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\$1K reward offered to find missing man

Family worries as car found abandoned hours before winter storm

BY VICKIE MOSS THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

GARNETT - Family and friends are offering a \$1,000 reward to help find a missing 24-year-old man who was left homeless and facing criminal charges after an altercation about a month ago, and whose car was found abandoned early Saturday morning south of Garnett, just hours before a snow storm brought frigid temperatures to the area.



Devyn Long

partway in the road, according to his mother, Diana Dunn of Kansas City, Mo. The vehicle door was left open, and the keys were in the front seat under other items, Dunn said. The car was drivable, with no apparent mechanical issues that would explain why its driver might have abandoned it, she said.

"It was not in character for him to leave everything he has

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As recent frigid temps subside, will it snow?

Few problems reported after weekend's snow, cold; warm up ahead

BY VICKIE MOSS THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

GARNETT - Despite temperatures dipping to a frigid minus-10 with 1.5 inches of snow over the past weekend, only about two wrecks with no injuries were reported in Anderson County.

Anderson County Sheriff Vernon Valentine said it appeared his department worked just a couple of wrecks over the weekend, but there were no injuries and he did not have complete information to report. Garnett Police Chief

Kevin PeKarek said it appears there were no wrecks within the city limits because of weather. Neither department reported other weather-related problems.

Temperatures dropped to a low of minus-10 overnight Sunday, Dec. 18 into Monday, Dec. 19, and the high reached just 7 degrees, according to weather records at the Garnett Industrial Airport, which is the official weather monitoring station for this area. The previous day, between Saturday, Dec. 17, and Sunday morning, Dec. 18, the low temperature was minus-8.

Rain and other moisture moved into the area between Friday and Saturday, dropping

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Prayers & Planning for a new church addition



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12-20-2016/ Vickie Moss

Construction of a new addition to the First Christian Church, above, is expected to be finished by late February. At right is the south entrance to the new building. The facility is expected to add a large gathering space for events like weddings, funerals and concerts; and for youth programs.



Church addition brings space for events, youth

New building designed with similar feel, look of original First Christian Church building

BY VICKIE MOSS THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

GARNETT - After years of praying and planning, First Christian Church congregation members soon will celebrate the opening of a major church expansion now under construction.

The addition will bring a large facility for the church to host events like weddings and funerals, or for community or church gatherings. The current banquet facilities at the church are limited to about 90 people, out of a total church congregation between 300-350 people. The new facility will comfortably seat 250 people, up to 325, and will offer a large kitchen to help with events.

And as nice as the new facility will be for special events, the building really is all about the youth, First Christian Church Pastor Chris Goetz said.

"It's going to meet quite a few of our needs," Goetz said.

While the building features a large open area for events, it also will sport a dedicated room for the church's youth group, a larger nursery and three new Sunday School classrooms that can be opened for use during events. The church has an active youth group with between 35 to 50 youth in grades 6-12, and about 50 youth ages 4 years to 6th grade. The youth group area on the northernmost part of the new facility will be designed as a lounge-type setting, Goetz said.

The new facility especially will be an asset during the annual Vacation Bible School programs in the summer, which typically bring about 370 youth to the church for the week long activities. It can be challenging to find room for that many children and staff, Goetz said, and organizers typically plan outdoor activities when possible.

"It's madness when you have a rain day," he said. "This will be a whole lot more user friendly."

Church officials have debated the need for an addition to the church for about the past three decades, Goetz said.

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Bryan Mille with Gibson Electric of Ottawa works on some of the electrical needs of the new church addition.

Remember the original 'Christmas Story'

King James Version

"For unto us a Child is born, unto us a Son is given: and The Government shall be upon His Shoulder: and His Name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The Mighty GOD, The Everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace. Of the increase of His Government and peace there shall be no end, upon the Throne of David, and upon His Kingdom, to order it, and to establish it with judgment and with justice from henceforth even for ever. The zeal of the LORD of Hosts will perform this" (Isaiah 9:6-7).

The Story of the Birth of Christ As told through Luke

Luke 2:1 And it came to pass in those days, that there went out a decree from Caesar Augustus, that all the world should be taxed. 2:2 (And this taxing was first made when Cyrenius was governor of Syria.) 2:3 And all went to be taxed, every one into his own city. 2:4 And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judaea, unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem; (because he was of the house and lineage of David;) 2:5 To be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being great with Child. 2:6 And so it was, that, while they were there, the days were accomplished that she should be delivered. 2:7 And she brought forth her firstborn Son, and wrapped Him in swaddling clothes, and laid Him

in a manger; because there was no room for them in the inn.

2:8 And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night. 2:9 And, lo, the angel of the LORD came upon them, and the glory of the LORD shone round about them: and they were sore afraid. 2:10 And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. 2:11 For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the LORD. 2:12 And this shall be a sign unto you; Ye shall find the Babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger. 2:13 And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly

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NEWS IN BRIEF

LANDFILL HOLIDAYS

Anderson County landfill will be closed Dec. 24-26 for Christmas and Dec. 31 and Jan. 2 for the New Year's Holiday.

PROPERTY TAXES DUE

The first half of personal property and real estate taxes are due by Tuesday, Dec. 20, at the Anderson County Treasurer's Office.

COURTHOUSE HOLIDAY

The Anderson County Courthouse will be closed on Monday, Dec. 26, in observance of Christmas.

SENIOR CENTER BDAY

On Dec. 21, the Garnett Senior Center will have a birthday dinner for anyone 60 and older. Entertainment will be Martin Honn and Friends. The music starts at 11 a.m., lunch will be served at noon. Come join for good music and a good time. If you plan to have lunch, please call Marcie the day before at (785) 448-6996. Cost of the meal is a \$3 donation.

SENIOR CENTER CHRISTMAS

The Garnett Senior Center Christmas Dinner will be Sunday, Dec. 25, at the Senior Center in Garnett. They will furnish the meat, potatoes, gravy and bread. Those attending are asked to bring a covered dish such as vegetables, salads and desserts. Table service will be furnished. Dinner will be served at 12:30 p.m.

DONATE HOPE UNLIMITED

Looking for a unique gift this year? Why not donate to Hope Unlimited in honor of that special person. Hope Unlimited will send them a lovely holiday card acknowledging your gift. What better way to spread the holiday cheer this year and support local crisis services! You can visit Hope Unlimited on Facebook, their website at www.hope-unlimited.org or 8 North Washington, Iola.

PRAYERS CONTINUE

Now that the election is behind us, prayers will continue at the Archer Room of the Garnett Library for national healing and reunification. Meetings are from 7 a.m. to 8 a.m. every Monday. You may stay for the entire hour but are free to come and go whenever you are able.

