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Firefighters prepare to topple the burning remains of a shed at a property along U.S. 169 near Sixth Avenue, just outside Garnett, Thursday, March 12. The structure burned when a controlled grass fire got out of control. Firefighters in the area have kept busy in recent weeks as dry conditions make it easy for fires to spread. As farmers enter their prescribed burning season, firefighters likely will continue to battle such fires if they get out of control.

Change in healthcare saves county money

Jail reaps \$18K savings after 7 months with new inmate healthcare service

BY VICKIE MOSS THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

GARNETT - A change in inmate healthcare already has paid off for Anderson County, according to a new report issued last week by Sheriff Vernon Valentine.

In June 2014, Valentine changed the way healthcare services are handled at the jail by hiring an Illinois company that specializes in providing healthcare to correctional institutions. Valentine predicted the change would save the county about \$30,000 per year while improving the standard of care to inmates.

Advanced Correctional Healthcare began providing services to the county jail in June 2014, with a bid of \$38,131 to provide those services for one year. Advanced Correctional Healthcare beat out a slightly higher bid by Anderson County Hospital because the Advanced bid also included pharmaceutical expenses. Valentine said at the time he would have preferred to hire a local vendor, but the cost savings were too significant with Advanced.

Even though the service began almost halfway through 2014, it resulted in significant savings compared to the previous year, Valentine's report showed.

In 2014, the sheriff's department spend \$55,889.77 in health-

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Sheriff gives annual report

Comparison of 2013-14 law enforcement activities show many similarities

BY VICKIE MOSS THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

GARNETT - Comparatively speaking, 2014 looked a lot like 2013 at the Anderson County Sheriff's Department. Officers responded to about the same number of calls and issued roughly the same number of tickets. The biggest differences were financial, as revenue was down slightly, while expenses were up.

Sheriff Vernon Valentine last week released a statistical report on activities and expenses at the sheriff's department in 2014. It's the second year he has

compiled the statistical report; when he was elected in 2012, Valentine promised to compile and release such reports in order to track essential activities and increase transparency between the office and the public.

Because this is only the second year such a report has been issued, comparisons can be made only between 2013 and 2014.

The biggest change at the jail between the two years was implementation of a new healthcare system, which is addressed in another article in this newspaper. Other than that, the disparity between increased expenses and decreased revenue was notable.

The department's budget has increased by more than \$100,000 between 2013 and 2015 - in 2013, the budget was \$1,411,500 and 100 percent of the budget was used; in 2014, the

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ACHS grad hired for Chamber post

Brummel takes reins in newly created position that will address Chamber, city tourism issues

BY VICKIE MOSS THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

GARNETT - A Garnett native has returned to her hometown to serve as the new administrative assistant for the Garnett Area Chamber of Commerce and City of Garnett tourism department.

Jennifer Brummel, a graduate of Anderson County High School, recently was hired by the city in a joint venture with the Chamber. The newly created position will combine Chamber activities and the city's tourism department, in order to avoid replicating services and provide a full-time director for the Chamber.

In recent years, it has been difficult for the Chamber board to keep a qualified person in that position because it was a part-time job with full-time needs. The city and Chamber recently agreed to join forces by essentially sharing an employee. The Chamber's office will be moved to City Hall.

Brummel was hired because of her qualifications as well as her local ties, Chamber president Helen Norman told city commissioners at their regular meeting Tuesday, March 10.

Previously, Brummel served as economic development director and youth development



Brummel

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Emergency response crews prepare to extricate the driver of a pickup that went out of control and crashed into stacks of lumber at Garnett True Value Friday afternoon, March 13.

City takes a look at utilities

Electric upgrade, water plant study are first of projects

BY VICKIE MOSS THE REVIEW

GARNETT - It's time for spring cleaning, and Garnett officials are taking that idea to the extreme this year.

The city will offer its annual spring cleaning event with free trash pickup for city residents and free dumping at the county landfill April 13-17, using the same format and rules as in previous years. In addition, city officials are making some infrastructure improvements to make sure those systems are operating effi-

ciently. City staff are collecting bids for a major electric system upgrade. Last week, city commissioners approved a \$32,000 study of the city's water treatment plant. Late last year, City Manager Joyce Martin said staff would start taking a good, hard

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"Moonlight and Magnolias" play director David Carr, as Hollywood director Victor Fleming, meets with Tom Emerson Jr. as legendary producer David O. Selznick and Gary Stapp as screenwriter Ben Hecht during a scene from the final performance of the dinner theater production Sunday, March 15.

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KINDERGARTEN ROUNDUP

Children who will be five years old on or before August 31, 2015, are eligible to attend kindergarten next fall. Appointments are now being taken for kindergarten roundup screenings at GES (448-3177) on March 25 (12:30-6:30). Please allow 45-60 minutes. Call for more information: Westphalia Elementary Roundup - March 24 (785-489-2511); Greeley Grade School Roundup - March 26 (785-867-3460).

SEWING CLUB MEETINGS

The Zig Zag Sewing Club will not meet in March. The next meeting will be April 1 at Sirlin Stockade in Ottawa.

MEMORIAL BRICKS

Inscribed bricks are being sold for the Anderson County Veterans Memorial and will be used in creation of the walking area. Bricks can be inscribed with whatever names the purchaser desires. A minimum \$100 donation is requested. Forms for the bricks are available in the office of the Anderson County Clerk.

MEMORIAL NAMES

The Anderson County Veterans Memorial Committee is requesting the community's assistance in obtaining a precise and correct list of the veterans who have served our country from Anderson County. Lists from the different conflicts are available in the office of the Anderson County Clerk for review and revision.

HELP FOR ANIMALS

Anyone willing to donate kitty litter, canned dog food or canned cat food, dog and cat toys, paper towels, laundry and cleaning supplies, or newspaper to help support Prairie Paws Animal Shelter can contact Lisa at (785) 204-2148.

Anderson County Commission MARCH 2

Chairman Jerry Howarter called the meeting of the Anderson County Commission to order at 9:00 AM on March 2, 2015 at the County Commission Room. Attendance: Jerry Howarter, Present; Eugene Highberger, Present; Leslie McGhee, Present. The pledge of allegiance was recited. Minutes of the previous were presented and approved.

Road and Bridge

Lester Welsh, Road Supervisor met with the commission. He reported he has received a quote from the company that did core samples of the roads between Garnett and Westphalia that were not done last year. If he has them mill it off and relay it, it would be cheaper than if he did it himself. He has another company that is going to bid so he will compare those prices.

Jail Bond Payment

Commission approved the clerk proceeding with contact Kutak Rock and George K. Baum to proceed with making an extra payment on the jail bonds.

Abatements

Abatements B15-246 was presented and approved.

Jail Hot Water

Commissioner Highberger moved to have Anderson Plumbing, LLC install hot water on demand in the jail at a cost of \$43,000 out of the Jail Reserve Fund. Commissioner McGhee seconded. Approved 3-0.

Department Head Meeting

Sandy Baugher, Register of Deeds reported fees in her office changed January 1 and will be changing every year for the next five years due to legislation that was passed last year. Sheriff Valentine reported that he has lost another jailer and will be hiring a new one. Phyllis had nothing to report. Commissioner Highberger reported the surplus hospital furniture is available for the department heads to look at if they are interested.

Meeting adjourned at 12:00 PM due to no further business.

LAND TRANSFERS

March 5, John R Walter, Paula J Walter, Nathan J Walter And Monica Walter To Nathan J Walter And Monica Walter, N2 Ne4 Ne4 28-21-19

March 6, Patterson Insurance Agency Inc To Scott W Cooper And Terri B Cooper, Com At Necor Lot C-3 Of Hayden's Lakeview Estates Addition To City Of Garnett, Thence Running South 100', Thence West 208', Thence North 100', Thence East 208' To Pob; & Also A Tract Com At Necor Lot C-3 Hayden's Lakeview Estates Addition To City Of Garnett, Thence Running West 208', Thence North 130', Thence South 52'45' East 251 Feet To Pob;

March 9, Merle F Rockers And Helen L Rockers To Merle F Rockers Trustee, Helen L Rockers Trustee And Rockers Family Trust Dated 3-4-2015, Se4 11-21-19.

March 9, Merle F Rockers And Helen L Rockers To Merle F Rockers Trustee, Helen L Rockers Trustee And Rockers Family Trust Dated 3-4-2015, Ne4 7-20-19 & Se4 6-20-19 Less Beg At Necor Of Said Se4, Thence West 60 Rods, Thence South 96 Rods, Thence East 60 Rods, Thence North 96 Rods To Pob; Containing 36 Acres, More Or Less; & 9 Acres, More Or Less In Swcor Sw4 5-20-19 As Follows: Beg At Swcor Section 5, Thence East 34 Rods 12', Thence North 18 Rods, Thence East 7', Thence North To Pottawatomie Creek, Thence West To Creek 34 Rods 19' To Section Line, Thence South To Pob;

March 9, Merle F Rockers And Helen L Rockers To Merle F Rockers Trustee, Helen L Rockers

Trustee And Rockers Family Trust Dated 3-4-2015, Com At Nwcor Se4 10-20-19, Thence East 90 Rods, Thence South 106 2/3 Rods, Thence West 30 Rods, Thence South 53 1/3 Rods To South Line Of Said Quarter Section, Thence West 60 Rods, Thence North On West Line Of Said Quarter Section 160 Rods To Pob; & Also All That Part Of N2 Ne4 15-20-19 Lying North Of North Boundary Line Of Abandoned R/W Of Kansas, Nebraska And Dakota Railway Company; & Nw4 2-20-19 Less Com At Intersection Of West Section Line Of Said Nw4 Section 2 & Pottawatomie Creek, Follow Center Of Creek Southeast And East To Pt 1775' East Of West Section Line, Thence South 1100', Thence East 160', Thence South 275', Thence West 355', Thence North 275', Thence West 1580', Thence North 1630' To Pob; & E2 Se4 3-20-19 Less Beg At Necor Of Said E2 Se4 Section 3, Thence West 860', Thence South 680' Thence East 860', Thence North 680' To Pob; & N2 Nw4 (Less 3 Acres) Of 11-20-19; & Ne4 10-20-19 Less A Tract Of Land In Ne4 10-20-19 As: Beg At Pt On South Line Of Ne4 Of Said Section 10, Being North 89'51'56" West 794.26 Feet From Secor Thereof; Thence Continuing North 89'51'56" West 713.92 Feet, Thence North 0'08'04" East 392.15 Feet, Thence South 89'51'56" East 377.58 Feet, Thence South 0'08'04" West 102.00 Feet, Thence South 89'51'56" East 330.02 Feet, Thence South 1'06'48" East 290.22 Feet To Pob;

March 9, Sharon A Warbrinton A/K/A Sharon Warbrinton To Brian R Weller And Christin L Weller, Lots 5, 6, & 7 Blk 65 & Lots 8 & 9 Blk 65 City Of Garnett, Less R/W Of Missouri Pacific Railroad.

CIVIL CASES FILED

JP Morgan Chase Bank, National Association, vs. Tanya Reneae Miller et al, petition to foreclose mortgage, asking for \$73,632.94 plus costs and interest.

U.S. Bank National Association vs. John R. Balog and Kimberly Balog, petition to foreclose mortgage, asking for \$75,975.90 plus costs and interest.

Discover Bank vs. Darlene M. Daniels, asking for \$3,298.40 plus costs and interest.

DOMESTIC CASES FILED

Heather Lea Marmon vs. Kenneth Lee Hermreck, petition for protection from abuse.

Caleb Jude Foltz vs. Chelsii E. Foltz, petition for divorce.

DOMESTIC CASES RESOLVED

Diane Allen vs. Thomas F. Morse, divorce decree.

Alexander Patrick Compton vs. Denise Compton, dismissed.

Chelsey Ann D'Albini vs. Joseph Blake Wilhite, dismissed.

LIMITED ACTION FILED

Citibank (South Dakota) vs. Gregory E. Hughes, asking for \$3,471.66 plus costs and interest.

Young Williams PC DBA Kansas Payment Center vs. Frankie Lee Herod, asking for \$1,374.15 plus costs and interest.

Ransom Memorial Hospital vs. Christine Clowers, asking for \$4,094.05 plus costs and interest.

LIMITED ACTION RESOLVED

City of Garnett vs. Shanda L. McDaniel, judgment for \$390.69 plus costs and interest.

Garnett Development Copnany vs. Haliagh Perkins, judgment for eviction.

CRIMINAL CASES FILED

Tracy A. Ahring was charged with domestic battery.

Travis R. Ahring was charged with domestic battery.

CRIMINAL CASES RESOLVED

Speeding violations: Kristen L. Boone, \$431 fine.

Timothy Eugene Chew, \$159 fine speeding; \$300 fine no liability insurance.

Patrick John Lupia Jr., \$183 fine.

Chance D. Miller, \$189 fine. Martin Johnson Read, \$382 fine, diversion.

Other:

Trista Lee Brown, driving while suspended, \$243 fine.

Starrett M. Burrough, possession of drugs, \$1,048 fine.

Kody Ostynn Crook, possession of drug paraphernalia, possession of alcohol by a minor, \$543 fine.

Joshua Keith Pate, DUI, \$1,281 fine.

Brian Wayne Peters, failure to yield, \$183 fine.

Roger Dale Roberts, no fishing license, \$158 fine.

Spencer Walter, possession of alcohol by a minor, interference with law enforcement, \$643 fine, diversion.

Hope Elsie Hunter, theft, dismissed.

Phyllis A. Luedke, taking or dealing in wildlife, dismissed.

GARNETT POLICE REPORT

Arrests

Chad Flinn of Ottawa was arrested March 4 on a warrant.

Joshua Pate of Garnett was arrested March 4 on a warrant.

Susan Durand of Garnett was arrested March 6 on suspicion of DUI.

Justin Baldwin of Shawnee was arrested March 7 on suspicion of possession of drugs.

Incidents

On March 4, a report was made of theft of cut wood from a wood pile on East First Avenue.

ANDERSON COUNTY SHERIFF'S REPORT

Incidents

On March 5, a report of possession of drugs and possession of drug paraphernalia was reported in the 300 block of East Fourth Avenue.

Accidents

On Oct. 24, a vehicle driven by Elizabeth A. Weber, 30, Kincaid, struck a deer on 800 Road near Nevada Road.

JAIL LOG

Daniel Todd Van Norman, 27, Garnett, was booked into jail March 5 by Anderson County Sheriff on two warrants. Bond set at \$10,000; released March 5.

Chad William Flinn, 40, Garnett, was booked into jail March 6 by Anderson County Sheriff on suspicion of theft. Bond set at \$2,500; released March 6.

Susan Marie Durand, 57, Garnett, was booked into jail March 6 by Garnett Police on suspicion of DUI. Bond set at \$1,500; released March 6.

