential & Commercial Mowing



Charles Kreifels - (402) 245-4215

FOR ALL YOUR LAWN CARE NEEDS

THE RURAL LIVING EXPO

Saturday, March 19 • 8 AM-4 PM
At the Fillmore Co. Fairgrounds
in Geneva, NE

Questions? Call 402-759-1155
Or Check Out The Geneva Chamber
of Commerce on Facebook
Sponsored by the Geneva Chamber of Commerce

Geneva NEBRASKA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE



Poss Easy Impact 5536 • Reg# 18316082
CED +13, BW -3, WW +77, YW +136,
Marb +87, RE +57, \$W +75.85, \$B +171

Danny, Kristi, Nolan, Nathan, Neleigh and Natalie
possangus@nctc.net 48981 801st RD - Scotia, NE 68875 • 308-245-3143 or 308-571-0417
For more information, pictures and videos, visit Poss angus at: www.possangus.com



YOU CAN HAVE THE BEST LAWN IN TOWN

Your local certified local K-Lawn dealer is fully trained to give you the best lawn in town. Our proprietary lawn chemicals and slow release fertilizers will make your lawn the envy of any neighborhood.

If you don't have a K-Lawn dealer in your area, and feel you have what it takes, we're looking to add a few quality dealers to our network. Call us today at 800-445-9116, or visit us online today at www.k-lawn.com to learn the full story.

Kugler Company
PO Box 1748
McCook, Nebraska 69001
www.k-lawn.com

Klawn



General Excavating

Heavy Equipment Operators & General Laborers

Underground utilities doing water, sewer, storm drainage & concrete work/structures.
CDL preferred (but not required) & good driving record.
Great wages/health/dental/ vacation/ 401K/profit sharing.
Send resume or inquiries to: cwhitaker@generalexcavating.com

6701 Comhusker Hwy. Lincoln, NE 68507 (402) 467-1627
www.generalexcavating.com EEO/Drug Free Workplace.

BULL SALE

Hollman Angus Farms - Martell
G.C.S. Angus - Daykin
Rains Simmental X Angus - Dorchester

Mon. March 14, 12:30pm
Crete Livestock, Crete, NE

Yearling Angus bulls
2-yr-old Angus bulls
Simmental-Angus bulls
Replacement Heifers
Bred Heifers

For information call Rod Hollman 402-641-6745

THE INDEPENDENCE HOUSES
ALZHEIMER'S AND DEMENTIA CARE

• Specialized Assisted Living
• Locally Nurse Owned
• Four Lincoln Locations
• Small & Homelike
• Age In Place

Lighting the Way...
20 years
1996-2016

Call us! 402-475-7755
www.TheIndependenceHouses.com

Smithfield

NOW HIRING:
Electricians
Maintenance Mechanics
Livestock Handling Specialist

For information or to apply, visit our website at www.smithfield.com/careers

Smithfield Foods is an Affirmative Action Company. We encourage women, minorities, veterans and individuals with disability to apply. EOE/AA

Celerion is now seeking overweight men to take part in a clinical research study.

Study details:

- Males between ages 19 and 70
- Have a 40-inch waist or larger
- Compensation up to \$3,550 for time and travel

Study requires 3 one-night stays and 8 return visits over 6 weeks.

For more information, visit HelpResearch.com or call 866-213-2965

celerion
Lincoln, NE • 621 Rose Street

Days of Yore...



By: Nikki McKim

50 Years Ago
(March 8-14, 1966)

Mayor Ralph Steinbrink and the City Council approved the bingo licenses of three non-profit organizations in Falls City. Those approved were the Elks Lodge, American Legion and Sts. Peter and Paul's Catholic Church. The city's 'take' from the three bingo operations averaged \$750 (\$5,578.41 today) the prior year.

The county draft board ran into an unusual situation on its monthly induction call asking for an increase in the number of men going. Recently the county had reduced the number from 12 to eight.

The application of Falls City-Lincoln Stage Lines to eliminate bus service to all points on Highways 4 and 50 south of Tecumseh was denied. A new route from FC to Auburn, then Tecumseh, was offered as an alternative.

Another oil well was added to the Falls City Field - the second in four months. Both were on the northwestern edge of the old Falls City field.

Five teachers in Humboldt Public Schools returned their contracts unsigned. Mrs. Brown, Mr. Jessen, Miss Kelly, Mrs. Nolte and Mr. Fankhauser would not return for the fall term of school.

Mrs. Bill Jahn was given the award as the Outstanding Mrs. Jaycee for the year.



Falls City high's popular Barbershop Quartet finished in third place against top-notch competition at a district contest in Omaha. From left, Steve Holland, Doug Kottich, Joe Stickney and Dale Comer gave plenty of animation to "Big Bass Viol."

Spring had sprung in Falls City. Cecil Reafs tried his luck at Verdon Lake, reeling in 21 crappie and a bass. The Junior Girl Scouts camped on the Courthouse lawn on their "outdoor day" and a number of golfers besieged the FC Country Club.

25 years

"The flag desecrators - thieves have overstepped even their bounds!" proclaimed *The Journal*. A flag was stolen from the residence of Mrs. Paul Chaney. It has previously been draped on the casket of Lt. Jim Cain, who was killed in action during World War II.

For the fourth consecutive year, the Sacred Heart Irish guys picked up a state basketball championship at the Bob Devaney Sports Center in Lincoln, tying a state record. It was the fifth overall state championship in a row, dating back to the 1989 football season (football, basketball, track, football, basketball).

Phil Chaney, son of Mrs. Paul Chaney, was chosen as Grand Marshal of the Irish Parade in Kansas City. The parade, the third largest in the United States, was televised.

The third grade students at South School did their part for peace in a project based on the book "Sadaho and the Thousand Paper Cranes," and surpassed their goal of creating 1,000 paper cranes. No sooner did the kids put of their memorial to peace than Desert Storm came to a conclusion.

Mrs. Cora Macomber celebrated her 102nd birthday. She was born on March 12, 1889. A birthday party was held for Cora at Midland Villa nursing home.

15 Years

Lou Glathar, of rural Dawson, was elected chairman of the Richardson County committee assigned to develop a plan for hard-surfacing selected county roads.

The illegal dumping of garbage and trash off county bridges was a large, growing problem. County Highway Supt. Terry Frank asked the public to report anyone guilty of illegal dumping.

Three county speech teams won district championships: Humboldt won Class C2, Dawson-Verdon, Class D2 and FC Sacred Heart, Class D1.

Former FC Sacred Heart track star Syd Merz, a sophomore team captain for the UNO track team, had a chance to make All-America and graced the cover of the school's 2001 track and field/cross country media guide.

The FC Sacred Heart boys' basketball team beat previously undefeated Spencer-Naper, 59-44, in the Class D1 State Basketball Championship. The Irish, 24-5, earned Coach Doug Goltz and their school a sixth boys basketball state championship and 24th athletic state title since 1988.



E. Commercial St., Rulo, NE

RELISTED!

New roof in 2015, some new updates - \$250,000

CALL FOR A LOOK TODAY!

MILLER-MONROE COMPANY, INC.

1608 Stone, Falls City, NE, 68355 Phone: (402) 245-2722

Contact:

Steve Simon at 245-8151

Steve Kottich at 245-7096

Sherri Howard at 801-0018

OBITUARIES

Always kept up to date at www.fejournal.net

Harry Gibbs

Harry D. Gibbs, 77, of Nebraska City, passed away on Wednesday, March 2, 2016 at Crestview Care Center in Milford. He was born to the late Delbert Sr. and Melissa (Solomon) Gibbs on Nov. 6, 1938, at home in White Cloud.