DRUG TAKE BACK

The Anderson County Sheriff's Department has purchased a drug take-back box using money collected from registered offenders. It is located just inside the front office door of the sheriff's department. Drop off expired or unused medication 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Remember you are on surveillance camera so do not try and remove anything from the box. Do not place needles in the box. Dispose of sharps by placing them in plastic laundry detergent bottles or a plastic milk jug, secure the lid and throw them in your trash.

HOPE UNLIMITED

Hope Unlimited, Inc., is getting close to the end of 2016 and meeting its target goal to keep local services, but the group needs your help. Join together to keep the doors open at Hope Unlimited for 2017. If you've been meaning to make a contribution, now's the time. For more information, contact Hope Unlimited, Inc., 8 North Washington Ave., Iola, (620) 365-7566. www.hope-unlimited.org

SUICIDE AWARENESS GROUP

A new group, SAM - Suicide Awareness Members, a division of SASS-MoKan - meets on the first Thursday of the month from 6:30-7:30 at the Garnett Library located at 125 W 4th Ave in Garnett. This group is for family and friends who have lost a loved one to suicide. All are welcome to attend. The facilitator is Lu Ann Nichols, who may be reached at lu.ann.nichols.1956@gmail.com.

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 BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS DEC. 5

Chairman Jerry Howarter called the meeting of the Anderson County Commission to order at 9:00 AM on December 5, 2016 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 meeting were approved as presented.

Regional Foundation

Scott Rogers, Gary Macintosh, and Jeff Cokely met with the commission. Gary and Jeff are working to create a regional community foundation in Allen County which will include surrounding counties. They are hoping to have funds available to help all the communities. They have received a grant through the Goppert Foundation to start the foundation. There will be an advisory board from Anderson County who decides how money is raised and spent in Anderson County. The cities within the counties can also participate if they wish.

Planning and Zoning

Tom Young, Zoning Director met with the commission. Commissioner Highberger moved to approve Resolution 2016,1205:1 approving special use permit #SUP2016-04 (Rife) to operate a small dog kennel in an A-1 Agriculture District. Commissioner McGhee seconded. Approved 3-0. Commissioner McGhee moved to approve Resolution 2016,1205:2 approving zone change #ZC2016-05 (McAdam) to rezone 7.5 acres from A-1 Ag to R-E Residential Estate District. Commissioner Highberger seconded. Approved 3-0. Commissioner Highberger questioned whether it was zoning or road and bridge's responsibility to keep signs out of the road ditches. Tom will check the regulations on signs.

Road and Bridge

Lester Welsh, Road Supervisor met with the commission. Commission requested the shop service the fire trucks at least once a year. Lester informed the commission the sign crew has moved out of the office in the annex and into the old shop building. They have taken up the carpet as it was damaged but will replace it if there is a need for a carpet in the space in the future.

Appraiser

Steve Markham, Appraiser met with the commission. He reported there is an increase in agriculture land values for Anderson County. K-State creates the values based on surveys they do state wide and they divide it into regions. He will be taking vacation from the 22nd to the 30th of December.

Swank Park

John Croan talked to the commission about Swank Park. He would like to trim up some of the trails at Swank Park as there is a group that ride four wheelers. Commission advised him to talk to Lester.

Frontier Extension District

Shannon Blocker and Fran Richmond, Frontier Extension District requested permission to replace cabinets in their office and make a storage space into an office. It will need carpeting and a wall installed for a smaller storage space. Commissioner Highberger moved to grant permission for the Frontier Extension District to improve their office area. They would also like to put a window in the office but asked if the county would pay for that. They presented a bid for a new window. Commission would like them to get another bid.

Road Repair

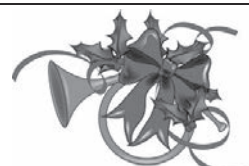
David Hirt requested road repair on Barton Road.

Treasurer

Dena McDaniel, Treasurer met with the commission. There was a property on the tax sale that sold before the tax sale however it had a mobile home on the property. James is bringing a resolution to take care of the personal property. Commissioner Highberger moved to approve Resolution 2016,1205:8 abating the unpaid personal property on a 1973 SH Mobile Home based upon transaction of the property. Commissioner McGhee seconded. Approved 3-0.

Year End Resolutions

Commissioner Highberger moved to approve Resolution 2016,1205:3 transferring additional 2016 Road and Bridge Funds to a Special Highway Fund.



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Commissioner McGhee moved to approve Resolution 2016,1205:4 transferring additional 2016 Road and Bridge monies to the Special Machinery Fund. Commissioner Highberger seconded. Approved 3-0. Commissioner Highberger moved to approve Resolution 2016,1205:5 transferring additional 2016 monies to the Equipment Reserve Fund. Commissioner McGhee seconded. Approved 3-0. Commissioner McGhee moved to approve Resolution 2016,1205:6 transferring additional real fire monies to a Rural Fire Improvement Fund. Commissioner Highberger seconded. Approved 3-0. Commissioner Highberger moved to approve Resolution 2016,1205:7 transferring additional 2016 funds to a Multi-Year Improvement Fund. Commissioner McGhee seconded. Approved 3-0.

BG Consultants

Eric Hethcoat, BG Consultants met with the commission. He talked with the commission about the work they have previously done and what they will do if the county receives the grant for a new elevator. He presented a contract for BG to proceed if the grant is approved. Commissioner Highberger moved to contract with BG Consultants contingent on the approval of a CDBG grant. Commissioner McGhee seconded. Approved 3-0.

Sheriff

Sheriff Valentine met with the commission. Commissioner Highberger moved to recess into executive session for 10 minutes for the discussion of nonelected personnel with Sheriff Valentine and Commissioner-Elect Pracht in attendance. Open meeting to resume at 11:20. Commissioner McGhee seconded. Approved 3-0. No action after executive session. Dispatch is going to be updating their voice over equipment. Commissioner McGhee moved to accept the bid from Digital-Alley for 7 chest cameras and additional equipment for a total cost of \$12,245.00 out of the jail/sheriff reserve fund. Commissioner Highberger seconded. Approved 3-0.

Abatements

Abatements B17-123 through B17-125 were presented and approved.

Meeting adjourned at 12:05 PM due to no further business.

LAND TRANSFERS

December 8, Michael D. McCullar and Christine H. McCullar to Christopher S. Good and Dawn R. Good, Commencing At The Northeast Corner Of Section 4 24-20-19, Thence West 250 Feet (Distance Being 217 Feet West Of West Right Of Way Line Of Us Hwy #59, Previously Marked By A Fence), Thence South 217 Feet, Thence East To Section Line, Thence North 217 Feet To Point Of Beginning

December 9, Madalene M. Mader to Madalene M. Mader Trustee and Madalene M. Mader Trust Dated 9-28-2016, The West Half Of The West Half Of The West Half Of The Northeast Quarter of Section 7-20-20 And Also The Northwest Quarter Of Section 7-20-20 Excepting 40 Acres, Described As Follows: Commencing At The Northwest Corner of the Northwest Quarter of Section 7, Thence South 80 Rods, Thence East 80 Rods, Thence North 80 Rods, Thence West 80 Rods To Point Of Beginning; Also Excepting A Piece Of Land Described As Follows: Commencing At Southwest Corner Of Last Described Lot, Running Thence East To State Road, Thence Along State Road 1/8th Of An Acre; Also Excepting Right Of Way Of Railroad Across Land In Section 7; And Also Excepting All That Part Of The Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 7-20-20 Lying West Of

Railroad Right Of Way.