Sarah Elizabeth Bowers, 34, Ottawa, was booked into jail March 7 by Jefferson County on a warrant for failure to appear. Bond set at \$351.27; released March 7.

Justin Edward Baldwin, 32, Shawnee, was booked into jail March 7 by Garnett Police on suspicion of possession of depressant. Bond set at \$500; released March 8.

Johnathan Taylor Fraser, 28, Rantoul, was booked into jail March 7 by Anderson County Sheriff on suspicion of driving while suspended and no liability insurance. Bond set at \$500; released March 7.

Jamie Donovan Holstine, 25, Garnett, was booked into jail March 9 by Anderson County Sheriff on a 48-hour writ. Released March 11.

Cole Aaron Kelsey, 34, Richmond, was booked into jail March 9 by Anderson County Sheriff on a court order.

Phillip Dewayne Proctor, 37, Garnett, was booked into jail March 10 by Anderson County Sheriff on two warrants. Bond set at \$5,338.

James Leo Hogan, 20, Garnett, was booked into jail March 10 by Topeka JDC on suspicion of criminal damage to property to be held for court.

Kaylee Rene Schuster, 18, Garnett, was booked into jail March 10 by Anderson County Sheriff on suspicion of theft and criminal damage to property. Bond set at \$1,000; released March 10.

Kevin Leroy Gatlin, 36, Garnett, was booked into jail March 10 by Anderson County Sheriff on suspicion of DUI.

Bryan Michael Kennedy, 25, Garnett, was booked into jail March 10 by Anderson County Sheriff on a warrant and suspicion of child endangerment, possession of drugs and possession of drug paraphernalia. Bond set at \$5,000.

Michael Jason Kinder, 28, Garnett, was booked into jail March 10 by Anderson County Sheriff on contempt of court.

Jonathan Anthony McCord, 24, Ottawa, was booked into jail March 10 by Anderson County Sheriff on suspicion of criminal trespass. Bond set at \$1,000; released March 11.

Cory Robert Boseker, 26, Ottawa, was booked into jail March 10 by Anderson County Sheriff on suspicion of criminal trespass. Bond set at \$1,000; released March 11.

Angel Leeann Prather, 2, Ottawa, was booked into jail March 11 by Anderson County Sheriff on suspicion of three counts of theft. Bond set at \$5,000; released March 11.

JAIL ROSTER

Jacob Kratzberg was booked into jail on October 28, 2014, for Anderson County, 90 days + 180 days.

Barton Fromme was booked into jail on December 2, 2014, for Anderson County, bond set at \$5,000.

Stephen Hyden was booked into jail on January 23 for Anderson County, bond set at \$10,000.

John F. Miller Jr. was booked into jail Feb. 9 for Anderson County, bond set at \$1,000.

Ronnie Whitehurst II was booked into jail on January 8 for Anderson County, bond set at \$25,000.

Dylan Sicka was booked into jail on December 9, 2014, for Anderson County, bond set at \$10,000.

David Gordon was booked

into jail on October 27, 2014, for Anderson County for 12 months.

Samuel Van Patton was booked into jail on November 21, 2014, for Anderson County, bond set at \$100,000.

Crystal Hall was booked into jail on Feb. 10 for Anderson County on a 30-day writ.

Teddi McAfee was booked into jail Feb. 4 for Anderson County, bond set at \$20,000.

Stephanie Knavel was booked into jail Feb. 5 for Anderson County, bond set at \$10,000.

George Voorhees was booked into jail on September 18, 2014 for Anderson County, bond set at \$100,000.

Jason Glukowsky was booked into jail March 2 for Anderson County, bond set at \$12,500.

Michael Kinder was booked into jail March 10 for Anderson County on a 48-hour writ. Released March 12.

John McLaughlin was booked into jail March 4 for Anderson County on a probation violation.

Cole Kelsey was booked into jail March 9 for Anderson County on a court order.

Kevin Gatlin was booked into jail March 10 for Anderson County on a five-day writ. Released March 15.

Phillip Proctor was booked into jail March 10 for Anderson County, bond set at \$5,338.

Bryan Kennedy was booked into jail March 10 for Anderson County, bond set at \$5,000.

FARM-INS

Tyler Snipes was booked into jail Feb. 20 for Linn County.

Lauren Courtney was booked into jail Jan. 30 for Douglas County.

John Simons was booked into jail on December 24, 2014 for Linn County.

Trevor Thompson was booked into jail Feb. 13 for Miami County.

Michael Harper was booked into jail Feb. 13 for Miami County.

Brian Richardson was booked into jail March 3 for Franklin County.

Dylan Ivey was booked into jail March 3 for Franklin County.

John Jefferies was booked into jail March 3 for Franklin County.

James Aiken was booked into jail Feb. 20 for Miami County.

Jody Rayl was booked into jail march 3 for Franklin County.

Clarence Greenfield was booked into jail March 3 for Franklin County.

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WOOSLEY

February 2, 1962-March 3, 2015

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Karen Woosley, age 53, of Garnett, died Tuesday, March 3, 2015 at her home.

She was born February 2, 1962 at St. Joseph, Missouri, to Orville Roach and Darlene (Bonner) Daniels.

She married William "Bill" Woosley in June 1986 at Emporia.

She was preceded in death by her father, Orville Roach.

She is survived by her husband William B. "Bill" Woosley of Garnett; mother, Darlene M.

Daniels of Garnett; daughter, Michelle Woosley of Freeman, Neb.; brother, Steven Roach of Columbus, Nebraska; sisters, Sue Codgill of Garnett; Amy Lawrence of Uehling, Nebraska; Janet England of St. Joseph, Missouri; Laurie Johnson of Garnett; one grandson, Brian Ligon of Fremont, Nebraska; numerous nieces and nephews and family members.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Karen Woosley Memorial Fund.

Cremation is planned; there are no services at this time.

COMPTON

September 28, 1967-March 7, 2015

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Denise Andrea (Paul) Compton, age 47, of Westphalia, died at her home on Saturday, March 7, 2015.

She was born on September 28, 1967 in Garnett, at the Anderson County Hospital, to Edward James and Phoebe (Greenwood) Paul.

She was married to Billy Carter of Mulvane; they later divorced. She then married Alex Compton on June 9, 2004 in Garnett.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Edward and Phoebe Paul; grandparents, James and

Julia Greenwood; and a niece.

Survivors include her daughter, Kim Abell of St. Louis, Missouri; granddaughter and grandson; husband, Alex Compton; mother-in-law and father-in-law; one brother and four sisters, Lonnie Greenwood, Mrs. Christina Culbertson and Bonnie Fitzmaurice, all of Topeka; Mrs. Mary Matuska of Gas, Elsie Ewing of Neosho, Missouri; her aunt and uncle.

Funeral services were Friday, March 13, 2015, at the Feuerborn Family Funeral Service Chapel, Garnett. Burial followed in the St. Teresa Cemetery, Westphalia.

SHAFFER

August 23, 1929-March 12, 2015

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Norman "Lee" Shaffer age 85, of Garnett, KS, passed away March 12, 2015 at St. Frances Hospital, Topeka, KS.

Lee was born in Sarcoxie, Missouri August 23, 1929. He was the third child of four, born to Ben and Ella Mae (Daffron) Shaffer. Lee was active in sports and graduated from Sarcoxie High School in 1947. He worked at various jobs, including Sarcoxie Hardware until he was drafted into the United States Army and went to basic training in 1951 at Camp Chaffee (AR). He served proudly in the Army during the Korean War until his Honorable Discharge in 1955. He always took pride in his military service to his country. Although, he vowed he would never get on another ship again after his 30 day trip by sea to and from Korea.

After returning from Korea he enrolled at Southwest Missouri State in Springfield, then to Joplin Junior College, playing football at both schools. After Joplin, he transferred to Pittsburg State University. One of his regrets was turning down the opportunity to play football at Pitt State. He forever loved and followed Gorilla football. While at Pitt State he met the future mother of his children Joyce Padfield. They were married for 36 years.

He graduated with Bachelor's degree in education and earned his Master's degree from Pitt State.



Shaffer

Their 30 plus years of marriage produced four sons, Brent, Kirk, Thad and Chad. His teaching and coaching career covered many different subjects and districts including Lockwood, Richards (MO), Oak Grove, in the Turner district, Chanute and eventually two different stints at Louisburg. He took pride in his strict and disciplined classroom. In between his teaching time in Louisburg he worked at Kansas City Structural Steel and had a successful cleaning business. After retiring in 1994 Lee (grandpa) spent many hours and miles watching/chauffeur his granddaughters to various sports and activities. His granddaughters brought out a totally different side of Grandpa Lee. He left Louisburg and moved to Garnett in 1996, where he lived the rest of his life.

He is survived by his four sons, Brent and Teresa Kiowa, KS; Kirk and Stacie Louisburg, KS, Thad Louisburg, KS and Chad Kansas City, MO. Five Granddaughters: Maurissa, Alexis, Idallis (Brent and Teresa), Paige and Peyton (Kirk and Stacie), sister, Grace Larsen of Fort Scott and a brother Glenn Shaffer of Neosho, MO.

Visitation will be 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. Saturday, March 21, 2015 at the Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church, memorial service to follow at 11:00 a.m. Saturday at the church. Private inurnment with military honors will be at the Fort Scott National Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers the family suggests contributions to the American Legion Post 250, or to the VFW Post 7348.

To leave a message for the family online, please visit www.PenwellGabelLouisburg.com.

HEALTHCARE...

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care costs. Before the contract with Advanced Correctional Healthcare began (from January to June 12, 2014), the county paid \$20,828.54 for doctor and hospital visits, and \$7,076.49 for pharmacy expenses for a total of \$28,005.03. The average cost per month was \$5,601.

After the Advanced Correctional Healthcare contract began in June, the county paid \$6,574.30 for doctor and hospital visits, \$232.03 for pharmacy expenses and \$21,078.41 for services through Advanced for a total of \$27,884.74. The average cost per month was

\$3,983.53.

Overall, the county saved \$18,441.82 in healthcare costs compared to 2013 (healthcare expenses that year were \$71,331.59) and \$49,811.94 compared to 2012 (healthcare expenses that year were \$105,701.71).

Valentine noted the figures may not be exact, or could change, because the new agreement now requires inmates to have a co-pay for services. Healthcare costs for out-of-county inmates also will be reimbursed by the inmate's home county. That also could change the financial picture when those counties send their

payments.

Valentine said previously one of the advantages of contracted services would be the ability to better stabilize healthcare expenses. In previous years, inmates apparently took advantage of lax rules to take care of long-standing medical issues. At one point, an inmate claimed she needed an organ transplant and expected the county to pick up the tab; her condition later was found to be significantly less dire, but still resulted in hefty medical bills. Another elderly man also required expensive healthcare during his stay at the jail.

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budget was \$1,481,010 and 94.3 percent of the budget was used; in 2015, the budget is \$1,530,501. Valentine said those increases primarily are because of cost-of-living raises for staff and increasing costs for supplies like inmate uniforms, bedding, laundry, technology, food and utilities. The jail's electric bill alone often exceeds \$8,000 per month, he said.

At the same time, revenue has decreased slightly. Although county tax dollars support most of the jail's expenses, the sheriff's department also collects revenue through fees and costs assessed to inmates, and the department collects money from people who need things like incident and accident reports or vehicle inspections. In 2013, the sheriff's department collected \$239,185.88. In 2014, the department collected \$204,459.60. Most of the difference can be attributed to a decrease in collections from inmates.

Valentine pointed out those figures represent a "ballpark" figure for general comparison and may not be exact. For example, his figures do not include some sources of revenue, like a \$35 charge for fingerprints.

As far as general activities by the sheriff's department, 2014 roughly mirrored 2013.

All law enforcement (including the sheriff, Garnett police department and Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks, as well as fire fighters and first responders) received 8,248 calls for service in 2013, compared to 8,201 calls in 2014.

Deputies issued 401 traffic citations or tickets in 2013, and 441 in 2014. They issued 18 DUIs in 2013, compared to 12 in 2014.

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Let the Sunshine in!

March 15-21, 2015, marks the 10th anniversary of the nationally commemorated Sunshine Week in which open government proponents throughout our nation point with pride at transparency breakthroughs, but are equally alarmed about setbacks to the people's right to know what their government is up to.

A review by the Kansas Sunshine Coalition for Open Government shows the Kansas experience over the past 10 years is no different. While sunshine victories can be proclaimed in some areas of our state government—the legislative enactment of a media shield law, for example, there have been serious setbacks, including the expansion of exceptions to the state's Open Records Act from 10 or so initially to now 57 and counting. Meanwhile, the cost of gaining access to these "open government" records has mushroomed to the point that pressing access in many instances simply isn't worth the effort to the citizenry.

Kansas media representatives who track open government legislation could describe their job as "whack-a-mole" because, as Gilda Radner was wont to say, "There's always somethin'"! This year is no different. Currently, organizations representing cities, counties, and other governmental entities are pushing to end the practice of publicizing their legally required notices, including budgets, in print, opting instead to restrict them to websites, particularly if the website is operated by the very entity charged with making their work available to the general public.

On another front, the current gubernatorial administration has taken the position that government business may be discussed—transacted?—in secrecy via email if it transpired using a private internet service provider. Object lesson: accomplish the deed by gmail, making sure only the agency "good news" is transmitted through government email accounts. Case in point: an email detailing what should be the most public of any public document, the state budget director's proposal to close budget shortfalls totaling more than \$710 million. It was secretly emailed to two lobbyist confidantes prior to it being unveiled even to the Legislature, let alone Kansans, many of whom are struggling with their own budget woes brought about by a burgeoning tax load.

Adding salt to the wound is news that the Wichita Eagle, which broke the budget proposal story, was advised that a request to the governor's office for access to emails between that office and one of the lobbyists would cost \$1,235. So, if one as a government official needs to accomplish a deed in secret, do so on a home computer using a private email account, but if that isn't possible make the cost of accessing the public record prohibitively high for most citizens.

That same secret mindset has now been extended to state judiciary appointments, which had been transparent by Supreme Court rule since 1981. Now, no one knows who has applied for a judge vacancy until the governor makes his appointment. Confirmation of that appointee now rests with the same entity—the Legislature—which voted to make the process opaque in the first place.