Harry attended school until the 8th grade, when he started working on the family farm. He had 10 siblings and he was the third to the youngest.

He was in the Hiawatha (KS) National Guard for 10 years and he worked for the Union Pacific Railroad for 40 years as a track welder. He married Glenda West in Falls City on June 3, 1961. They were married for 40 years when Glenda passed away on Aug. 31, 2001.

Harry is survived by two children, Dona (William) Brhel, of Milford, and Michael (Deone) Gibbs, of Nebraska City; grandchildren, Joshua (Jenn) Gibbs, of Bellevue, Zachary Gibbs and Anthony Gibbs, both of Lincoln, and Melissa, Melanie and Tyler Brhel, all of Milford; great-grandson, Oliver Gibbs, of Bellevue; sisters, Neoma Flett and Rebecca (John) Spaight; brothers, Delbert Gibbs, Jr. and Jerry (Sandy) Gibbs, all of Kansas; mother-in-law, Maxine Gross; brother-in-law, Roger (Lorita) West, Jr.; sister-in-law, Judy (Dennis) Mellation, all of Falls City; and sister-in-law, Carol (Robert) Frederick, of Blair; many nieces and nephews.

Harry was preceded in death by his wife, Glenda; sisters, Lilian Meyer and Mary Burnett; and brothers, Robert, Joseph and Marvin Gibbs; brothers-in-law, Pete Burnett, Keith Meyers and Stan Flett; and sisters-in-law, Laura and Glenna Gibbs.

He loved to attend auctions and go fishing and hunting and visit with family, most importantly his grandchildren and great-grandson.

Funeral Services were held Saturday, March 5, 2016 at Gude Mortuary in Nebraska City. Burial followed at Wyuka Cemetery in Nebraska City. A Memorial Fund in Harry's name is being established.

www.gudefuneralhomes.com

Earnest Rumbaugh Jr.

Earnest F. Rumbaugh Jr., 86, passed away on Jan. 31, 2016.

He was born in Auburn on Oct. 5, 1930 to the late Earnest Rumbaugh Sr. and Claire (Cummings) Rumbaugh.

Earnest graduated from Auburn High School in 1947. He served in the Korean War from 1948 - 1952. He welded for the Army, which is how he learned this trade.

He was a resident of the Eastern Nebraska VA Home for three years. As he battled Alzheimer's, he was still able to show his smile, give that special wink, and he never lost his sense of humor. Earnest's love of farming kept him active for 55 years near Sabetha, KS. He donated his body to the Nebraska Medical Center to research Alzheimer's disease.

Earnest is survived by wife of 61 years, Lois (Eden); daughter, Suzanne Kuhn; sons, David and Neal Rumbaugh; eight grandchildren; nine great grandchildren; brothers, John and Bob; and sister, Claire.

He was preceded in death by his parents; and sisters, Vanlora and Rita.

Inurnment will take place at a later date. If you wish to send a card, please send to ENVH 12505 S. 40th St., Bellevue, NE 68123, ATTN: Lois Rumbaugh. Lois will continue to reside in the ENVH. In lieu of flowers, a memorial has been set up for family's choice. Send to Suzanne Kuhn 905 Mackensey Dr., Papillion, NE 68046.

DID YOU KNOW?

One in three seniors passes away with Alzheimer's Disease or another form of dementia.

Robert Hendricks

Robert Dean Hendricks, 78, of Fargo, ND, passed away on Feb. 26, 2016 at Bethany on University due to Parkinson's Disease. He was born on Dec. 4, 1937 to Ned and Margaret Hendricks in Verdon.

His family moved to Sidney, NE, where he graduated from Sidney High School in 1956. Robert attended Kearney State College where he met his future wife, Nancy Lonn. Robert and Nancy married on May 29, 1960. They began their teaching careers in Fullerton, NE, where he taught from 1960 to 1963. They moved to Kearney in 1963 and taught there until 1965 when he moved his family to Fargo, where he began his 36-year tenure with the Fargo Public Schools.

He began teaching at Central High School prior to the school burning in 1966 where he endured the next two years of split classes at North High, while South High was being built. Robert was one of the original staff members for the first day of classes at South High, where he taught until retiring in 2001. Robert taught English and Journalism during his career and was the Advisor for both the Sudhian Newspaper and the Bruin Yearbook. He took great pride in passing along his knowledge to his students on how to be great reporters, photographers, how to verify the facts, and that reporting the truth is always absolute.

Robert lived and breathed as a

Bernardo Sandoval Jr.

Bernardo Candelaria Sandoval Jr., 75, of Salem, passed away on Thursday, March 3, 2016. He was born on Feb. 20, 1941, in Valencia County, New Mexico to Bernardo Sr. and Fidela (Candelaria) Sandoval.

Bernardo was raised in Samintao, N.M., where he attended school through the 8th grade. He then worked training pack horses for cattle drives to help support his family. In his earlier years, Bernardo was a bull rider in Albuquerque, NM., before moving to Shubert, with a friend around 1965.

In 1970, he met Viola Murphy and the couple were later united in marriage on Aug. 12, 1974. They lived in Shubert for the first part of their marriage before moving to Rock Port, MO, for a short time; eventually making their homestead in Stella. Bernardo worked for IBP meat packing plant in Rock Port for most of his life, until he retired from Excel in Nebraska City. Bernardo loved bull riding, fishing, sitting in the yard watching his birds, visiting family and friends, and lis-

Robert Hendricks

Fargo South High Bruin; bringing to the school wide-spread recognition and many national awards for himself and for his student's outstanding journalistic abilities. Robert could always be seen walking the halls and at every home game with camera in hand. Robert, better known by staff and students as "RD," was well known in the community for his ability to capture the Bruin spirit and the pulse that kept the Bruin spirit alive during his tenure. RD was the true living "mascot" of the South High Bruins.

Robert is survived by his loving wife of 56 years, Nancy; daughter, Lynda (Buck) Paulson, of Woodbury, MN; son, Bryan (Nukhet) Hendricks, of West Fargo, ND; daughter, Sally (Ty) Schmidt, of Albertville, MN; and son, Bradley (Tina) Hendricks, of Mayer, MN; grandchildren, John (Vanessa) Paulson, Abby (Tim) Yocom, Jessica Macklin, Logan Schmidt, Madyson and Morgyn Hendricks; sister-in-law, Joy (Jim) Coffey; brother-in-law, George Grothe; and 13 nieces and nephews.

Robert was preceded in death by his parents, Ned and Margaret Hendricks; brother, Ned Hendricks Jr.; two infant brothers; sister, Betty Grothe; in-laws, Earl and Beth Lonn.

Funeral services were held Monday, March 7, 2016, at Hanson-Runsvold Funeral Home, Fargo.

taining to music. He would always finish by saying, "Be safe and God bless."

He is survived by his sister, Bences Keeney, of Fort Lupton, CO; step-children, Tammy (Don) Berner, of Stella, Kathy Lippold and David Jorn, of Verdon, Tom (Pat) Phroper, of Roy, NM, Laurie Young and Larry Brown, Robert Phroper, all of Salem, Sally (Mark) Fleskoski, of Falls City, and Allen (Angie) Phroper, of Falls City; many nieces, nephews, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents; wife, Viola Murphy; and son, Kyle (Phroper) Sandoval.