December 12, Kyle J. Peine and Samantha J. Peine to Teresa L. Myers and Rex D. Lizer, Lot 5 And The South 30 Feet Of Lot 4 In Block 3 In Kim Addition To The City Of Garnett.

December 12, U S Bank National Association To Robert R. Mills and Vicki L. Mills Lot 6 Block 1 Mays Addition To City Of Garnett.

DOMESTIC CASES FILED

December 12, Landon Duvall and Jayden W. Hall vs. Alicia L. Duvall, petition for residential custody and reasonable visitation.

December 13, Beverly A. Connen and Patrick Connen, petition for divorce.

December 13, State of Kansas - DCF vs. Trevor Cronin, transfer of venue to Anderson County.

December 13, Marian Highberger vs. Thomas Highberger, petition for divorce.

DOMESTIC CASES RESOLVED

December 8, Natasha Sioux Headrick vs. Stephen Alan Hyden, divorce granted.

December 9, Michael O'Neal vs. Cynthia A. O'Neal, divorce granted.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

December 12, Gerald L. Lutz and Robin R. Shane.

CIVIL CASES FILED

December 8, State of Kansas Secretary Department for Children & Families vs. Jesus D. Robinson, Fraud, asking \$2,988 plus interest and costs.

CIVIL CASES RESOLVED

December 12, Caleb Jude Foltz vs. Kansas Department Of Revenue, Division of Motor Vehicles, Gregory Weber, and Justin Weber, default judgment for quiet title.

December 12, Donald Wettstein vs. Kansas Department of Revenue, Division of Motor Vehicles, Rick Walker, Herbert Glenn, Julie Glenn, and Kansas Highway patrol, default judgment for quiet title.

LIMITED ACTION RESOLVED

December 14, Virgil Smith dba Smith Insurance & Bonding Agency vs. Ryan Cox and Brenda Lea Casladi, order of dismissal, not served.

December 13, Bob's Supersaver dba Country Mart Garnett vs. Chelsey Anne D'Albini, default judgement for \$431.13 plus interests and costs.

December 13, Bob's Supersaver dba Country Mart Garnett vs. Christine M. Boseker, judgment granted for \$429.77 plus interests and costs.

December 13, Little People's Learning Center vs. Jillissa Hoffman, judgment granted for \$6,677.58 plus interests and costs.

December 13, Ransom Memorial Hospital vs. Rogeljo Salazar Jr., judgment granted for \$14,188.03 plus interests and costs.

December 13, Ottawa Family Physicians Chartered vs. Rogeljo G. Salazar Jr., judgment granted for \$243.83 plus interests and costs.

December 13, Saint Luke's Hospital of Garnett, Inc. vs. Charissa M. Hurt and Karl Hurt, judgment granted for \$8,549.65 plus interests and costs.

December 13, Security Credit Services LLC vs. Chelsea Wittry and Derek Beasley, default judgment on Chelsea Wittry for \$2,185.67 plus interests and costs. No service on Derek Beasley.

CRIMINAL CASES FILED

December 13, Bryan A. Slusher, possession of marijuana, transportation of open container.

December 13, Adriaan J. Vanberge, driving under the influence; 2nd offense, driving while suspended; 2nd offense, possession of marijuana, lack of insurance, lack of registration, refusal of breath test, and transportation of open container.

CRIMINAL CASES RESOLVED

Speeding violations:

Kevin Karl Bauman, 65 mph in a 55 mph zone, guilty plea, \$234 fine.

Clyde A. Hess, 74 mph in a 55 mph zone, guilty plea, \$207 fine.

Michele U. Millar, 75 mph in a 65 mph zone, guilty plea, \$153 fine.

Joseph Alonzo Smith III, 74 mph in a 65 mph zone, guilty plea, \$153 fine.

Clay M. Wilson, 82 mph in a 55 mph zone, guilty plea, \$276 fine.

Seatbelt violations:
Robert D. Miller, guilty plea, \$10 fine.

Nichole Dawn Sprague, guilty plea, \$10 fine.

Other:

Brian D. Anderson, possession of hallucinogenic drug, guilty plea, \$393 fine; use/possession with intent to use drug paraphernalia, guilty plea, no fine, possession of opiate, opium, narcotic or certain stimulant, dismissed.

Wesley Wayne Berry, use of wireless communication device while driving, guilty plea, \$168 fine.

Thomas Joseph Daly, disorderly conduct; brawling, guilty plea, \$258 fine.

Keonna Renee Goodwin, improper driving on laned roadway, guilty plea \$183 fine; driving without liability insurance, dismissed.

Joshua Wade Heubach, interference with law enforcement officer; falsely report a felony intending to obstruct, guilty plea, no fine, sentencing hearing set or January 23; use/possession with intent to use drug paraphernalia, dismissed; theft of property or services, dismissed.

Alexandra Natalie Nicol

Lehman, possession of opiate, opium narcotic or certain stimulant, diversion \$328 fine; operate a motor vehicle without a valid license, diversion, no fine.

Jason J. Lickteig, operate a vehicle without liability insurance, diversion, \$308 fine.

Tommy Joe Nickell, burglary, guilty plea, no fine, sentencing hearing set for January 23; theft of property or services, dismissed.

Phillip Dwayne Proctor, criminal trespass, guilty plea, \$183 fine; giving a worthless check (3 counts), guilty plea \$323 fine; theft of property or services (2 counts), other termination, no fine; making false information, other termination, no fine.

Ty A. Spencer, improper driving on laned roadway, guilty plea, \$183 fine.

Albert Eugene Thacker, domestic battery, guilty plea, \$743 fine.

State of Kansas vs. Nichole Dawn Sprague, driving a vehicle without registration, dismissed.

State of Kansas vs. Austin Eric Lee, burglary (3 counts), dismissed; theft of property or services (3 counts), dismissed.

GARNETT POLICE REPORT

Incidents

December 4, a report of burglary, theft of property/services, and criminal damage to property without consent in the 700 block of West Seventh Avenue. Reported destroyed was a Stanley padlock valued at \$20, reported stolen were a Power Eagle carpet cleaner valued at \$400, an Impulse nail gun valued at \$400, a new cross cut saw 12 inch valued at \$400, a Smith and Wesson 22 caliber revolver valued at \$200, a Dewalt air compressor valued at \$150,

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WILCOX

APRIL 16, 1928-DECEMBER 11, 2016

Walter Allen Wilcox, age 88, of Garnett, Kansas, passed away on Sunday, December 11, 2016 at Guest Home Estates, Garnett.