Secrecy in government is not the exclusive domain of the executive and legislative branches of government, however, as an ongoing case study at the University of Kansas demonstrates. There, a student group seeks to determine the extent of the influence the Charles and David Koch foundations may

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RON KEEFOVER, KANSAS SUNSHINE COALITION

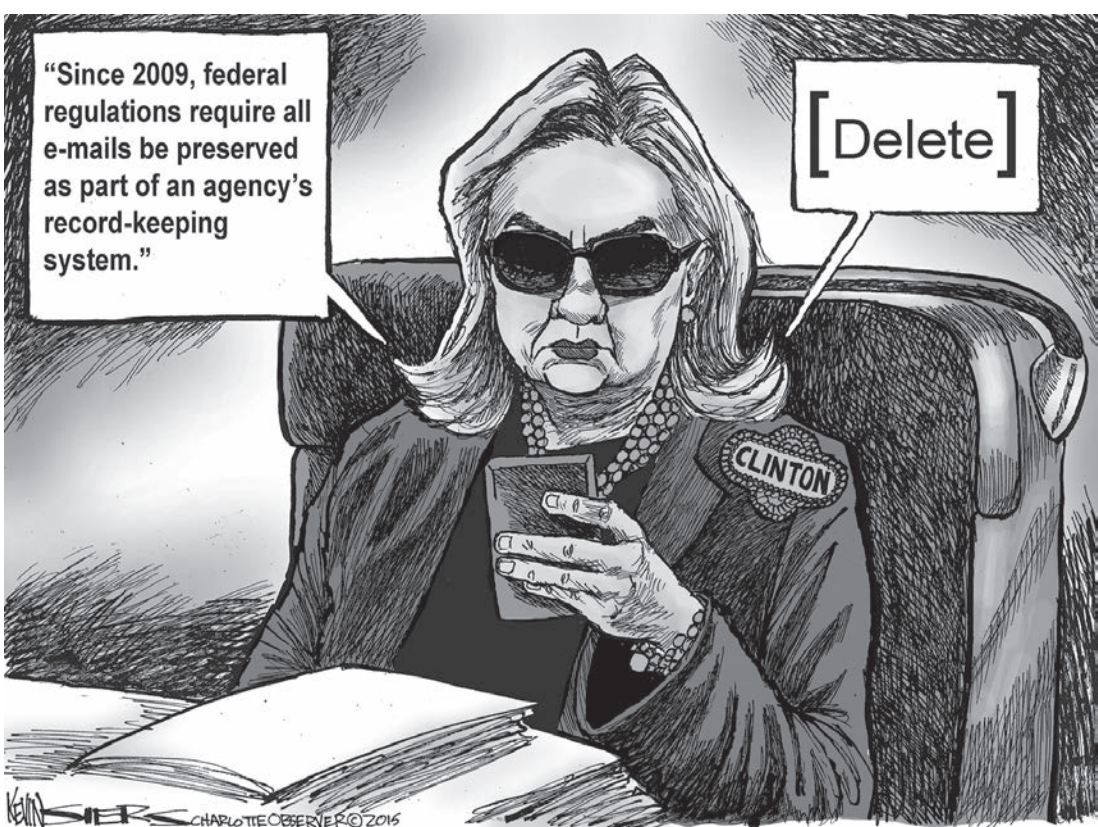
have in its donations totaling at least \$1.4 million to the KU School of Business. The students' records request for any restrictions on Koch funding was approved by the university—but with a price tag of \$1,800. (Read: if a public document must be made available, make the cost of obtaining it prohibitive.)

So, what does secrecy in government mean to us as citizens? Last year, legislators needed only to hear from a Leawood couple to learn what a travesty secret records could unleash. That case involved an innocent family whose personal nightmare began when a totally unfounded drug raid was promulgated on their suburban Johnson County home. Despite the horrors of the morning raid, to the couple's dismay, they found that the information on which the bogus raid was based was secret per a 1979 law. Though the record detailing probable cause, or in this case, lack of probable cause for the search, could have been opened, it was kept secret.

Given the baseless grounds for the drug raid in the first place, it is unsurprising that someone wanted to keep the family in the dark to protect an exposed backside—or several. Thanks to efforts by the couple and other proponents of open government, the affidavit for the search warrant eventually was opened to the couple, and legislation opening future affidavits in search and arrests has been enacted to bring a little additional sunshine into Kansas government.

Kansans fear and mistrust the unknown. We must, in fact and in deed, let the sunshine in!

Ron Keefover retired last year as public information officer for the Kansas Court System. He is president of the Kansas Sunshine Coalition for Open Government.



Clinton's public secrets

NATIONAL COMMENTARY

"The cover-up often is worse than the crime." How many times have we heard variations of that quote? Usually, it's trotted out in the context of a political scandal, one that wouldn't really be a scandal if the principal had just gotten past an obsession with secrecy so severe that he or she acted suspiciously.

In this case, it's a "she" we're talking about, Hillary Clinton, who repeatedly gets entangled in her fetish for privacy. It's impossible when living such a high-profile life, with all the attendant perks, financed by the taxpayers.

She is about to embark on that most public endeavor, running for president, trying to get elected to enter the White House bubble. Of course, she's been in the fishbowl before, as "wife of," and never could get used to the idea that her life, to a large degree, belonged to everyone.

That's what makes the matter of her conducting business as secretary of state on a camouflaged, private email account such a big story. It's true, as her enforcers have fanned out to argue, that others have done the same thing -- Secretary of State Colin Powell, for example. And there is no real evidence that her behind-the-cloak communications were hiding anything improper or illegal. But we don't really



BOB FRANKEN, King Features Syndicate

know. We can only suspect. She makes it so easy. Her problem is that this clandestine approach is nothing new. As someone who covered all the Clinton scandals, and even nonscandals like Whitewater, I got used to the daily parsing of words to try to avoid simply coming out and dealing with the embarrassment of the moment. The nearly covert way that Hillary conducted the effort to reform health care ultimately had a lot to do with the final plan going down in flames.

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The return of the Clinton scandals

NATIONAL COMMENTARY



RICH LOWRY, King Features Syndicate

The grim forced march to a Hillary Clinton coronation just got a little grimmer. The Hillary email scandal -- on top of the revelation of continuing foreign donations to the Clinton Foundation while she was secretary of state -- is a nice reminder for Democrats about what they are signing up for.

The Clinton Restoration will require routinely defending the indefensible. It will require recalibrating all legal and ethical standards to suit the personal and financial interests of the Clintons. It will require a willingness to use these phrases with a shameless abandon: "old news," "everybody does it" and "not technically illegal."

Usually the advantage of having been around national politics forever is that there are no surprises lurking in the background. But what should be the most vetted couple in the world always needs just a little more vetting.

The Clintons come from the Frank Underwood school of politics. What unites Bill's roguish charm and Hillary's relentless determination is an eye for the main chance, with adherence to the rules optional.

Hillary Clinton's self-serving email arrangement is not the worst example, but it is textbook. Pretty much anyone in government knew that if you used your private account for official business, you had to copy your government account for record-keeping purposes. But Hillary didn't even have a government account.

For this to have been an innocent oversight, we'd have to believe that Hillary -- intimately familiar with the workings of government since at least 1979, when Bill became governor of Arkansas, and with the federal government since at least 1993 -- didn't know how government email worked.

And that she happened to set up her own private email account with a server in her own house, registered under a pseudonym, in a fit of technological absent-mindedness.

As The Associated Press notes, homemade servers are inferior to professional facilities that "provide monitoring for viruses or hacking attempts, regulated temperatures, off-site backups, generators in case of power outages, fire-suppression systems and redundant com-

munications lines."

All of these were mere details compared with the one overwhelming advantage of her own server that clearly trumped every other consideration: "impressive control over limiting access to her message archives," in the words of the AP.

Recently, Clinton turned over to the State Department 55,000 pages of emails, and now she says she wants them released. But it is her flunkies who decided what to give the department. This is transparency Clinton-style.

The defense from Clinton world has been that everyone conducts official business on private email, so what's the big deal? But her predecessor, Condoleezza Rice, and her successor, John Kerry, both managed to use government accounts.

The legal debate is now whether she merely violated the spirit of the law or actually broke it, the perpetual question with the Clintons.

If Democrats have liked what they've seen from Hillary the past couple of weeks, they should relish the prospect of the next two years, when any revelation can instantly put them back in Clinton scandal-defense mode. This is the future they are choosing, apparently without even bothering to consider an alternative with less baggage or higher standards.

Rich Lowry is editor of the National Review.

School finance, taxes dominate Statehouse

STATE COMMENTARY



MARTIN HAWVER, At The Rail

Well, it's fast-and-furious at the Statehouse, with financing of public schools mesmerizing most of the legislators and hangers-on who either have an interest in public schools or are wondering what happens to the issues they care about while the school issue boils.

The school issue? How does the state distribute the roughly \$3 billion a year for the next two years that Gov. Sam Brownback proposes to spend (or more, apparently, if a court demands it) to help finance schools? Is that enough money to finance the public schools "adequately" as the Kansas Constitution calls for?

That's the big fight, but there's another one waiting to enter the ring: Taxes.

While whatever happens with school finance plays out, remember that the Legislature can't clock out and go home until it has adopted a balanced budget.

That balanced budget is sure to require more taxes—even the governor proposed raising taxes (on cigarettes and liquor) to make his budget pencil out—and when the school business is finally settled, it's still going to take more taxes to make things balance.

Surprisingly, the conservative school finance talking point that seems to be the most popular is that the 23-year-old school finance formula is "complicated." Maybe "complicated" is a tragic flaw in the current formula, which if fully funded would require a boost of state spending on K-12. But then, cell phones are "complicated" and nobody's tossing them aside in favor of simpler-to-un-

derstand black dial telephones.

So, whether it sticks or not, lawmakers may this week have a number to plug into the budget for K-12, and so far both House and Senate budget committees have tentatively adopted most of the rest of the spending recommendations of the governor—which remember, require increased revenues. Oh, the Statehouse crowd tends to use the phrase "revenue enhancement." Regular people say "taxes."

At this point, while the budget folks are assembling this week their Mega appropriations bill which will determine how much the state will spend in the next two fiscal years, the tax mavens are assembling options to finance that budget.

There is a lot on the table. There's a bill to eliminate that first \$20,000 of value of your home from the state's 20-mill school levy

which is worth \$47 per homeowner, to putting the sales tax back on your utility bills, worth more than \$140 million. And, of course, those cigarette and liquor tax increases which few around the Statehouse take seriously.

Mess with income taxes? That's more complicated. Remember, those 190,000 Kansas businesses that we thought were not paying Kansas income taxes due to the 2012/13 tax breaks? That number is now more than 300,000. And boost their taxes to more than zero and you are singling them out, aren't you?

There's no way to know, because it isn't one of those check-offs on the income tax form, but there is a suspicion that most of those now-300,000-plus Kansans who don't pay state income taxes...just might be registered Republicans, who are wondering about who to support in 2016.

Now, if there was just a way to check in with that non-income tax crowd—by party affiliation—to see whether they are a little embarrassed by their status and might not mind a little...just a little...income tax liability. H'mmm.

We'll see whether the tax committees have made their own assessment of the politics of tax increases that focuses on folks who aren't now taxpayers. Won't we?

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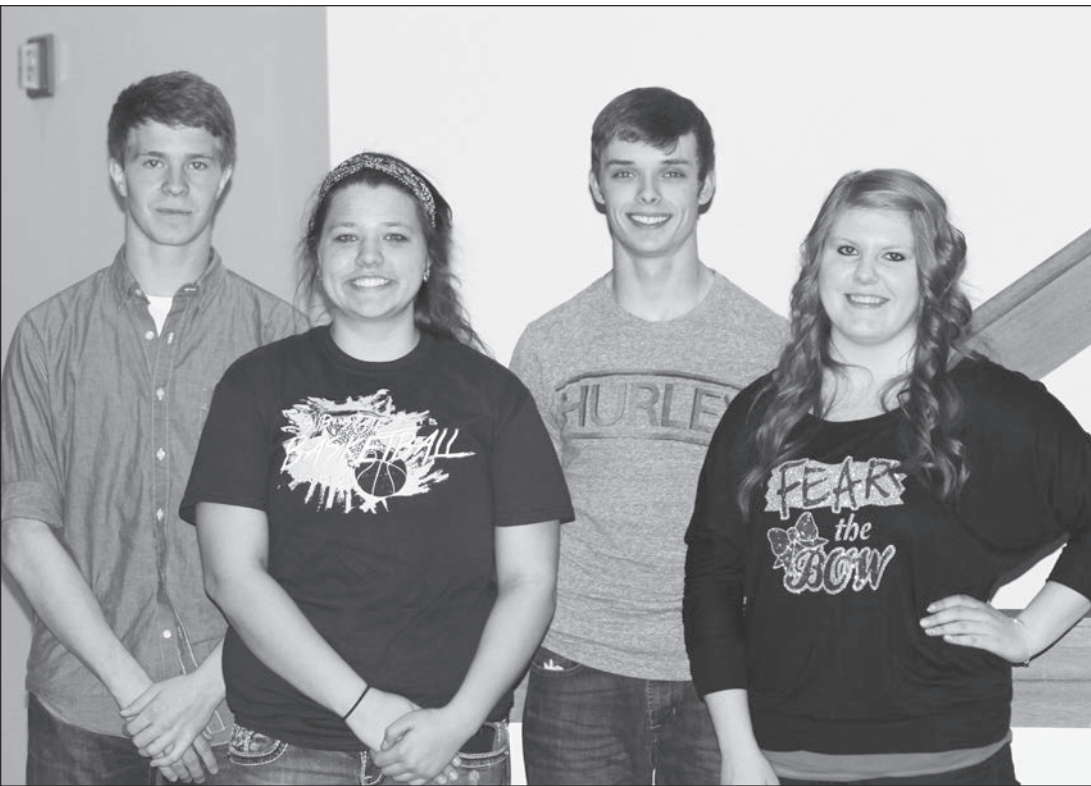
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Bulldog Booster Club Winter Sports Awards Night was Tuesday, March 10th. Athletes in boys and girls basketball, cheer, wrestling and dance were recognized for their achievements during the 2014-15 season. Pictured above (l to r) are the Bulldog Player of the Year recipients as voted on by their peers: Asa Young- wrestling, Samantha McCullough- girls basketball, Mason Skiles- boys basketball, Tavia Wittman- cheerleading, and Katelyn Alley- dance team (not pictured). The Student Athlete Awards went to Asa Young and Samantha McCullough and the Ray Meyer Award went to senior basketball player, Josh Potter.

Momentary pleasure or eternal life?

In 1st John 3:2 the Apostle John says. "The reason why the world does not know us is that it did not know him." From the time Jesus read from the scroll of the prophet Isaiah in his home town of Nazareth, concerning the fulfillment of that prophecy, through his trial and crucifixion the religious establishment and the majority of the general population failed to recognize him for who he was, God incarnate.