A Celebration of Bernardo's Life will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, March 8, 2016, at 218 W. Cromwell St., in Salem, with Fr. Thomas Dunavan officiating. Inurnment at the Maple Cemetery in Salem. Memorial contributions are suggested to the family's choice with a later designation.

www.wherrymortuary.com

Ruth Ann Arnold

Ruth Ann Arnold, 69, of Omaha, passed away on Monday, Feb. 29, 2016. She was born in Falls City.

Ruth is survived by daughters, Karen Fraser, of Bellevue, Jodi Meyer, of Omaha, and Laura (David) Clemens, of Missouri; mother, Margaret Schaible; five grandchildren; one great-granddaughter; brothers, John (Gloria) Schaible and Michael (Valerie) Schaible.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Dennis Arnold.

Private family services were held. In lieu of flowers, memorials

TODAY IN HISTORY

On this day in 1948, The U.S. Supreme Court ruled that religious instructions in public schools were unconstitutional.



2303 Harlan St.
Falls City, NE
402-245-2424
Locally Owned
and Operated

Pre-planning...A Choice this important deserves talking to experienced professionals. Please call us, We're here for you.

www.dorrandclark.com

**Dorr & Clark
Funeral Home**

Celebration of Life

Dave Wisdom

American Legion

Friday, March 12

4:00 P.M.

Family &

Friends

Welcome

Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church
LCMS
(23rd and Barada)
402-245-3324
www.stpaulfallsfcity.org
Holy Communion celebrated 2nd and 4th Sundays.
Sunday: Divine service, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.
First Tuesday Care & Outreach - 6:30 PM. LLL - 7:30 PM
Wednesday: Confirmation, 6:30 p.m. (after Ash Wednesday, 6 p.m.); 5 p.m., Midweek.
Third Thursday of every month: Lutheran Women's Missionary League, 7:00 p.m.
Dan Gifford,
pastor

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

St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church-ELCA
(12 miles NE)
Sunday: Worship service, 10:30 a.m.; Communion first Sunday of each month.
3rd Tuesday each month, Church Council, 7:30 p.m. Fellowship brunch every 3rd Sunday 9:45 a.m. before Sunday Service.
First Monday each month, WELCA, 1:30 p.m.
Caring, welcoming, sharing in Jesus' name.
Interim Pastor Darwin Garton

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

Supply Pastors
NorthRidge Nebraska
(1820 Morton Street)
Reaching & Equipping people for Christ
Non-Denominational, Bible-based Contemporary worship
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Services, 10:30 a.m. (402) 245-2167 northridgenebraska.com
Immaculate Conception
(Rulo)
Sunday Confessions, 8 a.m.; Mass, 8:30 a.m.
Daily Mass schedule: Monday-Friday, 6:30 a.m.
Fr. David Oldham,
pastor

KexRx Pharmacy & Home Care
120 E. 18th St. • Falls City, NE 68355
Ph: (402) 245-2029
Fax: (402) 245-2521
KexRx.com
We take care of you!

BREEZY HILL CAFE
Homemade Pies - Fried Chicken
Large Salad Bar
South Hwy 73
Falls City, NE 68355
402-245-2229

Brown's SHOE FIT CO.
Fitting Mid-America Since 1911
1615 Stone St., Falls City, NE
402-245-3016
www.brownsshoefitco.com

Pony Creek Rentals
For all your rental needs
See us for tools and equipment, construction, lawn and garden and loader and trailers
245-2363 883-7810 883-7837

MEYER HOME CENTER
Plumbing, Heating, Cooling, Complete Ductwork Cleaning, Lawn Irrigation, Ceramic Tile, & Granite Countertops
We are what we repeatedly do.
Excellence, therefore, is not an act but a habit.
402-245-4661

CHANAY FURNITURE CO.
Since 1921
GRANT SMITH/President
STEVE HUTTLES/Vice President
1523 Stone St., PO Box 267
Falls City, NE 68355
Telephone 402-245-3912 • 877-245-4844
www.chaneyfurniture.com

Sapp Bros. 66 
Food Plaza
Tank Wagon Service
Falls City
245-5300

Falls City Courthouse Square 
Formerly Stephenson Hotel
GRAND WEAVER HOTEL
402-245-2448

AREA CHURCHES

First United Presbyterian Church
(20th and Harlan)
Sunday: Worship, 11:00 a.m., Sunday School, 11:15 a.m. Cookies and Fellowship 10:15 a.m., first Sunday of the month.
Second Monday of month: Women's Circle, 7 p.m.
Rev. Carolyn Winters-Hazelton,
pastor
402-245-2650
fallsfcity.homesteadpres.org

Seventh-day Adventist Church
(1618 Wilson)
Saturday: Meet on the 3rd Sabbath. Sabbath School, worship service, 3 p.m.; services can be viewed on satellite 24/7, Dish Network channel 3ABN 9393.
<http://fallsfcity22.adventistchurchconnect.org>

Catholic Churches
Sts. Peter and Paul
(1820 Fulton)
Weekend Mass Times: Saturday, 5:30 p.m.; Sunday, 7 a.m. and 10 a.m.
Daily Mass: Monday through Friday, 6:45 a.m.

Daily Rosary at 4:00 p.m.
Sacrament of Penance: Saturday, 5 p.m., Sunday, 30 minutes before Sunday Masses, weekdays, before each Mass daily or by appointment.

Adult Inquiry and Instruction Classes: Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Father Thomas Dunavan,
pastor - 245-3002

St. Mary's
(Dawson)

855-3595 or 245-4151
Weekend Mass: Saturday, 5:30 p.m.; first, third and fifth Sunday, 8:30 a.m.; second and fourth Sunday, 10:30 a.m.

Daily Mass: Schedule varies, call rectory; confessions before Mass.

Fr. Kenneth F. Hoesing,
pastor

St. Mark's Evangelical
Lutheran Church-ELCA

(64725 710 RD, Verdon)

402-883-2513

Sunday: Worship service, 10:30 a.m.; Communion first Sunday each month.

Church Council, 7:30 p.m., second Tuesday each month; WELCA, 1:00 p.m., second Thursday each month.

Welcome all to the caring country church.
Pastors, Spruth-Janssen

Good News Assembly of God

(600 Reavis Street)

402-245-3977

Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; worship, 10:40 a.m.

Wednesday: Good News Kids, 6:30 p.m.

A variety of small group Bible studies are available for adults throughout the year. Listen to sermons online, www.myngac.com

Tim Boatright,
Pastor

Grace Bible Fellowship

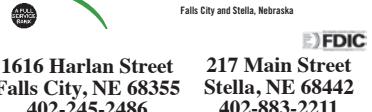
(Highway 62, east of Stella)

Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; church service, 10:15 a.m.

Web page: www.gbfchurch.com

Office: 883-2110

pastor Dave Lockard

frontierbank 
CONSOLIDATED GRAIN AND BARGE CO.
1-866-481-4017

Please contact us for all your grain marketing needs.

Ace Hardware
Farm & City Supply

2618 Harlan

Falls City, NE 68355

Physical Therapy & Fitness

David Nachtigal

Physical and Respiratory

Therapy Services

Falls City 402-245-4606

ptrs@dnachtigal.com

Over 100 New and Used Vehicles in Stock

HULLMAN'S FORD LINCOLN
245-4413

Web site: www.hullmansford.com

Life In The Spirit
Christian Gift and Book Store

1600 Stone St., Falls City, NE

(402) 245-4922

Wolfe's Printing

1607 STONE STREET

FALLS CITY, NE 68355

Phone/Fax: 402-245-4484

E-mail: mcwp@sntco.net

Falls City Lanes

Come Bowl with Us!

Parties by Appointment,

Call 245-3867

Falls City, NE 245-3122

MERZ FARM EQUIPMENT, INC.