He was born April 16, 1928, in Farlinville, Kansas, the son of Ellis and Ethel (Dingus) Wilcox. He graduated from Kincaid High School in Kincaid, Kansas.

Walt joined the U.S. Army and earned a Dental Technician License at Fort Sam Houston in San Antonio, Texas. He was sent to Yokohama, Japan and stationed at a hospital where he worked in a dental lab.

He married Lillian Tucker on May 31, 1954 in Garnett, Kansas; they celebrated 62 years of marriage together.

Walt was a member of the First Christian Church and the Garnett Country Club. One of his biggest accomplishments was placing 1st in the Garnett City Championship Golf Tournament in 1967. Walt enjoyed fishing and hunting with his buddies. His cattle herd was always a source of pride.

Walt was preceded in death by his parents, Ellis and Ethel

Wilcox; one sister, Melba Rice; and two brothers, Arden "Sword" Wilcox and Kenny Wilcox.

He is survived by his wife, Lillian Wilcox, of the home; one sister, Wanda Weirich and husband Gene of Garnett, Kansas; one brother, Dean Wilcox and wife Peggy of Redlands, California; three nephews, David Weirich, Ed Rice, and Michael Wilcox; one niece, Martha McCartney; two sisters-in-law, Jane Garnett of Topeka, Kansas; Virginia Raymond and husband Gene of Garnett, Kansas; two brothers-in-law, Virgil Tucker and spouse Jo of Moran, Kansas; Tom Tucker and friend Eileen Johns of Garnett, Kansas. Uncle Walt was a father figure and mentor to several nephews, nieces, and great-nephews and nieces; he will be missed by them all. He will be remembered in the hearts of many for his sense-of-humor, humility and dignity.

Walt was a loving husband, loyal friend and family man.

Funeral services were Friday, December 16, 2016 at the First Christian Church, Garnett, with burial following at Lone Elm Cemetery, Lone Elm, Kansas. Memorial contributions may be made to First Christian Church or to the Garnett Country Club.

You may send your condolences to the family at www.feuerbornfuneral.com



Wilcox

WITTRY

APRIL 22, 1924-DECEMBER 13, 2016

Richard H. "Dick" Wittry, age 92, of Greeley, died Tuesday, December 13, 2016, at his home in rural Greeley.

He was born on April 22, 1924, in Anderson County, near Greeley, to Arthur and Frances (Litsch) Wittry.

He was preceded in death by his parents; brother, Gus E. Wittry; and daughter, Lori Anne.

Survivors include his wife of 39 years, Jo Anne Wittry

(Adams), of the home; adult children, David, Teresa and Lesa; siblings, Gladys Nichols, Helen McKnight and baby sister Betty Dutton.

Mass of Christian Burial was Saturday, December 17, 2016 at St. John's Catholic Church in Greeley. Burial followed in the St. John's Catholic Cemetery in Greeley.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.feuerbornfuneral.com

KATZER

MAY 23, 1938-DECEMBER 12, 2016

Lucy Faye Katzer, age 78, of Oak Grove, Mo., died Monday, December 12, 2016 at New Haven Nursing Home, Odessa, Mo.

Lucy was born May 23, 1938, in Bush City, to Milton and Edna (Conner) Croan.

Survivors include her husband, Jerome Katzer of the home; two daughters, Angela Katzer of Independence, Mo.; Charlene Evans of Kansas City; three sons, Joseph Katzer of Independence, Mo.; Patrick

Katzer of Gladstone, Mo.; and Christopher Katzer of Independence, Missouri; two brothers, Roy Croan of Spring Hill; Don Croan of Osawatomie; six grandchildren; and sixteen great-grandchildren.

Mass of Christian Burial was Saturday, December 17, 2016 at St. John's Catholic Church, Greeley. Burial followed in St. John's Cemetery.

You may send your condolences to the family at www.feuerbornfuneral.com

MISSING...

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in a drivable car, unlocked with a snowstorm coming," Dunn said.

Long apparently had been staying with friends and kept all his belongings in his vehicle, his mother said. About a month earlier, he was living in Welda with family members when he got into an altercation with them and neighbors. Long was charged Nov. 28 in Anderson County District Court with criminal threat and two counts of battery. He was scheduled to appear in court this morning.

Anderson County Sheriff Vernon Valentine said he could not speculate if Long's disappearance was somehow connected to the previous incident. Valentine asked that anyone who has seen, spoken with or had any kind of contact with Long since Saturday morning to call the sheriff's department at (785) 448-6823 or 911.

The vehicle apparently was discovered around 11:35 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 17. Dunn said her son's belongings, including warm winter clothing and boots, were still in the car. His cell phone was not in the car, and went to voicemail when it was called. Long did not show up to work at the local Mexican restaurant this weekend. His family and friends say they have checked with other friends and businesses that he frequents, but no one has seen him.

Dunn is worried about what or who her son may have encountered prior to the discovery of the vehicle. "Devyn, unfortunately, was around some shady characters," she said. "It could have been a drug deal gone bad, or he (made someone mad)."

Dunn said the \$1,000 reward would be paid for information that leads to her son's whereabouts.

RECORDS...

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and a Passload nail gun valued at \$100.

December 11, a report of driving under the influence; 3rd conviction, possession of certain hallucinogenic, use and possession of drug paraphernalia, transporting an open container, vehicle liability insurance required, driving while suspended; 2nd conviction, refusal to submit to preliminary breath test, and driving without a vehicle registration in the 100 block of West First Avenue. Reported seized were one Jose Cuervo Cinge Cinnamon, 15 miscellaneous open containers of alcohol, multi-colored smoking apparatus, and 2 plastic bags containing green substance.

ANDERSON COUNTY SHERIFF'S REPORT

Accidents

December 2, a vehicle driven by Remington E. Hedges, 18, Garnett was struck from behind while slowing to yield at the roundabout on South US Highway 59 and US Highway 169 by a vehicle with an unknown driver who then ran up over the curb of the roundabout and fled the scene. Passengers in the Hedges vehicle were Richard C. Hedges, 21 and Riley R. Hedges 13, both of Garnett. Damage was done to the left rear bumper of the vehicle, but no one was injured.

December 5, a vehicle driven by Jimmie D. Carey, 61, Welda, heading Northbound on US 169 struck a deer when it ran onto the highway. There was damage done to the front of the vehicle, no one was injured.

December 8, a vehicle driven by Sherry Lynn Haflinger, 41, Wakeeney, northbound on Highway 59 near 600 road struck a deer, then struck the guardrail on the west hand side of the Deer Creek Bridge with the right driver side door. Damage was done to both sides and the front of the vehicle, but no one was injured.