He was called a prophet or a great teacher but to most he was not recognized as the Messiah. Had Jesus delayed this coming until the current generation I doubt that most people perception would be any different than it was in the first century. He could have had a large following no doubt. People love to follow successful and popular individuals. His miracles and deep teaching would have interested the mass

WEEKLY DEVOTIONAL By David Bilderback

media and intellectual thinkers. But in the end when he began to issue harsh rebukes and difficult teaching his following would dwindle just as it did in that day. On hearing it (the teaching) many of his disciples said, "This is hard teaching. Who can accept it?" (John 6:60)

These were disciples who took offense at Jesus' words, refused to listen to Jesus explanations and were unwilling to accept the message of salvation by grace. This is a crucial point in this gospel. Many of the disciples together with the crowds rejected Christ in unbelief.

Jesus then asks the twelve a question. "Do you want to go

away as well?" Jesus' question brings forth Peter's great confession. "Lord to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life and we have believed, and have come to know you are the Holy One of God." (John 7:68-69)

Peter's confession gets to the heart of the earlier statement, "The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him." People do not want to believe and therefore they cannot worship God. That is the reason there is such a great chasm or gulf between God and man. God requires our worship. There is only one way to bridge this gulf and that is through a personal relationship with Jesus Christ. The world can provide momentary pleasures but God can provide eternal life.

David Bilderback: A Ministry on the Holiness of God.

Friends of Prairie Spirit trail meet

Friends of the Prairie Spirit Rail Trail met at 7:00 P.M. on March 11, 2015 at the Garnett Public Library. Twenty-four members were present.

Discussion was held on the March 25, 2015 Birthday Bash that will take place at the Garnett Community Building. The silent auction will begin at 6:00 P.M. and the dinner will be served at 6:30 P.M. Tickets are \$10.00 a piece and anyone is welcome to attend the event. Tickets can be purchased from any trail member or at the door that evening.

Members voted to participate in the April 25, 2015 Healing For Health Walk sponsored by the Anderson County Hospital Foundation. Members voted Jerry Showalter as their team honoree. Jerry has been a big supporter of the Prairie Spirit Rail Trail helping with projects the past few years.

Trail items will continue to be displayed at the Chamber of Commerce office.

President Bill Ratliff announced there will be a trail open house at the Ottawa Depot

April 25, 2015. Prairie Spirit Rail Trail, Flint Hills Trail and Southwinds Trail will be represented.

The next regular meeting of the Prairie Spirit Rail Trail will be April 8, 2015 in the Archer Room at the Garnett Public Library at 7:00 P.M.

Membership is open to anyone who is interested in trail projects and community projects. Membership is \$10.00 per person a year. Contact Ruth Theis if interested in joining the group.

Duplicate bridge played

Peggy and Charles Carlson of Savonburg won the duplicate bridge match March 11 in Garnett. Faye and Dave Leitch of Garnett came in second. Anita Dennis of Garnett and

Steve Brodmerkle of Neosho Falls were in third place.

The Garnett Duplicate Bridge Club plays each Wednesday at 1 p.m. at the Garnett Inn; all bridge players are welcome.

Kempknich hosts JJJ Club

The JJJ Club met March 11 with Clarann Kempknich. Seven members were present. Minutes of the last meeting were read and roll call was answered.

Cards were played with Irene Wittman receiving high,

Sharon Miller the second high and Darlene Thompson low.

Refreshments of angel food cake with cherry topping, ice cream and coffee were served.

Next meeting is April 8 with Sharon Miller.

Greeley Senior Citizens meet

The Greeley Senior Citizens met Wednesday, March 11, at the United Methodist Hall for a carry-in dinner at noon with nine attending.

Happy Birthday was sung to Richard Rommelfanger and

Dorothy Lickteig.

Greeley Garage Sale date is set for April 25. Bingo was played with 18 prizes won.

The next meeting will be April 8. All senior citizens are welcome.

Cigar box manufactured in Florida

For any of you who collect small advertising tin boxes, isn't this a nifty little box? This one actually belongs to my wife Kay. We really don't know for sure how old it is or who it originally belonged to. What we do know is, it was given to Kay by her Grandmother Oretta Fox and was full of her sewing supplies.

As you can plainly see the top of this little tin can reveals its contents: LA RESTA CIGARS.

On the bottom is printed: "Factory 110 Dist. Of Florida Notice: The Manufactures of the cigars. Herein, contained, have complied with all the requirements of the law. Every person is cautioned not to use either this can for cigars again, or the stamp there on again, nor to remove the contents of this can without destroying said stamp under the penalties provided by law in such cases."

One end of the can, printed in large letters is the word "MILD" and on the other end it reads: the cigars herein contained were manufactured to retail at more than 5 cents each and not more than 8 cents each and are so tax paid.

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the Ybor City Historic District in Tampa, Florida. It was founded as an independent town in 1885 by a group of cigar manufacturers led by Vicente Martinez Ybor and was annexed by Tampa in 1887. The original population was mostly composed of Cuban and Spanish immigrants who worked in the cigar factories.



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This little tin box reads "La Resta Cigars." It was manufactured in Florida in an area mostly composed of Cuban and Spanish immigrants who worked in the cigar factories.

1985: Article recalls Houdini seance

March 15, 2005

City officials likely will ask for a 1/2 mill increase in the city's sales tax in coming months in order to make up for a steady reduction in revenues over the past three years, but the local business that accounts for some 34 percent of the county's sales tax collections says he'll stand against the increase. The loss of revenue from investments and state demand transfers has been an issue in the city budget for the past three years, as officials continue to have to dip into what was once some \$800,000 in city cash reserves in order to make the city's ends meet without a tax increase. But those reserves total only about \$200,000 now.

March 20, 1995

Two men who escaped from Anderson County Jail in Garnett last week and the jailer who is charged with helping them have been arrested in Arkansas and are awaiting extradition proceedings. The jailer is thought to have accompanied the two men to Little Rock and may have been staying in the same house as the escaped convicts. All three men are charged with aggravated escape in Garnett. The jailer's relatives in Westphalia do not believe he would have assisted in the escape. Sheriff David

THAT WAS THEN



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March 8-10 was apprehended in Johnson county Thursday, March 14. The suspect was arrested when he tried to withdraw money from a bank account established with checks that were allegedly stolen from Nolan Grain Inc., Westphalia.

The Great Houdini appeared in Garnett on Nov. 26, 1897, according to the Garnett Journal. From extract records concerning Houdini's visit, it is clear that he had signed up with Dr. Hill's traveling medicine show after losing \$60,000 in a crap game in Milwaukee and joined the traveling show at a salary of \$25 per week (which in those days wasn't bad pay, either). Velma West Sykes, Fort Collins, Colo., who had done research into the part of Houdini's life that involved spiritualism and seances, supplied information concerning his visit to Garnett. "Houdini, the famous escape artist, carried on a crusade in his last years against fake mediums. Yet during his early career, he himself gave a seance - a sensational one - in Garnett. Later he wrote an abject apology to a bereaved father to whom he had given a supposed message from his recently buried son." Old residents of Garnett still recall that seance.

Vaughan has not released information about evidence that points to the jailer's involvement in the escape.

More than 7,000 real estate valuation notices went out Thursday and right about now, most county residents should be getting them in the mail. Anderson County Appraiser Gary Stapp is expecting more than a few complaints. He said last week that valuations have increased dramatically in the past year. Countywide, 56 percent of parcels have increased in value over 1994. Only 5 percent decreased in valuation and 39 percent stayed the same. Erratic sales data and limited commercial construction cost data did not allow the appraiser's department to identify trends in commercial property values in 1992, 1993 and 1994.

March 18, 1985

A suspect in the Westphalia burglary over the weekend of

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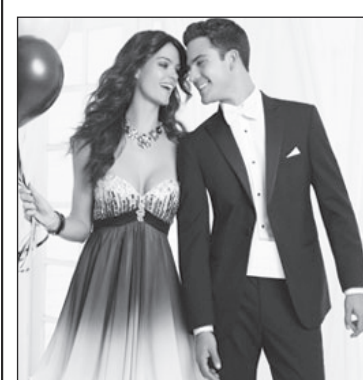
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Notice to control weeds

(First published in The Anderson County Review, Tuesday, March 3, 2015)

GENERAL NOTICE TO CONTROL NOXIOUS WEEDS

The Kansas Noxious Weed Law K.S.A. 2-1314 et seq requires all persons who own or supervise land in Kansas to control and eradicate all weeds declared noxious by legislative action. The weeds declared noxious are: Field Bindweed, Musk Thistle, Sericea Lespedeza, Johnson Grass, Bur Ragweed, Canada Thistle, Leafy Spurge, Hoary Cress, Quack Grass, Russian Knapweed, Kudzu and Pignut.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Kansas Noxious Weed Law to every person who owns or supervises land in Anderson County that noxious weeds growing or found on such land shall be controlled and eradicated. Control is defined as preventing the production of viable seed and the vegetative spread of the plant. Failure to observe this notice may result in the County:

1: Serving a legal notice requiring control of the noxious weeds within a minimum of five days. Failure to control the noxious weeds

within the time period allowed may result in the county treating the noxious weed at the landowners expense and placing a lien on the property if the bill is not paid within 30 days.

2: Filing criminal charges for non-compliance. Conviction for non-compliance may result in a fine of \$100 per day of non-compliance with a maximum fine of \$1500.

The public is also hereby notified that it is a violation of the Kansas Noxious Weed Law to barter, sell or give away infested nursery stock or livestock feed unless the feed is fed on the farm where grown or sold to a commercial processor that will destroy the viability of the noxious weed seed. Custom harvesting machines must be labeled with a label provided by the Kansas Dept. of Agriculture and must be free of all weed seed and litter when entering the State and when leaving a field infested with noxious weed. Additional information may be obtained from the Anderson County Noxious Weed Department or by contacting the Kansas Dept. of Agriculture, 109 SW 9th, Topeka, KS 66612

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Notice to settle Phillips estate

(First published in The Anderson County Review, Tuesday, March 10, 2015)

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF ANDERSON COUNTY, KANSAS

In the Matter of the Estate of

VERA R. PHILLIPS

Deceased

Case No. 15PR5

NOTICE OF HEARING

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in this court by Melvin Phillips and Goldana Shrum, heirs at law of Vera R. Phillips, deceased, praying that descent be determined of decedent's interest in certain Anderson County, Kansas, real estate particularly described in said petition and of all other Kansas real estate and all personal property

wheresoever situated, owned by the decedent at the time of her death and that the estate be assigned in accordance with the laws of intestate succession.

You are required to file your written defenses thereto on or before the 1st day of April, 2015, at 9:00 a.m. in the District Court, Garnett, Anderson County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the petition.

MELVIN PHILLIPS
GOLDANA SHRUM
Petitioners

Terry J. Solander
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Attorney for Petitioners
mr1013

Notice to rezone ag land

(First published in the Anderson County Review on March 17, 2015)

RESOLUTION No. 2015,0309:01

A RESOLUTION APPROVING ZONE CHANGE APPLICATION #ZC2014-06 (RIFFEY) TO REZONE 6.57 ACRES FROM "A-1" AGRICULTURE DISTRICT TO "R-E" RESIDENTIAL ESTATE DISTRICT.

WHEREAS, Anderson County, Kansas is a county municipal government with the authority to adopt zoning regulations and create zoning district boundaries as provided in Section 15-753 K.S.A.; and

WHEREAS, the County did adopt Resolution NO. 00, 0911.1 in September 2000, establishing zoning regulations for the unincorporated areas of Anderson County; and

WHEREAS, the Anderson County Planning Commission did hold a Public hearing on January 19, 2015 to consider Zone Change Application #ZC2014-06 (Riffey) to rezone 6.57 acres from "A-1" Agriculture District to "R-E" Residential Estate District.

WHEREAS, the Planning Commission, after reviewing and considering all written and oral testimony, did unanimously approve said zone change request, and recommends that the Board of County Commissioners adopt Zone Change Application #ZC2014-06 (Riffey); and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners, after duly reviewing the recommendation of the Planning Commission and considering all comments for and against said zone change, finds that the rezoning of 6.57-acres from "A-1" Agriculture District to "R-E" Residential Estate District in substantial compliance with the intent of the County

Comprehensive Plan and the public interest.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Anderson County Board of County Commissioners does hereby approve Zone Change Application #ZC2014-06 (Riffey), said property is located in Section 33, Township 20 South, Range 18 East of the Sixth Principal Meridian, Anderson County, Kansas.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 9TH DAY OF MARCH, 2015.

This action shall take effect upon publication in the official County newspaper.

/s/ Jerry Howarter, Chairman
/s/ Eugene Hightberger, Commissioner
/s/ Leslie D. McGhee, Commissioner
ATTEST:
/s/ Phyllis Gettler, Clerk
mr1711

Notice of city/school elections April 7

(First published in the Anderson County Review on March 17, 2015)

NOTICE OF GENERAL CITY/SCHOOL ELECTION

I, The undersigned County Clerk of the County of Anderson, give notice that on April 7, 2015, from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. a general election will be held, and in accordance with the provisions of K.S.A. 25-2018(e). Following are the candidates for the various offices:

USD #365
Position #1
(Vote for one or less)
Gaylene Comfort, Westphalia

Position #2
(Vote for one or less)
Gary Teel, Garnett

Position #3
(Vote for one or less)
Dwight Nelson, Garnett

Position #7
(Vote for one or less)
Cleon Rickel, Garnett

USD #479
Position #1
(Vote for one or less)
Pamela Adams, Kincaid
Frank Stewart, Kincaid

Position #2
(Vote for one or less)
Tadd R. Goodell, Colony

Position #3
(Vote for one or less)
David C. Milner, Welda
Richard Webber, Colony

Position #7
(Vote for one or less)
Terry Ellis, Colony
A. Scott Hendrix, Colony

USD #287
Position #1
(Vote for one or less)
Curtis Altic, Pomona

Position #2
(Vote for one or less)
Blaine Flory, Pomona
Jacqueline Robbins, Pomona

Position #3
(Vote for one or less)
Tim C. Matthias, Pomona
Brian D. Haner, Ottawa
James Moyer, Williamsburg

Position #4 (Unexpired Term)
Ryan Sink, Ottawa
Brad Hubin, Pomona

Position #7
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Rusty Ecord, Pomona
Sherry Fritts-Harris, Ottawa

GARNETT CITY
FOR COMMISSIONER
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Preston Peine, Garnett

COLONY CITY
FOR MAYOR
(Vote for one or less)
Melissa Hobbs, Colony

COLONY CITY
FOR COUNCILMEMBER
(Vote for three or less)
Debra J. Oswald, Colony
Audrey Silvey, Jr. (AJ), Colony

Donna Westerman, Colony

GREELEY CITY
FOR MAYOR
(Vote for one or less)

GREELEY CITY
FOR COUNCILMEMBER
(Vote for five or less)

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FOR MAYOR
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Brandon Gates, Kincaid

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Darlene Stewart, Kincaid
Joan Stoneking, Kincaid
Carolyn Whitcomb, Kincaid

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FOR MAYOR
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LONE ELM CITY
FOR COUNCILMEMBER
(Vote for five or less)

WESTPHALIA CITY
FOR MAYOR
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Merlin Carpenter, Westphalia

WESTPHALIA CITY
FOR COUNCILMEMBER
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Carol Mechnig, Westphalia

James Nolan, Westphalia
Ryan Tastove, Westphalia

FRONTIER EXTENSION DISTRICT #11
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Karen Gillespie, Colony
Nancy Horn, Garnett

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North Lake Park, Garnett
Garnett City-Precinct II, Community Building,
North Lake Park, Garnett
Garnett City-Precinct III, Anderson County
Annex, Garnett
Garnett City-Precinct IV, Anderson County
Annex, Garnett
Indian Creek Township, Colony City Hall,
Colony
Jackson Township, Community Building, North
Lake Park, Garnett
Lincoln Township, Welda Community Building,
Welda
Lone Elm Township, Selma/Kincaid United
Methodist Church, Kincaid
Monroe Township, Community Building, North
Lake Park
Ozark Township, Colony City Hall, Colony
Putnam Township, St. John's Hall, Greeley
Reeder Township, St. Teresa's Church,
Westphalia
Rich Township, Selma/Kincaid United
Methodist Church, Kincaid
Walker Township, St. John's Hall, Greeley
Washington Township, Welda Community
Building, Welda
Welda Township, Welda Community Building,
Welda
Westphalia Township, St. Teresa's Church,
Westphalia

WITNESS, my hand and official seal of
office this 26th day of February, 2015.