N. Highway 73, PO Box 490

Falls City, NE 68355

402-245-2419

IASSEY FERGUSON

HESSTON

STRIPES & SIGNS

and Other Neat Stuff!

Truck Lettering • Banners • Magnets

T-Shirts • Caps • Jackets

Screen Printing and Embroidery

Falls City, NE 245-5323

Jim Hill's

PAINT • GLASS • WALLPAPER

59 Years at

1619 Chase, Falls City, NE

402-245-4444 or 1-800-232-6558

Stella Community Church

(1812 Wilson)

Sunday: Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; children's church and morning worship, 10:40 a.m.; evening service, 6 p.m.

Wednesday: Bible study, 7 p.m.; teens and children's program.

Stephen Floyd,
pastor

402-245-3755

Bethel United Methodist Church

(70654 656 AVE)

(1/2 mile N of Preston Corner)

Sunday: Worship, 10:45 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Wednesday choir, 7:30 p.m.

Karla Shafer,
pastor

Barada United Methodist Church

(717 Road and 652 Blvd.)

883-2485

Worship, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School/Bible

Study, 10:30 a.m.

Jerry Yount,
pastor

Prairie Union Baptist Church

(Rural Shubert)

Sunday: Morning Worship 10:30 a.m., Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

Please join us to worship the Lord. Communion is served the first Sunday of every month.

Dan Farley,
pastor

Trinity United Methodist Church (Rulo)

fume@sntco.net

402-245-3281

Sunday: Worship service, 8:45 a.m.; Sunday School for children held during worship.

Rev. John Hogue,

www.fallsfcitycooperativeministry.org

Verdon Christian Church

(Verdon)

Sunday: Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school.

pastor

Christ Church of Falls City

701 Stone Street

Phone: 402-245-5972

We exist to equip our fellow believers as well as to love our community into a life-changing relationship with Jesus Christ, one life at a time.

Non-Denominational, Bible based.

Sunday: Contemporary Worship Service, 11 a.m.

</div

Tips to spruce up your outdoor spaces for the season

(StatePoint) When the weather warms up, it's all about relaxing outdoors. But it's possible you've neglected upkeep on your home's outdoor spaces during the chilly months of winter.

To enjoy yourself more this season, take time to spruce up your yard. Here are some quick tips.

Do a Survey - Take a walk around the perimeter of your patio, deck and yard to survey what needs to be cleaned, repaired or replaced. Did potted plants and lawn ornaments survive the cooler months? Are outdoor light fixtures functioning? Are fallen branches littering the yard? Make a mental to-do list.

Deep Clean - Like interior spaces, periodic deep cleans are necessary outdoors too. But don't waste your leisure time.

"With the right tools you can work smart, not hard," says Jeff Devlin, host on a popular home improvement channel. "A heavy-duty cleaner, such as Mean Green Degreaser, not only works indoors, but is ideal for my tough outdoor cleaning jobs."

Devlin recommends using the Super Strength multi-surface formula -- which is lab-tested to clean and remove grease, grime, mildew, dirt, and oil more effectively than its competitors -- to clean and remove mildew from patios, outdoor furniture, concrete, composite and wood fences and siding, as well as to clean and degrease tools, lawn equipment and grills. Use it as a concentrated spray or diluted solution. Clean with a brush or sponge.

"For your toughest jobs, add it to your pressure washer," says Devlin. Helpful cleaning tips can be found at MeanGreenDegreaser.com.

Routine Maintenance - Perform routine upkeep to keep items from falling into disrepair or becoming overgrown or unkempt.

Sweep walkways and your deck regularly, especially if they are situated under trees. Promote a healthy lawn by mowing it regularly, never removing more than one-third of the grass blade. Keep gutters devoid of leaves and debris so that water does not collect in your yard or at the base of your home's structure. Rinse patio furniture, umbrellas and awnings using water or a diluted cleaner.

Spring is in the air. With a little effort, you can be prepared to make the most of it.

Apprentice Electricians



WILLMAR ELECTRIC SERVICE
DESIGN + BUILD + BEYOND

is accepting applications for electrical 1st – 3rd year apprentices in the Lincoln, NE area.

Willmar Electric Service offers competitive wages and benefits.

Join our TEAM today by going to www.willmar-electric.com and complete the online application and electrician survey.

For questions, contact Trista at 1-888-266-9535.

Plant Supervisor



Lead in Quality assurance of all products and assist with everyday supervision needs in a team-oriented environment. Experience with quality of consumable products and employee management with proficient computer skills.

Responsibilities include: Quality assurance, General Management & Maintenance duties, Oversee all QA processes and procedures, Assist with HACC plan and 3rd party audit, develop budgets, assist in supervising employees, help organize, develop, guide and execute all go to market plans for new products, Perform emergency repairs on all equipment Full time - 50 hours/week at Hallam Production Plant. Compensation contingent w/ experience. Email resume to: jhickey@pldairy.com

We don't have to be Irish to join in the... www.readingclubfun.com

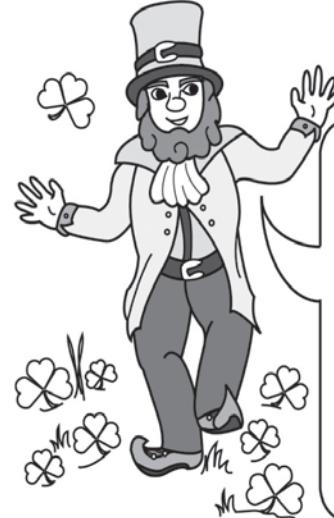
Newspaper Fun!

Annimills LLC © 2016 V13-10

...fun and festivities with our friends.

Kids: color stuff in!

Celebrating St. Patrick's Day



You won't see me, but I'll be part of all the fun and festivities for St. Patrick's Day. I love the Irish dancers and music of the harpists, bagpipers, fiddlers and drummers. I follow the floats and bands in the parades. I even pop into a few homes to taste the family's special treats and meals like corned beef and cabbage. You can look for me if you want...I'm the knee-high guy wearing green and holding a 4-leaf shamrock. Meanwhile, fill in my puzzle about Ireland and celebrating St. Patrick's Day.

- 12 is a beautiful "Emerald" 9 in the Atlantic Ocean. It is west of England, separated by the Irish Sea.
- The capital and largest city in Ireland is called 15.
- In the mid-1800s, an important crop suffered terrible blight, causing what is now called the "Great 3 Famine."
- To escape 6, about one and a half 13 people left Ireland, sailing in 11 to get to America.
- Most arrived in large cities and took jobs in 7.
- Today in America, the Irish people share their joy of 1 and 2, like the Irish jig, with everyone else on St. Patrick's Day.
- People like to wear something that is 4.
- You might hear a story about how lucky it is to find a four-leaf 5 or to catch a 14.
- Some cities dye a river or the water in a fountain green and people line the streets to watch 10.
- Everyone can enjoy an Irish-American dinner of corned beef and 8.

cabbage million factories leprechaun ships shamrock parades dances starvation

island Potato Dublin

True or False?

green music

1. was brought to Ireland as a slave; he escaped and went back years later to teach about Christianity

2. has many Irish boys named after him

3. is a symbol of the Irish "spirit"

1. T F 2. T F 3. T F

shamrock

parades dances starvation

starvation

shamrock

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

For default in the payment of debt secured by a deed of trust executed by Julie LaRae Wilcox, dated November 13, 2009, and recorded on November 16, 2009, in Book No. 238, at Page 219 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, Richardson County, Nebraska, the undersigned Successor Trustee will on April 14, 2016, at 10:00 AM, at the main lobby of the Richardson County Courthouse, Falls City, Nebraska, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash:

LOT 7 AND 8 AND NORTH HALF OF LOT 9, BLOCK 129, ORIGINAL TOWN OF FALLS CITY, RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA, commonly known as 1209 Fulton Street, Falls City, NE, 68355

subject to all prior easements, restrictions, reservations, covenants and encumbrances now of record, if any, to satisfy the debt and costs.