December 9, a vehicle driven by Daniel T. Vannorman, 29, Garnett, heading South on US 169 ran into the back of a school bus driven by John R. Strobel, 60, Garnett, while he was attempting to make a left hand turn onto Northeast Tennessee road. Passengers in the school bus were: Brooklyn Stobel, 8, Richmond, Alex Schaffer, 10, Richmond, Emma Schaffer, 12, Richmond, Zach Schafer, 9, Richmond, Sawyer Schaffer, 6, Richmond, Jack Crane, 12, Greeley, Kyden Teal, 13, Greeley, Alexander Sommer, 13, Greeley, Zekeria Sommer, 16, Greeley, Lydia Schwiener, 7, Greeley, Nolan Schwiener, 9, Greeley, Kolden Egelhoff, 13, Greeley, Kelson Egelhoff, 12, Greeley, Kaide Egelhoff, 7, Greeley, and Weston Johnson, 13, Greeley. Vannorman was injured and was taken to Anderson County Hospital by ambulance. None of the passengers in the Strobel vehicle were injured.

JAIL BOOKINGS

December 7, Terry Lee Clay, 39, Topeka, was booked into jail

by Anderson County Sheriff's Office for failure to appear. Cash bond was set at \$203. Released December 7.

December 7, Joshua L. Knapp, 35, Fort Scott, was booked into jail by Allen County Sheriff on suspicion of murder in the first degree. Bond set at \$1,000,000.

December 7, Eric Keith Spurgeon, 27, Garnett, was booked into jail by Garnett Police Department for failure to appear. Bond set at \$1,000.

December 9, Brian Scott Hermreck, 32, Ottawa, was booked into jail by Douglas county Sheriff Department on suspicion of probation violation and for failure to appear. Non-bondable.

December 9, Jennifer Leigh Ellis, 31, Kansas City, Mo., was booked into jail by Anderson County Sheriff's Office for failure to appear. Cash bond set at \$693. Released December 9.

December 9, Kasee Johnel Coleman, 30, Fort Scott, was booked into jail by Linn County Sheriff Office on suspicion of probation violation. No Bond Set.

December 9, Robert Mac Sparks, 37, Mapleton was booked into jail by Linn County Sheriff Office on suspicion of driving under the influence; 2nd conviction. Bond set at \$7,500.

December 9, David Lee Turner, 21, Olathe, was booked into jail by Miami County Sheriff Office on a warrant. No bond set.

On December 9, Michael Warren Brough, 52, Kansas City, was booked into jail by Miami County Sheriff Office on suspicion of probation violation. No bond set. Released December 13.

On December 9, Paula Deanne Clark, 48, Harrisonville, Mo., was booked into jail by Linn County Sheriff Office on suspicion of probation violation. No bond set. Released December 14.

On December 9, James Mathias Folsom, 36, Lacyne was booked into jail by the Linn County Sheriff Office for warrant. Bond set at \$500,000.

On December 9, Dylan Blake Guinn, 22, Pleasanton, was booked into jail by Linn County Sheriff Office for warrant. No bond set.

On December 9, John William McCammon, 40, Adrian, Mo., was booked into jail by Linn County sheriff Office for failure to appear. No bond set.

On December 10, Colton Lee Nickolas Lawrence, 25, Centerville, was booked into jail by Anderson County Sheriff's Office for failure to appear. Bond set at \$1,000. Released December 10.

On December 11, Donald Victor Bowers, 55, Kincaid, was booked into jail by Anderson County Sheriff's Office on suspicion of Driving under the influence; first conviction. Bond set at \$1,000. Released December 11.

On December 11, Adriaan Joost Vanberge, 35, Odessa, Mo., was booked into jail by Anderson County Sheriff's Office on suspicion of Driving under the influence, on suspicion of transporting an open container, on suspicion

of possession of hallucinogenic drugs, on suspicion of use/possession of drug paraphernalia, on suspicion of no proof of vehicle liability insurance, and on suspicion of driving while suspended; third or subsequent offence. No bond set. Released December 12.

On December 11, Leeza Ann Saunders, 22, Garnett, was booked into jail by Anderson County Sheriff's Office on 7 day writ for probation violation. No bond set.

On December 11, Bryan Adam Slusher, 30, Raymore, Mo., was booked into jail by Anderson County Sheriff's Office on suspicion of use/possession of drug paraphernalia, no bond set; on suspicion of possession of certain hallucinogenic drugs, bond set at \$500, and on suspicion of transporting an open container, no bond set. Released December 12.

On December 12, Ivan Dale Goins, 57, Colony, was booked into jail by Anderson County Sheriff's Office on 72 hour writ. No bond set. Released December 15.

On December 12, Cory James Mann, 33, Paducah, Ky., was booked into jail by Anderson County Sheriff's Office for contempt of court on a 24 hour writ. No Bond set. Released December 13.

JAIL ROSTER

Kaylee Schuster was booked into jail June 25 for Anderson County. Bond set at \$5,000.

Michael Jason Kinder was booked into jail July 26 for Anderson County to serve a sentence.

Colton Sobba was booked into jail August 5 for Anderson County. Court appearance.

Bradlee Pratt was booked into jail September 10 for Anderson County. Bond set at \$25,000. Has holds from Harvey County and the City of Newton.

Phillip Proctor was booked into jail September 19 for Anderson County. Bond set at \$50,000.

Eric Mersman was booked into jail September 22 for Anderson County. Bond set at \$20,000.

Joshua Heubach was booked into jail October 14 for Anderson County. Bond set at \$10,000 x 3.

Brian Franklin was booked into jail October 26 for Anderson County. Bond set at \$20,000.

Charles Steele was booked into jail November 14 for Anderson County. No bond amount listed.

Gary Colston was booked into jail November 23 for Anderson County. No bond amount listed.

Jeremy Spurlock was booked into jail November 24 for Anderson County. No bond amount listed.

Joshua Evans was booked into jail November 25 for Anderson County. No bond amount listed.

Joseph Dalton was booked into jail December 2 for Anderson County. No bond amount listed.

Eric Spurgeon was booked into jail December 7 for Garnett Police Department. No bond amount listed.

Leeza Saunders was booked into jail December 11 for Anderson County. No bond.

FARM-INS

Brad Gilchrist was booked into jail June 30 for Miami County.

Rhonda Jackson was booked into jail July 27 for Allen County.

Bradley Pharris was booked into jail September 13 for Linn County.

Chester Casida was booked into jail September 13 for Linn County.

Andrew Yeager was booked into jail September 20 for Linn County.

Gary Keith was booked into jail October 4 for Linn County.

Joel Sanchez was booked into jail October 7 for Miami County.

James Folsom was booked into jail October 26 for Linn County.

Joseph Cain Jr. was booked into jail November 4 for Miami County.

Johnathon Ramsey was booked into jail November 8 for Linn County.

Franklin Walker was booked into jail November 10 for Linn County.

Jacob Hays was booked into jail November 22 for Linn County.

Dylan Querry was booked into jail November 22 for Linn County.