Phyllis Gettler
Anderson County Election Officer
mr1713

Notice to rezone ag land

(First published in the Anderson County Review on March 17, 2015)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Anderson County Planning Commission will hold a Public Hearing on April 20, 2015 at 7:00 P.M. in the Anderson County Annex, 409 South Oak, Garnett, Kansas to consider:

Zone Change application #ZC2015-02 (Walter) to rezone approximately 20 acres from "A-1" Agriculture District to "A-2" Transitional Agriculture District. Said property is described as follows:

The North Half (N/2) of the Northeast

Quarter (NE/4) of the Northeast Quarter (NE/4) of Section Twenty-eight (28), Township Twenty-one (21) South, Range Nineteen (19) East of the Sixth Principal Meridian, Anderson County, Kansas.

Any person concerned with this request may attend the public hearing or submit written comments, opposed or in support, to the Planning Commission. The Planning Commission may continue this hearing date to a future date, if necessary, without further notice.

/s/ Michelle D. Miller
Planning & Zoning Deputy Director
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Colony/Crest Alumni banquet set for May 23

Froggatte 50th anniversary

Calendar

March 17-St. Patrick's Day, Library Board meeting, City Hall, 5:30 p.m.; 18-Lions Club, United Methodist Church basement, 7 p.m.; 19-County bus to Iola, phone 24 hrs. before you need a ride 785-448-4410 any weekday; 23-City Council meeting, City Hall community room, 7 p.m.

School Calendar

16-20-Spring Break; 23-middle school Scholars Bowl at Pleasanton, 4 p.m.; Parent Teachers organization (PTO) Crest Elementary Library, 7 p.m.

Meal Site

18-Birthday Day meal-chicken fried breast, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, roll, cake and ice cream; 20-salmon patty, macaroni and cheese, lima beans, bread, jello with fruit; 23-turkey salad, broccoli and cheese soup, bun, cookie. Phone 620-852-3450 for meal reservations.

Christian Church

Scripture presented at the March 8 morning service was "Song of Songs 1". Pastor Mark McCoy presented the sermon "The Song—Deepening Desire". March 15-VBS meeting at 2 p.m. at the Community Church; April 3-Good Friday services at the Methodist Church.

Northcott Church

The fellowship luncheon followed by a board meeting was held March 1. March 26 Northcott Women of Faith & Men's Meetings 6:30 p.m. The food menu is a casserole. Kylie Moon had a birthday March 2 and March 23 is Piper Moon's birthday. Bible Study all Sundays-9:28 a.m. and Worship, 10:28 a.m., Bible Study 6:28 p.m. all Wednesday evenings.

UMC

Scripture presented at the March 8 service was Psalm 19 1-10, Exodus 20:1-

COLONY NEWS



Mrs. Morris Luedke
Contact (620) 852-3379 or colonynews@ckt.net with Colony news.

17, 1 Corinthians 1:18-25 and John 2:13-22. Pastor Dorothy Welch presented the sermon, Foolishness Sometimes Requires Drastic Measures.

UMW

Pastor Dorothy Welch read from her daily devotions at the March 5 meeting. April Sanders will serve at the April lesson leader. The March UMW Challenge is Sowing Seeds of Faith for Camp Chippewa. The April Challenge is Wesley House at Pittsburg.

Community Baby Shower

A Community Baby Shower will be held Sunday, March 22 at 2 p.m. at the City Hall community room for Ed Miller and Tanya Church. They are expecting a girl. They are registered at Amazon.com, Target and Walmart. Please bring a book with a note to the parents.

Colony/Crest Alumni

Officers met Saturday to plan this year's Colony/Crest alumni. The Colony/Crest Alumni banquet and meeting will be held Saturday, May 23, 2105 at the Crest Auditorium in Colony.

Doors will open at 5:30 p.m. Following registration and opening meeting remarks the catered meal will be served at 7 p.m. They are (desperately) in need of officers for 2016 if we want to continue to have alumni meetings. If you are willing to serve as an officer (or help in any capacity) please contact

colony.crest.alumni@gmail.com, Linda Hess (620-947-1627), president or Arvin Clemans (620-496-8667) treasurer.

Fire Dept.

Russ and Randy Bunnel brought the Welda air truck from the Welda Fire Dept. at the March 4 meeting for SCBA (self-contained breathing apparatus) training. Each fireman was tested and timed effectively and appropriately on applying gear.

Colony has four new fire members: Rick Cerruti, Blake Boone, Logan Boone and Crystal Lyda.

Citizens are advised to change their batteries in smoke detectors if they did not do so when the time was changed to daylight savings time. They have trained storm spotters also. Severe weather season is approaching so they ask you to be aware of weather conditions. Have a plan in place with your family in case of severe weather. Prepare to go to nearest shelter when you hear the alarm or come to the storm shelter at the fire station on Pine Street. Ring the doorbell on northern most door on east side of building for entry and someone will let you in.

City Council

At the Jan. 28 meeting it was reported the city would be putting asphalt on streets in March and April, three different tests have been done and acid level is back down in the water and new bleachers are in parks.

A water bill hearing was held and council agreed to remove shutoff fee and deposit, leaving an amount that is left afterward. The church copy fee will continue as has been, G.A.A. P. waiver for 2014 carried, Quick books training for city clerk's hotel cost for one night and food costs were paid, agreed to

pay food costs for employees that will attend the Kansas Rural Water Association (KRWA) 2015, and March date changed for next council meeting is Monday, March 23.

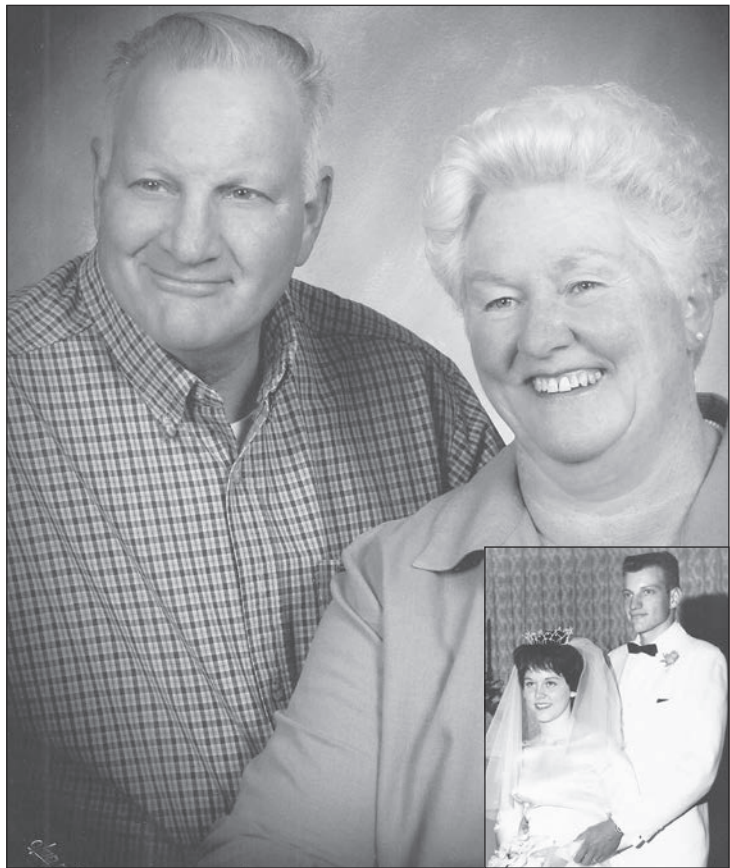
Lions Club

The Feb. 18 meeting was conducted by Kenton King, president. The UMW served the fine meal. Twelve members answered roll call and guest Lion Terry Weldin, Zone Chairman, attended.

The Lions for Lancers presented a donation of \$485 on Feb. 24 to Crest Elementary School to help pay for a "Reading Eggs" program for district first and second graders. The Biggest Loser Weigh-In was scheduled for March 2 at the Fitness Center in Garnett. The weigh-ins will be between 5 and 7 p.m.

It was voted to have the eye testing machine at the annual pancake/chili and soup feed which will be held March 14 at the City Hall community room from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Friday, March 13 members will meet at the City Hall at 3 p.m. to setup for the annual event. Colony and Kincaid Lions held their annual chili and soup supper at Kincaid on March 4. Colony made the soup and Kincaid the chili. Another contribution from the Wayne Luedke memorial fund was received.

Lion Weldin spoke about the new eye testing machine the Lions are using. The cost is about \$7,000 per machine. He asked for each club to make a donation to purchase and it was unanimously voted to do so. The donation will be the largest donation to date towards the purchase. The drawing for the gun was held. Josh Sirota won the Savage Model 11 rifle. Next regular meeting will be March 18.



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Steve and Sherry Froggatte are celebrating their 50th anniversary Saturday, March 28, 2015.

They were married March 28, 1965 at Ruhamah Baptist Church in Rantoul, Kansas.

There will be an open house at their home, 3582 John Brown

Road, Princeton, from 1 to 4 pm on Saturday, March 28.

They have three children: Jodi (Jeff) White, Princeton, Jared (Wendy) Froggatte, Iola, and Jana Reeves, Auburn.

They own and operate S F Farms Inc., in Princeton.

Vining 80th birthday



Gene Vining is pictured with his 1941 JDH tractor.

Friends are invited to help Cecil Gene Vining celebrate his 80th birthday Saturday, March 28, from 2-4 p.m. at the United Methodist Church Richmond.

He was born March 25, 1935, just south of the Douglas-Franklin County line but the family moved to

rural Richmond when he was four years old.

He's shown here on a 1941 John Deere H, like the first tractor the family had when he was 10 years old.

No gifts, please.

Cards may be sent to 3353 Cloud Road, Richmond KS 66080.

Trail Friends to celebrate 19th anniversary

The 19th annual trail celebration dinner hosted by the Friends of the Prairie Spirit Trail will be held Wednesday, March 25th at the Community Building in Garnett's North Lake Park.

The "birthday bash", as the Friends of the Prairie Spirit Trail refers to it, will begin with a silent auction at 6 p.m., followed by a buffet meal at 6:30 p.m. Guest speakers will give updates on trail projects and upcoming Friends activities.

Tickets are on sale now at Garnett City Hall. Tickets are a suggested \$10 donation. Tickets will also be available at the door. The buffet dinner includes smoked brisket, scalloped potatoes, a variety of salads and a surprise dessert.

PLACE YOUR BID: Bid on silent auction items, including a variety of gift baskets and must-haves. This celebration

is the annual fundraiser for the Friends of the Prairie Spirit Trail, with proceeds used to provide trail enhancements such as shelters, benches, trash receptacles, landscaping, signage and volunteer projects along the trail, and trail promotional activities.

FUN FACTS:

- March 30, 1996 - Official Opening Day of Welda to Richmond (Phase I) of the Prairie Spirit Trail;
- September 1, 1998 - Phase II, Richmond to Ottawa opens for public use;
- Summer 2008 - Phase III adds the communities of Colony, Carlyle and Iola, and stretches the trail to more than 51 miles;
- May 28, 2010 - Kansas governor officially declares the Prairie Spirit Rail Trail a state park;
- 2013: volunteers have cre-

ated an extension of the Prairie Spirit from Iola to Humboldt called the Southwind Trail.

• Today, efforts continue to support linking the Prairie Spirit to the Flint Hills Nature Trail (Osawatomie to Herington) that intersects the Prairie Spirit at Ottawa, thus providing trail enthusiasts a continual connection of trails throughout Kansas, bringing visitors and potential new res-

idents to the area and promoting a healthy, active lifestyle for the communities along the Kansas trail system.

We invite you to celebrate the past and the future of the Prairie Spirit Rail Trail with us on Wednesday, March 25th. For more information please visit www.BikePrairieSpirit.com or join the "Prairie Spirit Rail Bike Trail" group page on Facebook.



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ACHS cheerleaders participated in the Elite Cheerleading Competition at Baldwin High school Feb. 14. Pictured, front row from left: Jasmine White, Kori Pitts, Tavia Wittman (Co-Captain), Adriann Garbarino, Bailey Whitcomb (Co-Captain), and McKenzi Huettenmueller, Back row: Samantha Nickell, Darcie Maley, Audrie Goode, Lexee Feuerborn, Maci Modlin, Tiffany Mills, Morgan Bachman, Ashley Kaufman, and Madison Martin.



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1st Small group performance L to R: Lexee Feuerborn, Jasmine White, Tavia Wittman, Adriann Garbarino, Tiffany Mills, and McKenzi Huettenmueller.



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2nd Small group performance L to R: Samantha Nickell, Audrie Goode, Jasmine White, Tavia Wittman, Adriann Garbarino, and Tiffany Mills.

ACHS cheerleaders compete

The Anderson County High School Cheerleaders attended their second Elite Cheerleading Competition at Baldwin High School on February 14th. They came home with a trophy, several medals and ribbons, and received 2 & 3 overall ratings. Tavia, Adriann, Jasmine, Tiffany, Lexee and McKenzi entered the "small group" stunt routine portion of the competition and received a 2 overall rating. Tavia, Adriann, Jasmine, Audrie, Samantha, and Tiffany also entered this portion of the competition with a second routine and received a 3 overall rating. The routines were choreographed by Tavia and were performed to cheer mixes of some of the girls' favorite songs.