Edward E. Brink, Successor Trustee
1-8-15-22-29

NOTICE

Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, 15 U.S.C. §1692c(b), no information concerning the collection of this debt may be given without the prior consent of the consumer given directly to the debt collector or the express permission of a court of competent jurisdiction. The debt collector is attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose (No. 187052). For more information, visit www.Southlaw.com

STATE OF NEBRASKA LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY CERTIFICATE OF ORGANIZATION

SEEBA COMMODITIES, LLC

FIRST: The name of the limited liability company is SEEBA COMMODITIES, LLC

SECOND: The street and mailing address of its designated office in the state of Nebraska is 2307 Chase St. Falls City, Nebraska 68355.

THIRD: The street and mailing address of its agent for service of process in the state of Nebraska is 2307 Chase St., Falls City, Nebraska 68355. The name of its agent for service of process is Ryan J. Seeba.

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

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Certificate of Organization on the date below.

Date: November 23, 2015

Ryan J. Seeba
2307 Chase St.
Falls City, NE 68355
Phone (402) 245-0155

1-8-15

NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION OFF & F FIREARMS, LLC

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have formed a limited liability company under the laws of the State of Nebraska as follows:

1. The name of the company is F & F Firearms, LLC.

2. The address of the initial registered office is 2205 North 6th Street, Suite 10A, Beatrice, NE 68310, and the initial registered agent at that address is Andrew K. Carothers.

3. The limited liability company commenced existence on the filing and recording of its Certificate of Organization with the Secretary of State on January 11, 2016, and shall be perpetual.

4. The affairs of the limited liability company shall be conducted by its managing members, Shawn M. Fouraker and Ryan J. Fee.

Dated this 23rd day of February, 2016.

/s/ Shawn M. Fouraker
/s/ Ryan J. Fee

Andrew K. Carothers, #19032
Willet & Carothers
2205 North 6th Street, Suite 10A
PO. Box 218
Beatrice, NE 68310
(402) 228-3424

1-8-15

Falls City Housing Authority Eastview & Pioneer Plaza Door Replacement-2016 NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Proposals from contractors will be received by the Board of Commissioners, Falls City Housing Authority, Falls City, NE 68355 until 10:00 a.m., CST, on Wednesday March 23rd, 2016 for the removal of existing doors and installation of new doors at the Eastview and Pioneer Plaza apartments. The work is to take place at the Falls City Housing Authority, Eastview Apartments, located at 800 E. 21st Street and Pioneer Plaza located at 1820 Barada St. Falls City, Nebraska.

The contractor is required to break out the work between the two sites and include them in a single bid. A single contract will be awarded for the work requested at both sites. The work is to be done in accordance with the plans and/or specifications as prepared by Architecture Incorporated, Lincoln, Nebraska. All bids received from the contractors will be reviewed at a following Falls City Housing Authority Board of Directors meeting, a contractor will be selected and all contractors will then be notified of the board's decision.

A single prime bid is requested for this work.

All sealed proposals shall be delivered to Ms. Linda K. Ebel, Executive Director, of the Falls City Housing Authority, 800 E. 21st Street Falls City, Nebraska.

This project is open to receive proposals from HUD Section 3 individuals/businesses. HUD Section 3 requirements and submittal forms are available at the office of the Housing Authority Director.

All proposals shall be submitted on forms issued by the Architect and any other form of proposals will not be considered.

The successful contractor will be required to furnish corporate surety, performance bonds in a sum equal to 100 percent of the contract price as proposed, in accordance with H. U. D. requirements.

Each bid shall be accompanied by a bid bond or certified check in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the bid.

No bidder may withdraw for at least thirty (30) days after the scheduled closing time for the receipt of bids.

The construction shall be based on the equipment and materials as specified. Any and all requests for change in materials, systems, etc. shall require prior approval from the Architect.

The Housing Authority reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any or all formalities in any proposal and to award the contract to the lowest responsible bidder. The Housing Authority Board will vote on the acceptance of a contractor's bid at a later time from the bid opening and the bidding contractors will be notified of their bid's status thereafter.

The successful contractor will be required to furnish corporate surety, performance bonds in a sum equal to 100 percent of the contract price as proposed, in accordance with H. U. D. requirements.

Each bid shall be accompanied by a bid bond or certified check in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the bid.

No bidder may withdraw for at least thirty (30) days after the scheduled closing time for the receipt of bids.

The construction shall be based on the equipment and materials as specified. Any and all requests for change in materials, systems, etc. shall require prior approval from the Architect.

The Housing Authority reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any or all formalities in any proposal and to award the contract to the lowest responsible bidder. The Housing Authority Board will vote on the acceptance of a contractor's bid at a later time from the bid opening and the bidding contractors will be notified of their bid's status thereafter.

Board of Commissioners
Falls City Housing Authority

8

Falls City Journal

NOTICE OF ANNUAL ELECTION OF SECRETARY OF DRAINAGE DISTRICT NO. 8

Annual election for the Secretary of Drainage District No. 8, Richardson County, Nebraska, will be held from 8:30 o'clock A.M. to 5:00 o'clock p.m., on Tuesday April 12, 2016, at the office of the County Clerk, Courthouse, Falls City, Nebraska, at which time and place the Treasurer will be elected to fill the vacancy of John Bangert whose term is expiring. Candidates for Treasurer shall file with John Bangert, Treasurer, by March 30, 2016. A business meeting will be held at 7:00 o'clock P.M., April 12, 2016, at the F&M Bank Meeting Room, West Entrance, Falls City, Nebraska. It is requested that all owners within the District be present.

KEVIN VONDERSCHMIDT,
Secretary

NEAL E. PARSONS
Attorney at Law

1-8

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Bids, sealed and clearly labeled, "Mowing Bid" will be accepted at the County Clerk's Office, Room 203, Courthouse, 1700 Stone Street, Falls City, until 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday, March 22, 2016, at which time bids will be publicly opened for the mowing and trimming of the Courthouse lawn.

Specifications for the bid may be obtained at the Office of the Richardson County Clerk or on the Richardson County website at www.co.richardson.ne.us.

David D. Sickel, Chairman Richardson County Board of Commissioners

Mary L. Eickhoff, Richardson County Clerk

8-15

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING The Board of Supervisors of Drainage District No. 7

Time and Place of meeting:
March 11, 2016 at 7:30 A.M.,
1719 Stone Street, Falls City, Nebraska

Meeting Agenda:

- 1. Announcement of Public Meetings Act;
- 2. Agenda approval;
- 3. Approve minutes of previous meeting;
- 4. Treasurer's report;
- 5. Supervisor's report;
- 6. Discussion and action regarding the Addendum easement for the City of Falls City;
- 7. Approve claims;
- 8. Discussion of FEMA funds and bid notices; and
- 9. Discussion of District levee maintenance.

Dated March 1, 2016.

DRAINAGE DISTRICT NO. 7 of
Richardson County, Nebraska
Paul H. Benitz, President
Robert Keller, Secretary

WEAVER & MERZ
Douglas E. Merz #12807
Zachary L. Blackman #24921
1719 Stone Street
P.O. Box 569 Falls City, NE 68355
402-245-3015

8

NOTICE TO DEFENDANTS

TO: Defendants Spouse of Timothy O'Leary Boles, real name unknown, and John Doe and Jane Doe, real names and marital status unknown.