David Bohlsen was booked into jail December 2 for Linn County.

David Turner was booked into jail December 9 for Maimi County.

Robert Sparks was booked into jail December 9 for Linn County.

Dylan Guinn was booked into jail December 9 for Linn County.

John McCammon was booked into jail December 9 for Linn County.

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just 0.05 inches of precipitation. The same amount of precipitation - 0.05 inches - fell between Saturday and Sunday, but cold temperatures turned that moisture into 1.5 inches of snow.

But a warm-up is ahead this week leading into the Christmas holiday, with a very slight chance of a white Christmas. If it isn't a white Christmas, though, it likely will be a wet one.

Temperatures are expected to be in the 40s most of this week, ranging from a high of around 46 Wednesday and Friday, to highs around 43 Thursday and Saturday. Low temperatures are expected between 22 tonight to 35 Saturday night.

There's a 20 percent chance of rain Friday, changing to a chance of rain and snow Friday night into Saturday morning. The chance of rain increases to 30 percent Saturday, up to

a 60 percent chance of rain and snow on Christmas Eve, Saturday night. On Christmas Day Sunday, Dec. 25, the chance of rain and snow is about 50 percent.

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It's time for Trump-style revolt against social media

We all know by now we saw a revolution last month on election day. I think another one is coming, this time on your computer, tablet or smartphone.

Most of us participated in the last one without really knowing we were swept up in a movement - we had no idea we were part of an evolving political phenomena that culminated in the surprise election of Donald Trump, until we started to notice that bead of sweat on Chuck Todd's upper lip mid-election night. Up to that point, we thought it was just us and our Facebook friends and Sean Hannity who were fed up with the way things were. When the news finally hit us, the jubilation came in torrents.

It'll be much the same with the next big revolution: the near full repudiation of social media and the way it treats us like digital dairy cattle.

Sure, you'll still have your cat videos and weather reports on your phone, but beyond that I predict Google and Mark Zuckerberg aren't going to be happy with you when you're done with them.

I'm recognizing it in myself. I'm seeing it among my social media contacts. I'm reading it all across the Internet. Folks are getting fatigued and dubious of the digital cocoon which Facebook, Google, et. al. are trying to seal us all into in order to turn the Internet into one big shakedown operation. Not just that - we're uneasy at the prospect that our personal information has become just another chunk of the mass of digital commodity being bought and sold. Worse yet, we gave it up willingly.

It started with me about the umpteenth time Google asked me for my phone number. Why does Google need my phone number? Probably not to find out why the paper is late to the rack at Casey's this morning. Now it seems Facebook too is obsessed with asking me for my number, and they're both so concerned about my whereabouts they relentlessly badger me to turn on the "location" app on my phone so they can figure out where I am this very second to steer me toward one of their advertisers.

My Facebook interactions tell the Zuck-ites about my interests and make me a target for similar "sponsored posts." My Google and Amazon searches tell Facebook what I'm shopping for, so things I searched for on one platform pop up on

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DANE HICKS, Publisher

another as a reminder to buy - or buy two.

It's invasive and it's uncomfortable. And more and more people are saying "enough." The evidence is mounting:

- It seems like every week, another major organization has had its customer records hacked; Target, Home Depot, Yahoo, etc. Our information isn't safe, and we know it.

- You're telling Facebook less. The platform is wringing its hands over a 21 percent decline in "original sharing" or personal updates among its users. Hence the new emoticons and the questions designed to make you interact and post something...."how are you feeling today?" and, wouldn't you like to repost this "memory" from three years ago?

- Concerns over "fake news" - those blips that pop up on your FB feed that tell you everything you want to believe, are making many of us realize we've been duped and FB, as well as the source, is to blame.

- A former Facebook employee said last spring 90 percent of the platform's editors of its Trending Topics were biased liberals. FB responded by doing away with those editors, now relying wholly on its analysis of your wants and desires to determine which and how much fake news comes your way, meaning an increase in false information.

- Gordon Borrell & Associates, which tracks spending on digital advertising, reports the real estate industry has been the first to cut its

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I was on the south side of the square last week and observed a physically challenged person who was experiencing difficulty with mobility and in serious danger of falling. Two young gentlemen, employees of the business in that area, rushed out of their business to offer assistance to this couple. Way to go guys. You know who you are. You are the best. Thanks for helping these people avoid serious injury.

I have a comment on the article in the paper this week about what kind of city manager do you want. I have noticed this for years but haven't said anything about it because when you say something critical in this town you get pushed to the outside of

the herd, but here it goes. I would hate to be trying to sell a house in Garnett these days. There are homes in this town that have been on the market literally for years. In other places right now they say the market for houses is so great they have buyers bidding on houses and they get more than the asking price. Not in Garnett. Why not? Garnett is a nice enough town. It's in a good location to drive to jobs in Ottawa. It's a good location to drive to jobs in Kansas City and lots of people do it. Why do these houses just sit here and sit on the market? Why doesn't anyone want to buy these houses and live in Garnett? I don't know all that's required to be a city manager, but it sure seems to me one thing that needs to be done here is to do something to where people want to come here and live in this town again. Thank you.

Crest taxpayers, how much did your property tax go up this year? Crest school district mill levy increase was most of the added cost. Now Crest School District is wanting to start a baseball program, build a field, buy equipment and hire another coach. Well played Mr. Mahon and Mr. Hermreck, well played. How soon are you going to ask the property owners to build a new gym. No cost is too high for added sports, but we have no money to improve curriculum. Wake up Crest.

CHURCH...

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Several years ago, the church added an annex building where it has Sunday School classes, and that building will continue to be used for the same purpose. The main sanctuary will remain the same, as well.

The addition was designed to match the existing sanctuary as much as possible, and will feature exposed beams similar to the exposed beams of the sanctuary ceiling.

Many church officials wanted to match the original church in other ways, such as a stone facade to match the building's original limestone exterior. But that would have added about \$1 million to the project, which is expected to cost about \$950,000 when it's completed. An estimated completion date is targeted for late February.

"This is a budget-friendly version of the old church," Goetz said. "We can add stone work in the future if the funds come in. But the walls are so much more efficient, and it's an excellent value."

The debate over the stone facade was one of the biggest obstacles to the project, aside from raising money to pay for the building, Goetz said.

"I understand why. It's a sentimental idea," he said.

The building committee also considered adding a bell tower. But such extra details are expensive, and would have delayed the project for years while money could be raised.

"We care about our kids right now," Goetz, who served as the church's youth pastor before becoming lead pastor Jan. 1, 2016.

Goetz said he was grateful to everyone in the congregation who worked together to make the project a reality after years of discussion and planning.

"In America, the church has been the hub of small communities for hundreds of years. I don't believe churches in Garnett are any different," Goetz said. "We want to be as great an asset to our community as possible, ultimately sharing the gospel every opportunity we get."