This was the first year the ACHS Cheerleaders have competed in the Elite Competitions. The girls have worked very hard and really stepped

up and have been competitive at these competitions. Both competitions had 15 to 18 teams competing. There were schools from Topeka, Lawrence, Salina and Olathe to name a few. The girls held their own among these larger schools. I am so proud of all these girls have accomplished, their hard work and dedication has been amazing.

The girls will be performing one of their competition routines on March 12th at the 8:15 game in Topeka at the State Basketball Tournament. If you are in the area stop in and watch them.

This year's season is coming to a close, and now it is time for tryouts once again. The ACHS Cheerleading tryouts were March 10th, 11th, and 12th. The cheerleaders are coached by Trish Wittman.

BRUMMEL...

FROM PAGE 1A

coordinator for Elk County. In that position, she worked with businesses and promoted tourism, as well as provided fun activities. The goal was to build a foundation to encourage young people to pursue an education but return to Elk County to live and raise a family, according to a press release from the Garnett Chamber.

Later, Brummel worked for the City of Howard as deputy city clerk, where she brought

in grants for such projects as a courthouse roof and water line.

She has been actively involved with Southeast Kansas tourism and with the Kansas Sampler Festival. She also has experience maintaining city and county websites.

Brummel graduated from Oklahoma Panhandle State University with a bachelor's of science degree in agriculture business and economics.

She is the daughter of Roger and Donna Brummel of Garnett.

FRANKEN...

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So now we have a situation where she has told the world that she's willing to not stand in the way as the State Department publicly releases emails she turned over to the government. What we don't know is just what she turned over, or more importantly, what she didn't turn over, from her super-duper secret private accounts.

In fairness, let's stipulate that Hillary Clinton is not the only government official who believes that the public doesn't really have a right to know. Edward Snowden is sitting in Russian exile because he spilled the beans on massive programs in which the National Security Agency and our other spooks spy on us, their fellow

Americans, conduct that violates the entire tradition of our alleged right to privacy.

What is it about open government that these people don't understand? How do they determine that they can't be bound by the rules of a democracy that relies on an informed electorate? In the case of Hillary Clinton, the question is, Where does she get off routinely hiding our business from us?

She says she's learned some lessons from the failures of her last stab at the presidency, but has she? This time around - assuming there is another "this time around" -- she will need to demonstrate that she can avoid the cover-ups and let us in on her secrets. At least the ones that shouldn't be secrets.

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CALENDAR

- Tuesday, March 17**
- 9 a.m. - TOPS at Garnett Methodist Church basement, 2nd & Oak
 - Noon - Rotary International Club at Garnett Inn and Suites
- Wednesday, March 18**
- 1 p.m. - Garnett Duplicate Bridge at the Garnett Inn
 - 6 p.m. - Anderson County CloverPatch Kids Club for all 5 and 6 year olds, Community Building
 - 7 p.m. - Garnett Saddle Club at the Garnett Riding Arena
 - 7 p.m. - Colony Lions Club at Colony United Methodist Church
 - 7 p.m. - Kincaid Lions Club at Kincaid-Selma United Methodist Church
- Thursday, March 19**
- 5:30 p.m. - Garnett Business & Professional Women at Archer Room at Library
 - 6 p.m. - 13 Point Pitch and snacks at the Garnett Senior Center
 - 7:30 p.m. - Delphian Masonic Lodge No. 44
- Monday, March 23**
- 9 a.m. - Anderson County Commission at the Anderson County Annex
 - 6 p.m. - Friends of the Arts
 - 6:30 p.m. - Tigers (first grade) Den Cub Scouts and Wolves (second grade) Den Cub Scouts meeting
- Tuesday, March 24**
- 9 a.m. - TOPS at Garnett Methodist Church basement, 2nd & Oak
 - Noon - Rotary International Club, at Garnett Inn and Suites
 - 6 p.m. - City of Garnett at City Hall
 - 7 p.m. - Legion Blingo at VFW
- Wednesday, March 25**
- 6:30 p.m. - Garnett Optimist Club at Mr. D's Restaurant
 - 1 p.m. - Garnett Duplicate Bridge at the Garnett Inn
 - 7 p.m. - Garnett Saddle Club at the Garnett riding arena

Civil War Sesquicentennial event planned March 21

The Anderson County Historical Society commemorates the 150th anniversary of the Civil War conflict.

The Civil War began on April 12, 1861, at 4:30 a.m., when Confederate Gen. Pierre Beauregard opened fire with 50 cannons upon Fort Sumter in Charleston, S. Carolina.

On April 9, 1865, Gen. Robert E. Lee surrenders his Confederate Army to Gen. Ulysses S. Grant at the village of Appomattox courthouse in Virginia. In May, the remaining Confederate soldiers surrender. The nation is reunited as the Civil War ends. Over 620,000 Americans died in the war, with disease killing twice as many as those lost in battle. 50,000 survivors returned home as amputees.

Enjoy this "living history" event including a theatre performance of Lee and Grant at Appomattox on Saturday, March 21, from 10:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Anderson County Jr.-Sr. High School, 1100 W. Highway 31, Garnett.

Learn about the weapons and uniforms, and the history behind it all. We will then gather outside for a firing demonstration of Civil War weapons and cannon. Once the demonstration is over, tour at your leisure Civil War campsites on the premises and visit with re-enactment actors.

This event includes lunch provided by food vendors on site. The schedule of events is as follows:

- 10:00 a.m. - Program in high school auditorium. Theatre

performance: Lee and Grant at Appomattox

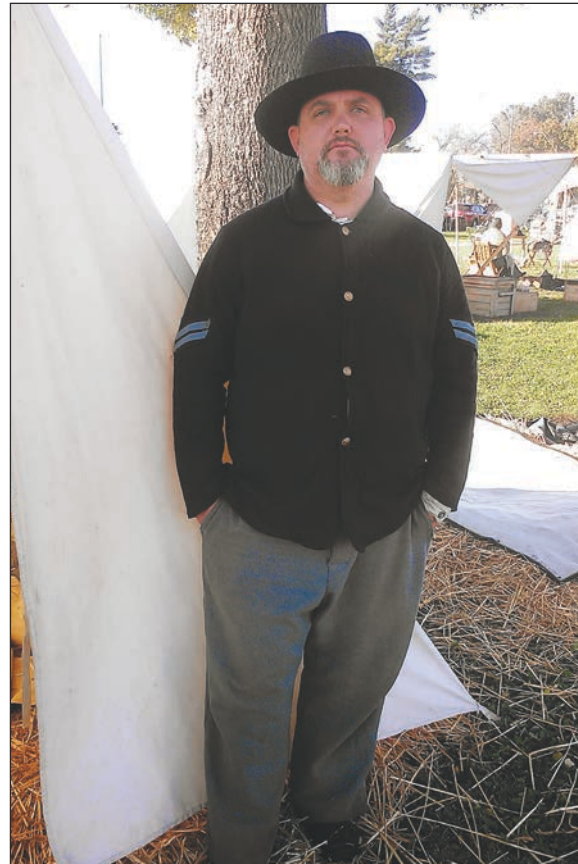
- 12:00 p.m. - Lunch break (Various food vendors on site)
- 1:30 p.m. - Presentation of uniforms and weapons of the Civil War

• 2:30 p.m. - Firing demonstration of Civil War weapons and cannon. Tour Civil War era campsites and visit with re-enactment actors!

This event is fun for the whole family and a must-see for history buffs. No admission is charged to this event hosted by the Anderson County Historical Society. For additional information please visit www.historyandersoncoks.org and "Like" Garnett, KS on Facebook, or call Historical Society President Kristie Kinney at (785) 304.2810.



Civil War re-enactors include Commander Alan Van Loenen.



Private Jeff Finn



Captain Jon Goering



Captain Brian Cox.

Just in time for spring: New list of perennial flowers available

OLATHE – Meringue, Merlot and Bravado all have one thing in common. So do Hot Papaya, Ruby Giant and Lucky Star. They're all cultivars of Echinacea, also called coneflower, and they're all on Kansas State University's new

Prairie Bloom list of recommended perennial flowers.

Flowers that make the list have exhibited superior performance for three to five years or more in K-State's bedding plant research trials in several locations around the state. The Prairie Bloom list is available online at Prairie Bloom Perennial Flowers.

"New this year are cultivars

of peonies, crepe myrtle and forsythia," said Robin Ruether, coordinator of the Prairie Bloom (perennial) and Prairie Star (annual) programs.

The new list is separated by those that grow best in the sun and those that prefer shade. Such flowers as asters, carnations, daylilies, irises, and ornamental grasses are included, as are hostas, shrub roses,

and others. Each cultivar's color, average height, width, and first week of bloom are also noted.

Prairie Bloom is not a commercial brand or product line, Ruether said. It's a list made up of flowering plant varieties submitted for testing in the sometimes harsh prairie climate. Those that grow well – and not all of them do – make

the list.

Ruether encourages gardeners to use the list to shop for specific varieties – not a generic daylily, but the daylily variety 'Rosy Returns,' for example.

More information about the Prairie Bloom and Prairie Star Flower programs is available at PrairieStarFlowers.com.

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- Princeton Quick Stop** – \$2 off any bag of Purina Food. exp. 4/30/15
- Bluestem Farm & Ranch** – \$50 off Toro Riding Mower or \$20 off Toro Push Mower. exp 4/30/15
- Anderson County Review** – Free classified ad. exp 6/1/15
- Front Row Sports** – \$20 off adult shoes, \$15 off kids shoes, \$10 off pair of sandals. exp. 5/31/15
- The Grounds Guys** – \$25 off any service; free weed control/
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- Midwest Cleaning Service** – 50% off upholstery cleaning with carpet or tile/grout cleaning; 10% off any service. exp. 5/1/15
- Prairie Belle's Kitchen & Catering** – \$1 off any breakfast plate \$5.99 or more; 50¢ off Latte, Frappe or Smoothie; Free soft drink with purchase of \$6.99 lunch special. exp. 4/30/15
- Vision Source** – \$50 off exam; Free single vision lenses with purchase of frame or \$99 off progressive lenses/prescription sunglasses. exp. 8/31/15
- Garnett True Value** – 10% off hydraulic hoses, fittings and oils; 10% off gardening products. exp. 3/31/15
- AuBurn Pharmacy** – \$10 off your entire non-prescription purchase of \$25 or more.

Advertising: Life after Facebook

A lot of businesses, bands and non-profit organizations have been hustling the past several years to develop their "fan base" on Facebook just to find out in recent months the Zuckerberg crew has ratcheted down free FB posts to reach only 1-2% of your followers.

What the...?
Yes, the free sample of Facebook advertising has ended.

Now, unless you can convince private page users to "share" your business post, you'll only have a micron of the audience you had before. Under the new FB policy, if you had 1,000 fans, you would only reach the news feeds of 10-20 of them.

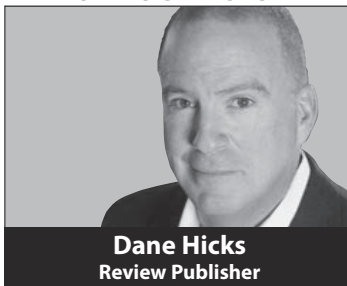
What FB wants you to do is hit that "boost post" button, which will charge you \$5-\$100 to send your post to more people's news feeds - fans, friends of fans, etc.

That was probably the plan all along - Facebook is a business after all, and it's only right that the company should expect a return on its investment, especially when people trying to make money on it are taking what has been - up until now - a free ride. It's a rude awakening to some business people who have come to the conclusion that their advertising should always be free. Not so. The next FB targets will probably be those community "swap & talk" pages where people sell their old baby clothes, etc. Facebook intends to make money, and nobody's going to get a free ride.

But there are options to free Facebook - the keys are 1) finding the option that reaches your core buyers and produces results in multiples of what you can afford to invest; and 2) remembering that if you're going to advertise, you MUST make a significant offer to generate response.

1) Stay with FB and pay the posting fee. Try it and see if it works. If it doesn't, it may be that it never really did. If it does, you should be able to justify your FB generated sales directly against the cost of the

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Dane Hicks
Review Publisher

posting fees.

2) Convince your friends and fans that *do* get reached by your message to share the post. This kicks your post into another FB dimension and gets more audience, though you really have no control whether those who see it will be in your target market.

3) Start gathering email addresses again - remember, we all did this before FB and we probably should never have stopped. When you have an offer, shoot out an email that contains your FB page link. Fans, etc., can still see your page if they go directly to it (the FB limitations are so far only on "organic" posts that come through on their news feeds) so you can still generate FB traffic through email.

4) Don't forget conventional media options. Despite years of forecasts that newspapers and radio would dry up due to the Internet, local and national companies *still* spend billions on conventional advertising and for only one reason - it still has an audience - usually even a more affluent one than traditional free social media consumers. Determine if your customers are readers or listeners, and then go where they are.

And keep your eyes and ears open for other alternatives. If this is as big an online marketing rift as some say it is, it won't be long until somebody comes up with another idea.

Dane Hicks is president of Garnett Publishing, Inc., and publisher of The Anderson County Review. Comments or questions may be directed to him at review@garnett-ks.com or (785) 448-3121.

Tyson reviews bills passed by Senate

There were several bills of interest that passed the Senate at the half-way point of the 2015 legislative session.

But first a quick update on Senate Bill (SB) 178, the bill that would be a massive property tax increase on agriculture by increasing valuations between 400% and over 650%. The hearing on SB 178 was canceled and the bill has been stalled in committee. This is good news and satisfying to know our efforts to fight the bill were successful so far. Since we are on a two-year cycle, the bill is not dead, just on hold. Hopefully, we will not hear of this bill again.

The Senate passed Substitute (Sub) SB 18, a bill that would keep audio and video recordings made by law enforcement using a body cameras or vehicle cameras confidential and exempt from the Kansas Open Records Act (KORA). The bill also would allow anyone who is in a recording, or a parent or guardian of anyone in a recording under 18, or an attorney for a person in a recording to view the video for a reasonable fee. Sub SB 18 passed unanimously 40 to 0.

KPERS is currently 60% funded, which is the most it has been funded in 23 years. The Governor has proposed issuing up to \$1.5 billion in pension obligation bonds for KPERS unfunded liability. As a result, SB 168 was introduced, which would authorize the State to bond \$1 billion for KPERS. One positive is the bill would lower the State's current interest rate from 8% to 3.5%. However, the bill increases the amount and lengthens the time of the State's indebtedness. The bill passed in the Senate 21 to 17. I voted No because it increases the State's debt. Interestingly, in 2013, the House passed a similar bill to issue \$1.5 billion pension obligations, HB 2403. The bill passed the House but the Senate did not act on the bill and it died in committee.