Notice is hereby given that on the 28th day of January, 2016, Matrix Financial Services Corporation, as the plaintiff, filed its Complaint in the District Court of Richardson County, Nebraska, Case No. CI 16-9, against Timothy O'Leary Boles; Spouse of Timothy O'Leary Boles, real name unknown; and John Doe and Jane Doe, real names and marital status unknown, the object and prayer of which is to foreclose a certain deed of trust for \$88,516.00 on the property described as:

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

Tract No. 2: Beginning 16 1/2 Feet West of the Northwest corner of Lot Six (6), Block Twenty-Five (25), A.R. & Luther Nim's Addition to the City of Humboldt, Richardson County, Nebraska, thence running East a distance of 66 1/2 Feet; Thence South 98 Feet; thence West 66 1/2 Feet; thence North 98 Feet to the place of beginning, all in said Block Twenty-Five (25), except covenants, restrictions and easements of record, if any. (Commonly known as 914 Mechanic Street, Humboldt, Nebraska 68376),

which was executed on November 27, 2012, by Timothy O'Leary Boles, and delivered to Fidelity National Title Insurance Company, as Trustee, for the benefit of Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., solely as nominee for Flagstar Bank, FSB, Beneficiary, and which was duly recorded on November 28, 2012 in Book 251 at Page 007 of the Mortgage Records in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Richardson County, Nebraska. Such deed of trust was given to secure the payment of a certain promissory note in writing dated November 27, 2012.

The plaintiff alleges in its Complaint that there is now due the plaintiff on said note the principal sum of \$83,970.48, together with interest thereon from June 1, 2015 at the rate of 3.260% per annum. The plaintiff is the owner of the beneficial interest under such deed of trust, and is the holder of the indebtedness secured thereby.

The plaintiff prays that in default of payment by the defendants of the amount due the plaintiff as aforesaid, such mortgaged premises be decreed to be sold according to law to satisfy the sum found due the plaintiff, with interest and costs of suit, and that such defendants be forever barred and foreclosed of all right, title, lien, equity of redemption or other interest in, to and upon such mortgaged premises.

You are required to answer such Complaint on or before the 22 day of April, 2016.

MATRIX FINANCIAL SERVICES CORPORATION, Plaintiff,

By: ERIC H. LINDQUIST, P.C., L.L.O.
8712 WEST DODGE ROAD, #260
OMAHA, NEBRASKA 68114
TELEPHONE (402) 829-0400
Its Attorney
elindquist@elindquistlaw.com

8-15-22

NOTICE

Estate of Robert W. Hinks, Deceased
Estate No. PR 15-47

Notice is hereby given that a final account and report of administration and a Petition for complete settlement, adjudication of intestacy, determination of heirs, and determination of inheritance tax have been filed and are set for hearing in the County Court of Richardson County, Nebraska located at Falls City, Nebraska on March 30, 2016 at or after 2:00 o'clock p.m.

Roger Goos
222 Ridge St.
Dawson, NE 68337
Allen Fankhauser, #11239
Fankhauser, Nelsen, Werts, Ziske, & Merwin
PC, LLO
Box 126, 713 Fourth Street
Humboldt, NE 68376
402-862-2321

8-15-22

NOTICE OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS OF DRAINAGE DISTRICT NO. 7, RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Notice is hereby given that an election for the purpose of electing one director for Drainage District No. 7 of Richardson County, Nebraska for a term of five years will be held on April 12, 2016 at the Office of the County Clerk in the Courthouse at Falls City, Nebraska. Polls will be open on said date from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 o'clock p.m.

The director whose term is expiring is Bob Morehead. Any person or the officer or representative of any corporation owning or controlling any land assessed for benefits may be a director.

The legal voters in said District shall have one vote for each unit of benefit apportioned against the land owned by the voter.

Dated this 1st day of March, 2016.

Paul H. Benitz, President
DRAINAGE DISTRICT NO. 7 of
Richardson County, Nebraska

VILLAGE OF VERDON FEB. 2016 CLAIMS

EFPTS, EX.....	\$628.90
ACE-TECH COMPUTERS, SU.....	\$35.00
PETTY CASH, SE & SU.....	\$96.57
BRENDA DANIELS, MI	\$37.26
VERDON LIBRARY,EX	\$75.51
FALLS CITY JOURNAL, SE	\$90.52
NEAL PARSONS, ATTY, SE	\$367.00
POSTAL SERVICE, SU	\$35.00
R.C.R.W.D. # 2, SU	\$613.98
RICHARDSON CO TREASURER, FE	\$100.00
SENECA SAN SERVICE, INC, SE	\$1,148.00
S.N.C., SE	\$87.99
JULIE VOLLMER, FE	\$300.00
J.T. FARM SERVICE, INC, SU	\$69.85
MAINELLI,WAGNER & ASSOCIATES, INC, SE	\$2,611.38
N.P.P.D., SE	\$1,308.50
DAVIS PLBG/HTG/ELECTRICAL, SE.....	\$431.80
O.P.P.D., SE.....	\$83.18
NSF CHECK RETURNED, EX	\$73.32
BRENDA DANIELS, SA	\$480.00
TAMMIE BENTS, SA	\$812.83
TAMMIE BENTS, MI	\$59.40
BRENDA DANIELS, RE	\$238.66
TAMMIE BENTS, RE	\$213.92
NE PUBLIC HEALTH ENVIRONMENTAL LAB, FE	\$15.00
BRENDA DANIELS, SA	\$480.00
TAMMIE BENTS, SA	\$742.15
TAMMIE BENTS, MI ..	

CLASSIFIED

HELP WANTED

TEMP PARK WORKER I

Positions available-wranglers, entrance booth, grounds, maintenance, living history demonstrator. Days, Evenings, Weekends

Apply online - www.outdoornebraska.gov

INDIAN CAVE STATE PARK 402-883-2575. 9

CARPENTER/LABORER/OPERATOR

Falls City, NE WTP

Building Crafts, Inc. is currently accepting applications for carpenters, laborers and equipment operators.

Job duties include but are not limited to: manual labor, heavy lifting (up to 75 pounds), concrete formwork, pipe installations, dirt work, etc. Some tools, basic concrete or carpentry skills and prior experience are a plus but not required.

Email resume/qualifications to tparris@buildingcrafts.com

or call 712-623-4032

EEO/A/A/DFWP

5-10P

Job Openings - Seneca & Bern, KS



Join the team at Lortscher Animal Nutrition Inc.

Team Leader Position: Location – Bern, KS

- The Team Lead is responsible for managing the direct production of the feed mill operation to assure proper quantity, quality & type are delivered. This includes the mixing and grinding of feed ingredient ratios within the established operating procedures & FDA compliance policies.
- Receive/ship feed, grain & ingredients.
- Monitor quality control and compliant with safety policies & procedures.
- Prior experience operating a Mill is a plus but is not required.
- 12 Hour Day Shift Schedule. (5:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.)

Warehouse Asst. Positions: locations - Seneca & Bern, KS

- The Warehouse Assistant will receive, ship, and weight out ingredients.
- Monitor quality control & stay compliant with safety policies.
- Operate & maintain equipment including forklift.
- Seneca position is days Mon - Fri. Bern position is on a 12 hr. day shift.

Benefit Package Includes:

Competitive Pay, BCBS Health & Dental Ins., Vision Ins., 401K, Life Ins., Paid Holidays & Paid Time Off, Clothing & Training with Advancement.