Trump reorients Republican economics

In the course of a couple of tweets, Donald Trump may have ended the image of the GOP as the party of corporate America.

After striking a Carrier deal to preserve about 800 jobs, the president-elect slapped the Indiana company Rexnord on Twitter for "rather viciously firing" its workers and then went after Boeing for ripping off the public on a \$3 billion Air Force One deal.

Just like that, and in less than 280 characters, Trump had established more distance from big business than the GOP had in a generation. In his frenetic way, he is forcing a reorientation of the Republican Party's economics, a change that is welcome in its broad contours, even if his methods are dubious and the potential pitfalls considerable.

Gone is the vaguely Randian emphasis on "makers vs. takers," with anyone who doesn't earn enough to make a net contribution to the funding of the federal government considered a parasite on the body politic.

Gone is the obsession with the federal deficit that has long been the King Charles' head of Republican policymakers.

Gone is the difficulty of conceiving of people as anything other than consumers or budding entrepreneurs who care only about the top marginal tax rate.

Contradicting these tropes, Trump bragged about taking even more people off the tax rolls; paid only lip service to the deficit; and

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made workers and their jobs his most prominent theme.

Trump hammered away at what's the true bottom line of the economy for most people - their wages.

Ultimately, wages grow when productivity increases, but a tighter labor market helps. One way to look at trade and immigration policy over the past several decades is that the political class has decided that less-educated Americans should have to compete more with less-educated foreigners, who either work in factories overseas where U.S. concerns relocate, or come here themselves to live and work.

This has to be at least part of the picture

of relatively stagnant wages, and declining labor-force participation. Steve Camarota of the Center for Immigration Studies crunched the numbers for the third quarter of 2016. While overall unemployment has been falling, the labor-force participation rate for working-age natives without a bachelor's degree is still lower than it was before the recession, just 70.4 percent now, compared with 74 percent before the downturn.

The ultimate metric for success for Trump will be whether he can get wages reliably increasing, and pull more of these people back into the workforce.

All that said, there is much to worry about in Trump's approach. A president of the United States calling out individual companies is inherently arbitrary and subject to abuse. There is a lot of room between being deficit-obsessive and acting as though we don't have to pay for anything. And a blow-out \$1 trillion infrastructure program would, inevitably, be politicized and wasteful.

In all these areas, one hopes Trump will be more restrained - and constrained, particularly by Congress. But the party should accept the new terms Trump has set out for its economic worldview, and focus on workers and their wages more than it has any time in memory.

Rich Lowry is editor of the National Review.

Get ready for the LLC debate

We're down to the just-before 2017 Legislature time when every little hint about what the governor would or would not consider in the march to a balanced budget becomes important.

And last week, at a series of press conferences, Gov. Sam Brownback said that he might, just might, consider some proposals to increase state revenues to balance the budget—apparently blended with reductions in spending.

Reporters have spent a lot of time crafting questions that would bring some subtle indication about just what tax increases the governor would, with just his signature, allow to become law.

So far, we've managed to get one pretty solid indication of a tax that he absolutely has no interest in. That's a start.

That "don't do it" that was the firmest is his opposition to placing a state sales tax on services, as differentiated from hard, hold in your hand, products.

So...it's time for the state's lawyers and accountants and financial service owners to take a deep breath and then maybe a drink because the governor doesn't want to tax the services they provide.

Oh, and that no-tax on services extends, of course, to nearly everyone who sells their services to make a living, ranging from roofers to lawn services to...we guess...pole dancers.

Those services amount to billions of dollars of transactions that don't make the state as much in revenue as selling a bar of soap or a new shirt.

While that no-services tax might have a positive effect on those providers it doesn't do

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MARTIN HAWVER, At The Rail

a thing for revenues.

It does, though, echo through the Statehouse, and it means that those sales tax-free service providers won't have to spend time and money lobbying the Legislature to keep their sales off the tax rolls. And, for them, it's a good thing.

Brownback also last week defended what started out as a small business tax break, the Limited Liability Corporation exemption from Kansas income tax.

Aimed to help small businesses keep enough profit to hire new workers and buy equipment, it quickly spread to giant businesses which don't have to pay income taxes on their income that isn't considered a wage.

Brownback said that the LLC exemption is helping job growth, and while the \$200 million to \$300 million cost in lost income tax revenues to the state is large, it also doesn't allow deductions for those non-tax business

expenses. What the trade-off between taxes and allowing exemptions for business expenses works out to is not clear, but it pares the tax loss by whatever those businesses could come up with as deductible expenses.

And...Brownback notes, some states are taking a look at the LLC tax exemption here for possible use in other states. He said Kansas' plan sounds a lot like President-elect Donald Trump's plan to lower corporate taxes so those businesses have more money to spend on expansion, higher wages for their employees and more reason to keep jobs in the United States rather than send them to low-wage countries.

It really comes down to the politics of the issues. Everyone who pays income taxes has a good argument that the guy down the street with an LLC ought to pay something to the state, too.

But those sales-tax exempt service-providers don't have to go to the expense and trouble of collecting taxes. And those income tax-exempt businesses don't have to spend time and effort collecting information to use for tax deductions and then pay a sales tax-exempt service provider accountant or lawyer or tax preparer to figure their tax bills.

Or, do we tax 'em both, and solve this revenue problem?

Can't tell...yet...

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Colony Lions Club has holiday events

Calendar

Nothing scheduled until after Christmas

School Calendar

Dec. 19-Jan. 3-No School, Christmas and New Year's Vacation

Meal Site

21-Birthday meal-chicken fried breast, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, roll, cake, ice cream; 23-baked ham, sweet potatoes, green beans, roll, pumpkin pie; 26-Christmas Day Holiday observed. Phone 620-852-3457 for meal reservations.

Christian Church

Sunday's Scripture was Luke 2:1-18. Pastor Andrew Zoll's sermon titled "Advent Conspiracy-Love All". Cross training Classes at 9:30 a.m. each Sunday. Worship Service at 10:45 a.m. Men's Bible Study-Tuesday, 7 a.m. Dec. 18-Church Christmas Program: "The Fumbly, Bumbly Angels" during church service. Dec. 24-Christmas Eve Candlelight Service at 7-8 p.m. Dec. 25-Church Service-There will be a short church service from 10-11. There will no Cross Training, Children's Church, or Nursery that day.

UMC

Sunday's scripture at the United Methodist Church morning service was Isaiah 11:1-10, Romans 15:4-13 and Matthew 3:1-12. Pastor Dorothy Welch presented the sermon, "SEE!"