The Senate passed Sub SB

KANSAS LEGISLATURE

By CARYN TYSON,
Kansas Senate
12th District

60 on a vote of 30 to 9. The bill would allow homeschooled or private schooled students to participate in extracurricular activities in the public school district in which they live. The students would be required to meet the qualifications same as public school students to be eligible to participate, including but not limited to medical immunizations, proof of insurance, Kansas State High School Activities Association (KSHSAA) rules, and any fees. As these students are residents of the school district and pay property taxes to support our public schools, I voted Yes.

Bills were introduced in the House (HB 2403) and Senate (SB 273) regarding a block grant to fund K-12. The bill would give a specified amount (block grant) to each school district and remove all spending restrictions, allowing local control. I have not had an opportunity to study the bill.

Every two years the bill numbers are started over. The Senate starts at 1, while the house begins at 2000. It is quite a coincidence the 2013 HB 2403 is the \$1.5 billion bond bill and the 2015 HB 2403 is the K-12 block grant bill amounting to around \$3 billion.

Please contact me with any questions or comments via phone 785.296.6838; email Caryn.Tyson@senate.ks.gov; or by mail, at Kansas State Capitol, 300 SW 10th St., Topeka, KS 66612.

Caryn Tyson represents the 12th District in the Kansas Senate, which includes Anderson County.

BUSINESS BEAT



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A trucking safety seminar took place Wednesday, February 18, 2015 at the Community Building, Garnett. Anderson County Farm Bureau Association sponsored the event. Forty people were in attendance. There were two presenters- Gary Davenport is the Deputy Director of the Transportation Division, Kansas Corporation Commission and Sgt. Pauline Ferguson, Kansas Highway Patrol, Motor Carrier Safety Assistance Division. Not only were Anderson County Farm Bureau members invited but it was open to the public. Very good information provided and the people that attended were very happy with what they learned from this. Also, President Jake Strobel talked briefly about being a member of Farm Bureau. He explained the many benefits they receive as a member & to contact Cindy at the Farm Bureau office in Garnett for further information. Refreshments were served.

Student volunteers make a difference at Crest

The students at Crest High School are giving back to their community, in a "BIG" way. During the 2014-15 school year, seven high school sophomores, juniors and seniors have served as volunteer mentors to elementary students in their school. This is the second year that Big Brothers Big Sisters has served the children of Crest Elementary School through the Bigs in Schools program. During this time, many of the Bigs and Littles have developed friendships that will last a lifetime!

The school-based mentoring program is a popular option at Big Brothers Big Sisters because of its simplicity. Bigs and Littles in this program meet one on one, once a week at the school during lunch or recess. Volunteers can help with school work, play games or just be there to listen. Crest High School students have stepped up to volunteer each year, however, adult community members are also encouraged to get involved!

Research shows that the mentoring program has positive academic, socio-emotional and behavioral outcomes

for youth who face adversity. Reports show improvements for youth during the first year of enrollment in the Big Brothers Big Sisters program in the areas of educational success, avoidance of risky behaviors and social-emotional competency.

"We have been fortunate to work with such a great group of volunteers, kids, and staff at Crest School," said Jennifer Keith, Match Specialist. "The smiles on the kids faces let us know that our volunteers really do make a difference!"

Kansas Big Brothers Big

Sisters serves both Crest (USD 479) and Garnett (USD 365) and also offers a community based program for school aged children in Anderson County. For more information on how you can get involved with mentoring, call Big Brothers Big Sisters at (785) 304-1811.



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Crest High School volunteers. Front row: Karlee Hammond, Kyle Riblett, Colton Strickler, Kaden Strickler. Back row: Madison Covey, Tiffany Jackman. Not pictured: Dylan Young.

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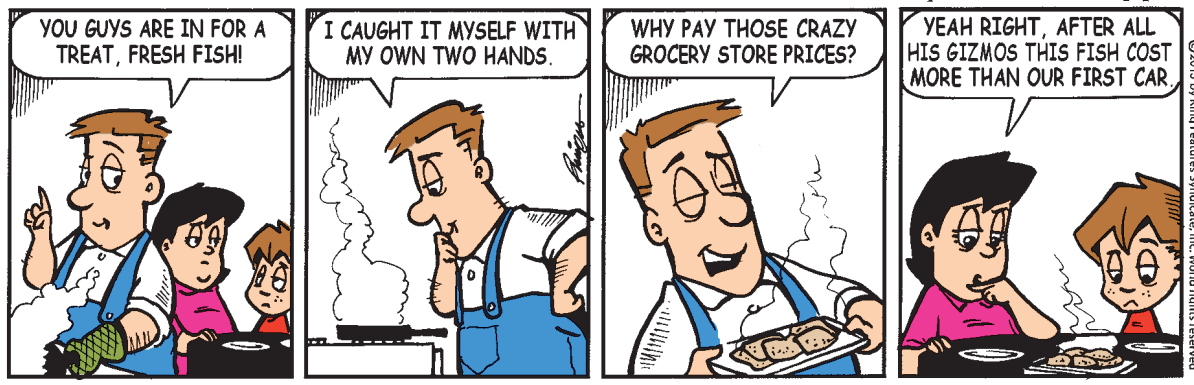
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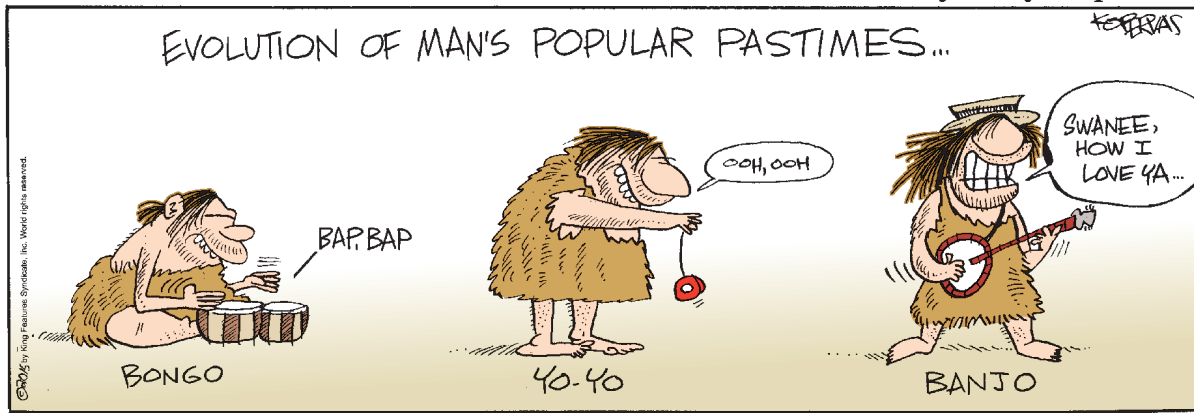
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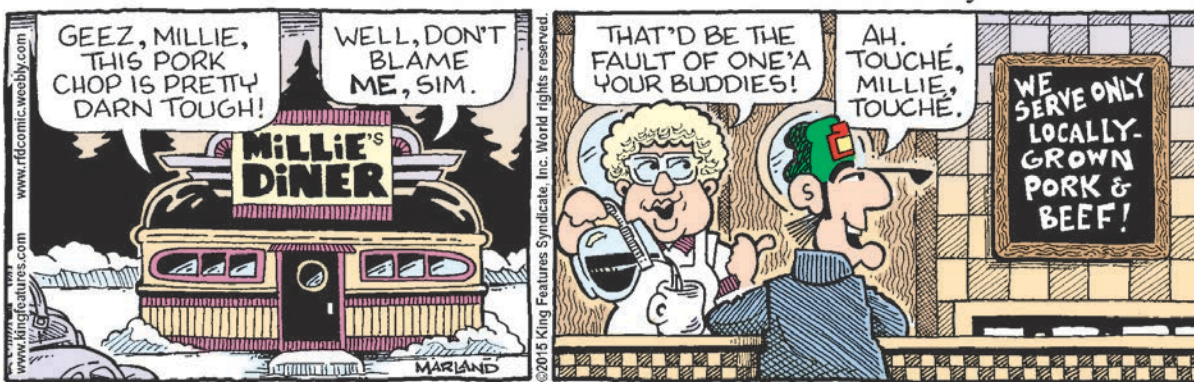
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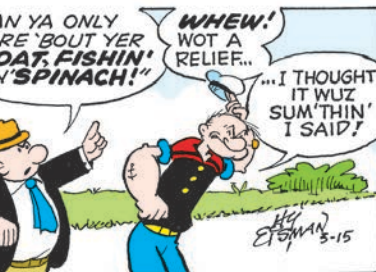
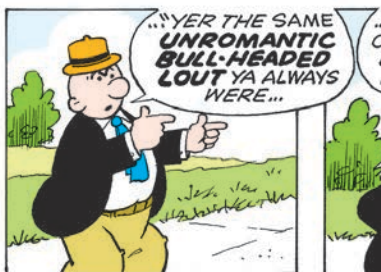
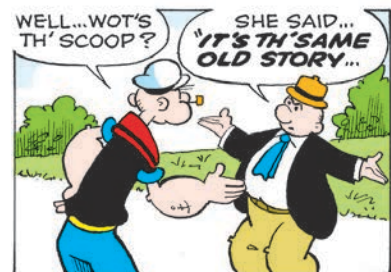
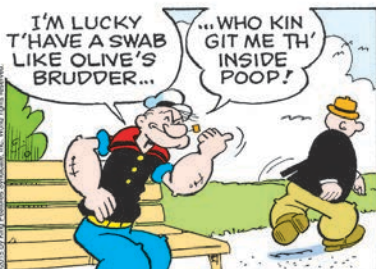
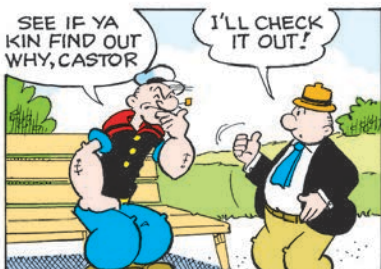
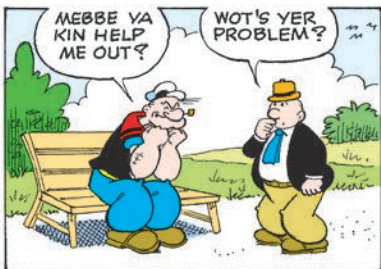
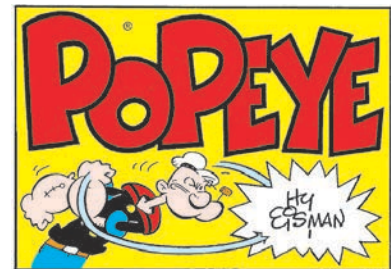
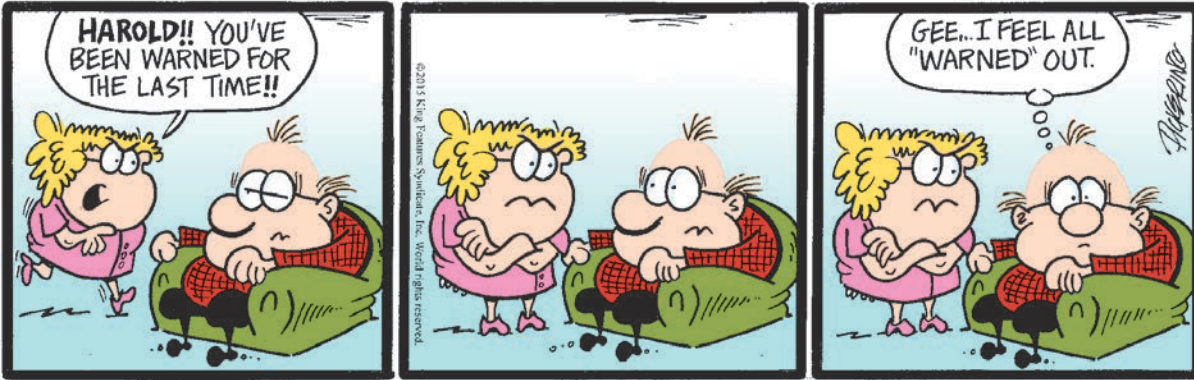
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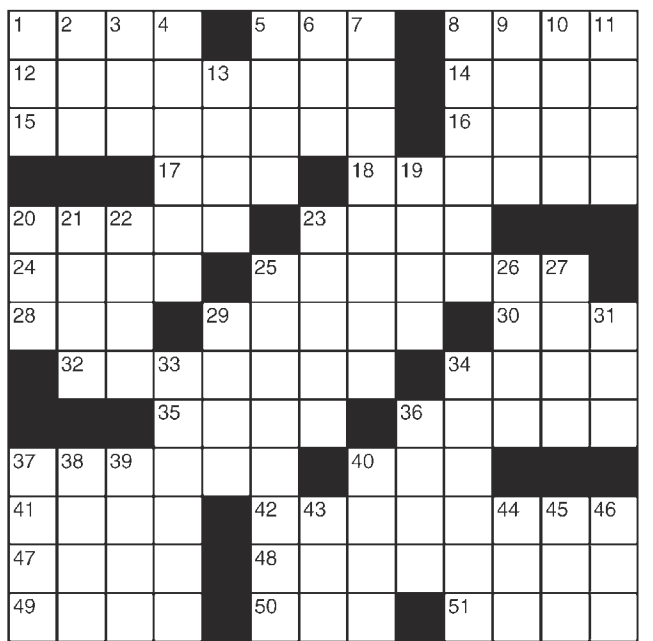
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TODAY'S WORD

King Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 At the summit of
- 5 Two-timer
- 8 Feathered missile
- 12 Playwright Hansberry
- 14 Reverberate
- 15 Skilled at painting
- 16 Neighborhood
- 17 That woman
- 18 Look for typos, maybe
- 20 Mixed metal
- 23 — moss
- 24 Harness strap
- 25 Badmouthed big-time
- 28 Distant
- 29 Give a leg up
- 30 Deteriorate
- 32 Tire
- 34 Taj Mahal city
- 35 Pay attention
- 36 Weapon since 1952
- 37 Go back
- 40 Festive
- 41 Sandwich cookie
- 42 Related to "the sum of



- the parts"
- 47 Active one
- 48 Eternally, to a poet
- 49 Catch sight of
- 50 Scooted
- 51 Penn or Combs

- 8 Inadequate
- 9 Farm measure
- 10 Comical Caroline
- 11 Frog's cousin
- 13 Wan
- 19 Right on the map?
- 20 "Bow-wow"
- 21 Fall faller
- 22 Old Italian money
- 23 Boastful, perhaps
- 25 As one
- 26 Therefore
- 27 College
- 29 Coffin stand
- 31 Bill
- 33 Speculation
- 34 Bottomless pits
- 36 Tresses
- 37 Took the bus
- 38 Cupid's alias
- 39 Second in command, often
- 40 Singer Campbell
- 43 Eggs
- 44 Sock part
- 45 A Gershwin brother
- 46 100 yrs.