Pre-Employment Drug Screening & Physical Capacity Profile

Submit Application by mail or email to hr@lanipet.com

Lortscher Animal Nutrition Inc. PO Box 124 Bern, KS 66408

(785)336-6189 (800)874-2376 ext. 218 Fax: (785)336-6096

Applications are available on our website: www.lanipet.com EOE 8-9

NOTICE AQUATIC PARK JOB OPENINGS

Applications will be received at City Hall, 2307 Barada Street, Falls City, Nebraska until 4:00 P.M., March 16, 2016 for the positions of Manager, Assistant Manager, Lifeguards and Concession Workers for the City of Falls City Aquatic Park, Falls City, Nebraska. **Please bring valid I.D. and Social Security card when returning your application.** Pre-employment drug testing is mandatory. The job descriptions and qualifications for the positions are at city Hall or on the web at www.dol.nebraska.gov. The City of Falls City is an Equal Opportunity Employer. 8-9

EMPLOYMENT

Colonial Acres Nursing Home of Humboldt is now accepting applications for the following positions:

Part-time Cook/Dietary Aide- Day and evening shifts available Full-time Housekeeper position, Day and every other weekend

Call Jill Hatfield

or Mary Kent

for more information at:

402-862-3123

6-4

EMPLOYMENT

Colonial Acres Nursing Home of Humboldt is now acceptance applications for the following position:

Certified Nursing Assistant, part-time and every other weekend and as needed.

Call Chris Harvey, RN. DON

or Mary Kent

for more information at:

402-862-3123

6-4-6-9

The Iowa Tribe of Kansas and Nebraska in White Cloud, Kansas is currently accepting resumes for full-time Crimes against Women Counselor. Minimum qualifications include a Graduate or Post Graduate degree in Social Work with a state licensure in Kansas and Nebraska; understanding of the dynamics of domestic violence; knowledge of community resources; sensitivity to the needs of women who are victims of violent crimes and their families and a valid driver's license. Applicant must be able to work flexible hours. This may include nights, weekends, and holidays. Benefits will include paid health and dental insurance, life insurance, vision insurance, paid time off, and holiday pay. Wage is negotiable depending on experience. Native American preference is given. Resumes will be accepted until March 14, 2016 at 4:30 P.M. Contact Brenda Lunsford if you have any questions regarding this position at 785-595-3258.

Technology Director

Falls City Public Schools is accepting applications for qualified candidates for the position of Technology Director for the 2016-17 school year. Knowledge of networking, server administration, network security and effective communication preferred.

To Apply: Send a Letter of Application, Resume, District Classified Application (online at <http://www.fctigers.org>), and References to the following address:

Tim Heckenlively, Superintendent - Falls City Public Schools
P.O. Box 129, 1415 Morton Street,

Falls City, NE 68355-0129

For inquiries, contact the following:

Website: www.fctigers.org

E-mail: theckenlively@fallscityps.org

Phone: 402-245-2825 • Fax: 402-245-2022

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

Earn up to \$2,700. Study for Healthy Adults age 18-55. Non-Smoking, taking no medications, avail for overnight stays, you may qualify. Interested? Study 5059 Part 2. Quintiles! 913-894-5533. 9-10

Grimm's Gardens is looking for Landscape and Lawn Care Foremen and Crew Members. Full Time. Send Resume to apply@grimmsgardens.com. 8-9

Breezy Hill Cafe has an opening for a part-time fry cook & dishwasher. Apply at Breezy Hill Cafe, 402-245-2229. 8-9

Falls City Recreation has the following positions available for the 2016 summer baseball/softball season

- Overall Baseball/Softball Director
- League Directors
- Umpires

For more information please contact Angie Hunzeker 245-7558 or hunzeker@sntco.net 7-9

SAVE A PET
Sponsored by the Richardson County Humane Society



WANTED:
A family that needs a good dog to love and take care of, I'm ready for a lifetime commitment. Please call the Shelter and ask for Max, I'll be waiting!

Sponsored by the Humane Society, 245-2779.

SERVICES

Exterior/Interior painting and staining; power washing decks and fences. Affordable prices and friendly service. Call for free estimate, Frank Killingsworth, 402-883-7243. 6-11P

Income Tax Preparation & Accounting. "I strive to give you the best service." The Write-A-Way Income Tax & Accounting, Patrice Chandler 402-245-4397. 2-13

Corner Quilts - Longarm Quilting Service. Reasonable rates and quick turn around. Edge to edge and custom quilting. To schedule 402-801-2400. Appointments only. Peggy Davidson, Falls City, NE peggysquilts@sntco.net 8-16

Deck and interior work. 40 years carpentry. Jeff Ramer, 402-801-0924. 6-11P

NE PRESS STATEWIDE

ATTENTION ADVERTISERS! For \$225/25 word classified you can advertise in over 165 Nebraska newspapers. For more information contact your local newspaper or call 1-800-369-2850.

BRANSON COLLECTOR Car Auction - Celebrating 38 years. April 15-16, 2016. Featuring Corvettes, Mustangs, Mopar, Jaguar, MG, Triumph. Consign your car today! 800-335-3063, www.bransonauktion.com.

COLUMBUS ANTIQUE Flea Market, Columbus Ag Park, March 12, 9-5; March 13, 10-4, Admission \$2.50. Jay Albert, 402-202-5443.

BANKRUPTCY: FREE initial consultation. Fast relief from creditors. Low rates. Statewide filing. No office appointment necessary. Call Steffens Law Office, 308-872-8327. www.steffensbankruptcylaw.com. We are a debt relief agency, which helps people file bankruptcy under the bankruptcy code.

AFFORDABLE PRESS Release service. Send your message to 170 newspapers across Nebraska for one low price! Call 1-800-369-2850 or www.nepress.com for more details.

RNPs UP to \$45/hour, LPNs up to \$37.50/hour, CNAs up to \$22.50/hour. Free gas/wheelchair, \$2,000 bonus. AACO Nursing Agency, 800-656-4414 Ext. 5.

CAN YOU dig it? Heavy Equipment Operator Career! We offer training and certifications running bulldozers, backhoes and excavators. Lifetime job placement. VA Benefits eligible! 1-866-362-6497.

DRIVERS WANTED. Justa Trucking, Lexington, NE, 800-445-0135. Home weekly. Trips to various Midwest points. Drop pay, Vacation pay. Excellent equipment. OTR experience required.

QLF TRANSPORTATION — Class A CDL Drivers/Tankers. Great pay, home weekends, and benefits! Potential of \$60,000 plus per year! Contact Tony, 608-935-0915 ext. 16, www qlf.com.