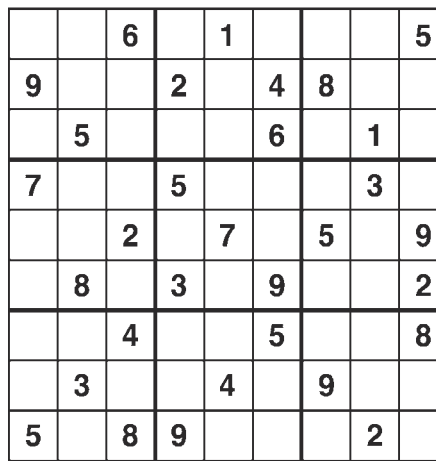
DOWN

- 1 — carte
- 2 Craggy peak
- 3 Table scrap
- 4 Penitentiary
- 5 Give as an example
- 6 Blackbird
- 7 Lessen

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle



Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★★★

- ★ Moderate
- ★★ Challenging
- ★★★ HOO BOY!

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Trivia test

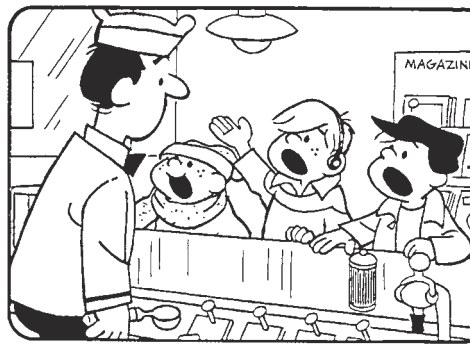
by Fifi Rodriguez

1. GEOGRAPHY: In what nation might you hear the Xhosa language?
2. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Which president nationalized U.S. steel mills to avert a strike? (The U.S. Supreme Court later ruled that he lacked authority to do so.)
3. LANGUAGE: In cowboy lingo, what's a maverick?
4. MEASUREMENTS: About how many pounds does one U.S. gallon of water weigh?
5. POLITICS: In what country did the communist guerrilla group The Shining Path operate?
6. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What is the origin of the international distress signal "mayday"?
7. MATHEMATICS: What is the Arabic equivalent of the Roman numeral DLX?
8. HISTORY: When were the first Olympic Games held in Greece?
9. TELEVISION: Who portrayed Festus on TV's long-running drama "Gunsmoke"?
10. ASTRONOMY: What is the largest moon of all the planets in our solar system?

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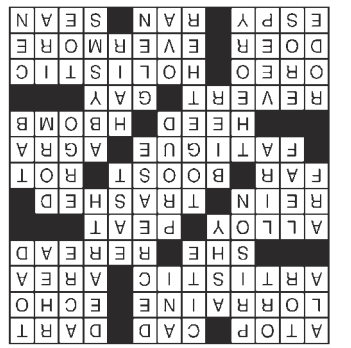
BY HENRY BOLTIHOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Cap is different; 2. Scoop is missing; 3. Light is missing; 4. Headset is missing; 5. Straw holder is missing; 6. Back is lower.



Solution time: 21 mins.

King Crossword

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CryptoQuip

This is a simple substitution cipher in which each letter used stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Solution is accomplished by trial and error.

Clue: K equals Y

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 Today's Word
 solution
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CryptoQuip
 answer
 If a girl studies things under a microscope, I suppose you could call her a magnifying lass.



Nutritional guidelines recommendations: Less meat, more veggies

MANHATTAN - Despite the ability to make personal food choices, many know the Dietary Guidelines for Americans as the "gold standard" model that focuses on the foods and beverages that help maintain a healthy weight and prevent chronic disease, such as obesity.

The guidelines are developed and published by the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) and the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) every five years. The current guidelines were introduced in 2010 and are currently under review and revision for 2015.

depicts the current guidelines and helps consumers see how to balance their food choices for good health.

Some of those changes for 2015 include recommending limited amounts of meat, particularly red and processed meat products, and more plant-based foods in a person's diet. Currently, these are strictly recommendations to be reviewed by HHS and USDA, which will also take into account input from other agencies and the public before releasing the finalized guidelines.

What do these new dietary guidelines recommendations actually mean?

Although Americans make personal food choices, the guidelines are used to create menus and food standards for governmental programs, such as the school lunch program. The recommendations could

affect all involved in food production to some degree, including but not limited to industries related to meat, poultry, dairy, seafood, grains, fruits and vegetables.

"As research continues to examine the role of diet in health, the dietary guidance evolves," said Sandy Procter, human nutrition specialist for K-State Research and Extension. "While some might view the changing information as a concern, I believe we should be encouraged by the dietary guidance revisions reminding us that nutrition is a relatively young science supported by ongoing research."

Travis O'Quinn, fresh meat specialist for K-State Research and Extension, said while he acknowledges the nutritional advantages of various foods, the proposed recommendations could affect the meat industry

to a greater extent.

People should know that meat is a nutrient-dense product, he said, probably one of the most nutrient-dense food products available. At an appropriate serving size, it can be beneficial to a person's diet.

For example, in a typical 3-ounce serving of lean beef, a person would eat more than 10 percent of his or her daily value for nine essential nutrients, including protein, zinc phosphorus, iron and many B-vitamins, O'Quinn said. That person would get these nutrients at most likely less than 200 calories in that serving.

Procter, who also is a registered dietitian, agrees that a 3-ounce portion provides great nutrition, but the issue for most Americans is that they seldom stop at 3 ounces.

"MyPlate" currently shows about one-fourth of the plate

as a protein source, which can certainly be lean red meat," she said. "We work with consumers to consider the economic, nutrition and health benefits of a variety of protein foods, keeping an eye on portion size."

Why do the recommendations change over time?

The Dietary Guidelines Advisory Committee includes many physicians, dietitians and nutritionists. According to HHS's Office of Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, these experts are nationally recognized in the field of nutrition and health and are charged with reviewing recent scientific literature related to human nutrition and discussing how to use the research to make recommendations for the next guidelines version.


It's not uncommon for the guidelines to change somewhat

every five years. For example, the guidelines have previously recommended Americans limit cholesterol intake to less than 300 milligrams per day—found in less than two eggs or about four pieces of fried chicken—for heart health. While the latest recommendations made by the committee said to restrict meat intake, they also said to scrap the cholesterol limit, based on evidence it "is not a nutrient of concern for overconsumption."

"This again points to evolving science," Procter said. "In the past, cholesterol was considered a factor in the development of heart disease particularly, and since eggs contain cholesterol, we were urged to avoid over-consumption of eggs. Now we know that dietary cholesterol from eggs and other foods has less effect than was thought on cholesterol formation in the body."

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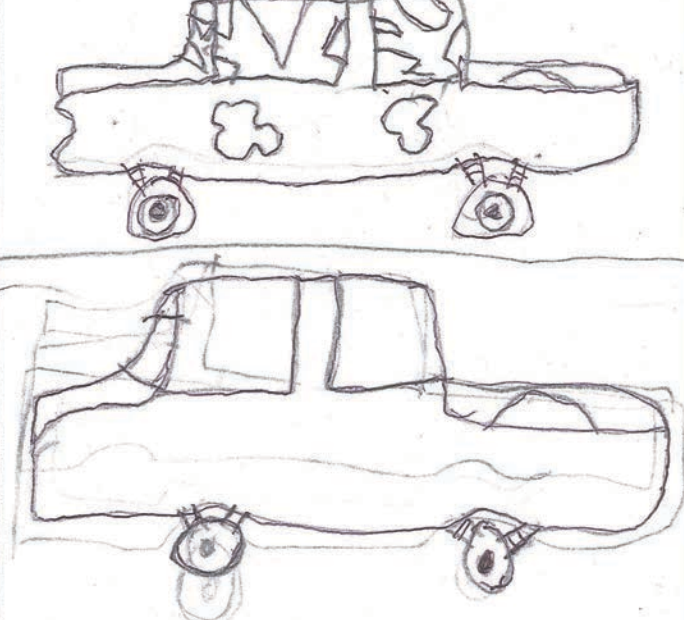
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Poultry owners should be vigilant in watching for signs of avian influenza

MANHATTAN -- Poultry owners should be aware that there is currently an outbreak of the H5N2 highly pathogenic avian influenza (HPAI) associated with the migratory bird flyways in the United States, said Kansas State University animal scientist Scott Beyer.

The first problems were observed with small poultry flocks on the upper west coast, which were soon followed by infections on larger commercial poultry farms on the southern west coast. Recently, infections have occurred in the central flyway, a migratory route which encompasses three provinces in Canada and 14 U.S. states, including Minnesota, Missouri and Arkansas, where the disease has been confirmed in turkey flocks.

"Migratory fowl move north and south all over the earth through flyways as they move

from nesting and feeding grounds," said Beyer, who is a poultry specialist with K-State Research and Extension. "When they coningle in these areas, the avian influenza virus can sometimes be shared between the birds, which then return to their respective flyways bringing new variants of the virus which may have originated from other continents. Although this particular variant of the avian virus (H5N2) is more pathogenic than others, there have been no incidences of the virus spreading to other species or people. As is often the case, this virus has so far not been associated with actual disease symptoms in the migratory fowl so they should be considered potential carriers of the virus that is pathogenic to domesticated poultry."

The safety of poultry meat and eggs is not an issue, Beyer

said. This variant is the H5N2 strain of avian influenza and although it is harmful to birds, it has not been associated with a threat to people or the food supply. The commercial poultry industry in the U.S. routinely screens for all types of the avian flu in flocks and any positive flocks, even those with variants that are not harmful to birds or people, are not processed for food.

U.S. poultry industry routinely monitors for diseases

"Since viruses continually change form to avoid an animal's immune system, the U.S. poultry industry does not allow any form of the virus to persist in commercial flocks unlike some other countries which allow the non-pathogenic viruses to persist in their flocks," he said. "This reduces the risk of any virus from becoming more

pathogenic thus harming birds and people or affecting our food supply."

Small poultry flocks, gamebirds enterprises and commercial farms should be wary of potential exposure. Because it is thought that the virus has originated from migratory waterfowl as they move through their flyway, keeping them away from domestic poultry is most important. Many of these waterfowl likely visit local ponds for rest and feeding.

"If you have poultry near these ponds, you must eliminate all contact between them and your birds," Beyer said. "This is especially important if you have your own waterfowl which could infect your poultry flock, but could also remain on the pond as other wild migratory birds stop by and then become infected by your birds."

When these migratory birds

feed in crop residues and farm ponds, they leave behind feathers and fecal matter that could carry the virus. Keeping yourself and pets away from these areas is crucial to reduce the chance of carrying the virus into your facilities, the K-State specialist said. Do what you can to encourage these birds to move away from your facilities so that you widen the clean zone around your farm as much as possible.

Gamebird operations with birds in netted flight pens are more vulnerable because migratory birds flying over pens could drop fecal matter and feather dander directly into the pens. Efforts to reduce anything that attracts feeding and movement of these birds around pens should be implemented. Nets should be repaired to prevent birds and animals from entering as much

as possible.

Starlings and sparrows should be considered vectors as well, at least until proven otherwise, Beyer said. With the spring season now here in Kansas, these birds are looking for nesting and feeding areas and may be persistent in trying to enter your facilities. Nests should be removed as they try to build them and you should work to keep them from entering as much as possible. Clean up all spilled feed indoors and out so they are not attracted. Move or eliminate bird feeders away from domestic poultry areas. Netting areas where they like to nest will also discourage them. If you have roosting pigeons and starlings in your barns, these birds will always be potential sources of all kinds of avian disease and they should be eliminated from the facilities.

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SYSTEMS...

FROM PAGE 1A

look at utility systems to determine what improvements needed to be made for the future. Electrical, water and sewer systems will be reviewed and improved as needed. The examinations will be partly routine maintenance, and partly because of improvement projects like an upgrade to electrical systems to support the new Anderson County Hospital.

City leaders are expected to review bids for a major electric improvement March 24. That project will upgrade electric lines and poles from the city's power plant, along Walnut Street to an alley between Fourth and Fifth avenues, and to the new hospital on U.S. 59.

Commissioners heard a presentation from Mike Schmaderer, President of Mid-States Energy Works of Salina, at their Feb. 24 meeting. Schmaderer told commissioners the electric lines and poles near the hospital were built before 1945, and had outlived their design. Most electric poles have a lifespan of about 30 years, he said. The city's poles near the hospital are more than 70 years old.

The current poles and power lines risk imminent failure to the city's power system, Schmaderer said. Many poles show burn marks caused by fires, and a failure in the circuit could disrupt electrical service not only to the hospital but to about a third of the city, including downtown businesses.

Under his proposal, Mid-States Energy Works would install taller, stronger poles with more space between them and a stronger conductor. Old copper wire would be replaced with lighter, more powerful aluminum lines. A new circuit would provide a dedicated power source to the hospital.

In addition to avoiding major disruptions in power and improving safety, the new system will be more efficient, he said.

City crews have spent the past few months preparing for the new power poles by remov-

ing many large trees along Walnut Street.

Commissioners agreed to seek bids for the system, and those bids are expected to be received March 20. Commissioners will review them at their March 24 meeting. Schmaderer urged commissioners to act quickly, because contractors were more likely to offer a better price when business was slow. Once business picks up in the spring and summer, prices will go up, he said. He could not give commissioners an estimate on how much the project will cost until bids were received.

In addition to the electric system project, city leaders also are examining the water plant. Commissioners approved paying \$32,500 to Ponzer-Youngquist PA of Olathe for an engineering study of the plant, to see what types of improvements may be needed to improve efficiency.

Ponzer-Youngquist conducted a study and made improvements to the plant in the late 1990s, so they are familiar with the plant and its needs, Martin told commissioners. At that time, they said the improvements would meet Garnett's needs for about 25 years.

"And here we are" roughly 20 years later, Martin said. "That really impressed me."

She said the city sells much more water than it did in the 1990s because of water needs for businesses like the ethanol plant and an oilfield service company. The city's water plant manager is worried about the usefulness of one of the water basins, and worries what would happen if it became unusable, Martin said.

In addition to the electrical service upgrade and the water plant study, the city also will need to take a look at its sewer system, Martin said previously.

The approach will give city leaders a plan to address major infrastructure improvements over time and help city leaders plan for future development, Mayor Preston Peine said previously.

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Below: Fourth grade student, Lane Richards leads the group with "feet to beat" as his fellow drummers try to follow the beat.



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A big crowd turned out Tuesday night for the annual PTO Soup/Chili Supper at Greeley Elementary. At left: Jeannette and Ron Rockers consider their bid for a basket at the silent auction Tuesday night. The baskets were donated by families and businesses in the area.



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