HELP WANTED

Educational Service Unit 4, Auburn, NE

Professional Opportunity

Network Administrator

Applications will be accepted through April 5, 2016

Application materials should be sent to:

Jon Fisher, Administrator~ESU 4~PO Box 310~Auburn, NE 68305

Additional Information and Job Description can be found on the Employment Link at www.esu4.org

EOE

9-12



NOW HIRING Retail Branch Manager

707 4th Street
Humboldt, NE

Monday-Friday
Rotating Saturday mornings

Please apply at:
www.anbank.com
and view openings

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER
PRE-EMPLOYMENT DRUG SCREEN / BACKGROUND CHECK
EOE/A/A/M/F/H/V

Employer of Choice Bank of Choice Banker of Choice

VEHICLES FOR SALE

Clean 2004 Ford Freestar SE Asking \$2000. New battery & brakes. Passenger window needs regulator. 100000 highway miles. 402-801-1176. 9P

MOTORCYCLE FOR SALE

2002 Honda Magna, 750 CC, New Tires, Bags & Windshield, Excellent condition! 402-855-2665. 8-9P

FOR SALE

JUST IN TIME FOR SPRING-
New Colors & New Prints from Carhartt Come check them out Farm & City Supply, Ace Hardware. 9

'GET R DONE' - Sleeveless Plaid are here! Farm & City Supply, Ace Hardware. 9

VARIETY OF LONG SLEEVE SHIRTS- At *Clearance* Prices Farm & City Supply, Ace Hardware. 9

Cornfed Beef 1/4 or 1/2. Leonard Rieger, 402-245-5439 or 402-245-0055. 9-12P

55 drums Shell Rotella
55 drums Hydraulic Oils
55 drums Mobil Delvac

CHAPP OIL CO.
245-3423 Falls City, NE

9-e-11

DENTAL IMPLANT CENTER

OF NORTHEAST KANSAS

1309 S Old 75 HWY

Sabetha, KS

Dental Care that Never Quits!

Services Provided:

- Dental Implant Placement
- Advanced Bone & Soft Tissue Grafting
- Removal of Impacted 3rd molars (Wisdom Teeth)
- Advanced Cosmetic Reconstruction
- Routine Dentistry
- IV sedation for Surgical & Advanced Reconstruction Cases

Dr. Terry Whitten

Phone: (785) 284-3911 or (888) 589-8100

www.dentalimplantsnek.com

Join Us For Our 13th ANNUAL
**March into \$aving\$!
OPEN HOUSE**
SUPER SATURDAYS 8AM TO 5PM
MARCH 12TH 19TH & 26TH 2016
TAKE ADVANTAGE OF OUR
LOWEST PRICES OF THE YEAR!
PRIZE GIVEAWAYS & REFRESHMENTS



Katie Niedfeldt, Falls City, NE

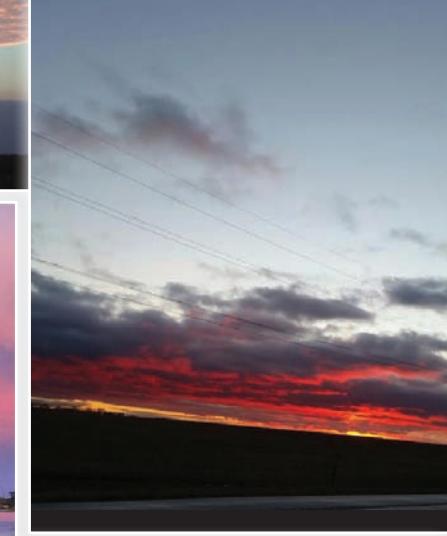


Sandy Johnson, Falls City, NE



Peggy Easterwood, Dawson, NE

Hailey Liberty, Verdon, NE



Sherry Bennett, Omaha, NE



Lila Meyerkorth, Shubert, NE

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 copyrighted 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.

NEXT WEEK: Spring Flowers

FALLS CITY JOURNAL READER PHOTO OF THE WEEK



Falls City High School celebrates FFA week with activities throughout the week.

FCHS celebrates FFA Week

By: Brooke Lotter

The Falls City High School was filled with fun and excitement the week of Feb. 22 through the 26 during National FFA Week! The FFA celebrated by having students dress up with various themes and participating in fun activities throughout the week.

Monday was Green vs. Red Day. Students were encouraged to wear their favorite color to show their support for their favorite brand of machinery, John Deere, Massey Ferguson, Case International, and an assortment of others. Over the lunch hour, students participated in penny in the hay. A stock tank was filled with hay and pennies were randomly thrown in the tank where they awaited to be found. Tuesday was Chore Day which allowed students to wear what clothes they wear to do chores in to school. The activity held during lunch was milking the cow. No we actually didn't milk a real cow. Medical gloves were filled with water and holes were poked in the fingertips. This allowed the students to learn how to milk a cow, an experience that not everyone gets to have. Wednesday was Blue and Gold Day. FFA members wore their FFA Jackets and jeans while the officers were in official dress. Officers also showed their appreciation for the teachers and staff by serving them breakfast in the morning. An ice cream eating contest was greatly enjoyed at lunch time. Thursday was America Day. Students wore anything that was red, white, and blue. This was a day to show our support for our country. Thursday's activity was hillbilly golf. The officers set up a little course using tractors and items that were related to FFA as obstacles for the course. The club was a broom stick. Friday was Flannel Friday and jeans and flannels were worn by the student body. Members were allowed to drive their tractors to school to have some fun. There were two activities at lunch Friday. There were trike races on the front lawn and kiss the pig. During the week there was a competition to see who had to kiss the pig out of the officers and Mr. Hogue. The person who received the most money had to kiss the piglet! The winners were Brooke Lotter and Mr. Hogue.

The money that was collected was donated to our local Sixpence. This week was filled with lots of fun and laughter. It was a great week to celebrate what FFA is all about.

As fun as gambling is, it can be addictive.

You could be practicing risky gambling without realizing it. Check out our tips for gambling responsibly at problemgambling.nebraska.gov.

TIP #3: Bet only what you can afford to lose.

If your gambling is out of control now, we encourage you to seek help at 1-800-522-4700.

We know what we're doing, and we can help you and your family.

Nebraska Problem Gamblers Assistance Program
700 South 16th Street
Lincoln, NE 68508
402-471-4450
negap.contact@nebraska.gov

March is National Problem Gambling Awareness Month

F&M Bank is Celebrating Ag Week March 13-19, 2016

Monday thru Friday
Cookies at F&M Bank

Tuesday, March 15
Complimentary Dessert at
Swingin' Doors Saloon
from 11am-1pm

Wednesday, March 16
Complimentary Donuts at
Farm & City Supply

Thursday, March 17
Complimentary Dessert at The Barn Cafe
from 11am-1pm



F&M Bank also
donated \$200
to the Falls City
FFA in honor of
Ag Week.

hometownspirit
nothing else comes near it

F&M
Bank

Member FDIC

BAR MANAGER WANTED
FALLS CITY ELKS CLUB
1417 Stone St.
Full-Time; Salary based on
experience; Bartending
experience a must;
Management experience
preferred. Mostly evening hours.
Submit resume to PO BOX 386
or pick up an application
at the Elks, 4-8 P.M.,
Wed thru Friday.

TAKE THE ALLSTATE CHALLENGE

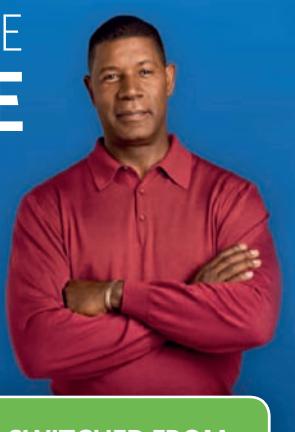
Put your policy to the test.

DRIVERS WHO SWITCHED SAVED
\$446

A YEAR ON AVERAGE

ON AVERAGE, DRIVERS WHO SWITCHED FROM:

Geico	saved \$440 with Allstate
Progressive	saved \$395 with Allstate
State Farm	saved \$431 with Allstate



Call us to find out if you can save now.

Miller-Monroe Company, Inc.
402-245-2722
1608 Stone St.
Falls City

Allstate
You're in good hands.
Auto Home Life Retirement

Savings based on national customer reported data for new policies written in 2014. Actual savings vary. Discounts subject to terms, conditions and availability. Allstate Fire and Casualty Insurance Co., Allstate Indemnity Co. © 2015 Allstate Insurance Co.