Christmas program will be Christmas Eve at 5:30 p.m. "Canticle of Mary"

Crest Kindergarten

"Kindergarten is a wonderful time of learning" stated teacher Mrs. Brenda Stephens. They are learning to read, write, make patterns, count and also learning to share, cooperate and follow directions. Crest has 19 kindergarteners this year. They are Lukas Blaufuss, Sunny Brewer, Carter Browning, Chloe Burnett, Danielle Burnett, Ty Coberley, Athena Cook, Noah DeTar, Braylee Edgerton, Wyatt Francis, Bentley Hammond, Violet Henderson, Easton King, Trustin Moore, Jazzmyn Shell, Hannah Thompson, Brailey Valentine, Jemma Womelsdorf and Remington Womelsdorf. They have been in school for

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over 50 days now and are looking forward to the 100th day when they will have a party. When asked their favorite part of school ten of the nineteen replied "playing at recess."

Lions

Al Richardson, president was in charge of the Dec. 7 meeting. Eight members and one guest, Terry Weldin attended.

Business reported and discussed: paint has been purchased for casket stand; twenty-five members and guests attended the Christmas dinner held at the Colony Diner on Dec. 4, therefore

no second meeting in December is scheduled; names from the "Angel Tree" are received so gift purchases for the names will be made; was determined 82 sacks for Crest school on Dec. 16 are needed; confirmation made that Santa Claus will be available to hand out the school treats; voted to give poinsettias to those unable to be out and about; Terry Weldin drew the name for the Gun-a-Month raffle. Laverne Keim won the Glock 21 pistol.

Terry Weldin gave a report on the Zone Meeting held at Westphalia. He also asked we attend the upcoming meeting in Manhattan on the 3rd weekend in January. The Lions International President will be at this meeting to be held at the Four Points Hotel. Weldin also requested the club donate to purchase a full page ad for club's zone; this was voted upon and passed. He also announced that the District Convention will be held in Wichita on March 31 and April 1. The 100 Anniversary

pins will also be available again for \$7 per set.

Meeting was adjourned by President Al Richardson.

4-H

Seekers Not Slackers 4-H club members met Nov. 21 at the Lone Elm Community Building. The meeting was led by Jr. President Jerrick Jones. Roll call was answered with "what is your favorite Thanksgiving food?" Song leader Owen Thompson led the group in singing "Jingle Bells".

It was announced club members will be selling Blue and Gold sausage in January and February and also be participating in the Angel Tree Community Service project by adopting and buying gifts for Angels.

For the evening program, Kinley Edgerton gave a demonstration on mounting photos and Lillie Ball gave a project talk on her dairy goat. After the program they played a whipped cream candy relay. The meeting concluded with members stating

the 4-H Motto, "To Make the Best Better". The next club meeting and Christmas Party will be December 11 at 5 p.m. at the Lone Elm Community Building. Tyler Gillespie, reporter

Jolly Dozen

Club members met Nov. 21 at the City Hall Community Room with Phyllis Luedke as hostess. Roll call was answered by nine members telling their plans for Thanksgiving. They discussed cleaning out the flower barrels in the business area then meet Nov. 28 to decorate them with poinsettias. They look very nice.

Election of new officers for next year were held. President-Claudette Anderson, Vice-president-Charlene Tinsley, secretary and treasurer-Virginia Dutton. Marilyn Thexton won the hostess gift. Their Christmas party was scheduled for Dec. 29

at the community room.

Jane Ward, Dixie Ward and friend, Debbie Wools, Marilyn Thexton and Phyllis Luedke were fairies and an elf in the Magical Christmas parade Dec. 3.

Around Town

In last week's item in Community Cares item it was stated - "Total amount of donations received are \$202.50 to be divided to Colony Fire Responders and Colony Lions Club." It should have read \$202.50 went to Colony Fire Responders and \$202.50 to Colony Lions Club. Sorry for the misunderstanding.

This remains open in the event someone did not get their donation to them. Contact one of the girls at the bank and they will see that your loved one is added, 620-852-3512.



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The annual banquet for senior citizens as guests was held at the Colony City Hall Community Room Sunday evening, Dec. 11. Colony Youth groups, (Crest students grades 4-12 pictured above) celebrated the Savior's Birth. Articles were read, music played, group singing, lots of good food, as well as neighborly visits were enjoyed.

Iola Amateur Radio Club takes part in paper drive

The Iola Amateur Club held their regular meeting on December 8, 2016 at Iola City Hall. Present were 10 members and 1 guest.

Gale Jeffers reported IARC delivered 870 lbs. to the November paper drive. Next paper drive will be January 14, 2017.

Financial committee will meet January 14, 2017 to audit the books.

Several community programs were discussed in which the IARC may participate in the spring.

Upcoming Ham Fest Winter Field Days January 23 To 29, 2017 Several have decided to participate in it.

Officers for 2017 are: President Gale Jeffers, KD0GHA; vice president Sara Fitzwater, KD0YOJ secretary; Kim Romig, KD0DMC; treasur-

er Jeremy Utley, KQOM.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned. The next meeting

will be January 12, 2017 in Iola City Hall at 7:00 p.m.

IARC Secretary, Kim Romig

Duplicate bridge played

Lynda Feuerborn and Faye Leitch won the duplicate bridge match December 14 in Garnett. Mary Margaret Thomas and Tom Peavler edged Dave Leitch and Tom Williams for second

place.

The club Christmas party and bridge match is December 21st at 1:00 at the Garnett Inn. Matches will resume January 4th.

EDITORIAL...

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spending (10 percent last year) on various digital marketing - because it just isn't convincing you to buy. A nationwide survey last summer of small and medium sized businesses echoed the problem business is having getting attention within your declining interest level. "Internet 'pay per click' type ads seem to produce a whole lot of ad traffic, with almost no actual customer traffic to our business." one respondent commented

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front of the Youtube video you searched up?

The dissent is growing, just like its political version grew for years among those Republicans and Libertarians and Independents and never-been-registered voters who in the end massed behind a flawed candidate to defeat one which was even worse. The signs show the same is coming for the Internet. The big players and web bosses can't force feed us what we don't want without repercussions.

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Greeley DARE Graduates



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Above, the fifth and sixth graders at Greeley Elementary were recently recognized during a graduation ceremony from the D.A.R.E. program. Fifteen students completed coursework and essay writings in the semester-long program which focuses on teaching students the dangers of drug and alcohol use. It also teaches methods of dealing with peer pressure and healthy ways to deal with stress. The program is taught by Officer Max Skelton of the Anderson County Sheriff's Department. Pictured: Far back- Officer Max Skelton; (Back Row l to r) Fifth graders- Travis Lickteig, Preston Kueser, Alex Schaffer, Tyler Stinnett, Kyson Hayes, Cadence Wilper, and Brendan Teal. (Front row): Sixth graders- Lane Richards, Bryce McCurdy, Jake Lee, Tayven Sutton, Emma Schaffer, Owen Johnson, and Reggi Lickteig. (not pictured- Ella Steeves)

At right: Lane Richards (left) was chosen as the Overall Essay Winner and Emma Schaffer was chosen as the Female Essay Winner from this year's D.A.R.E. graduating class at Greeley. Lane and Emma are pictured with Officer Max Skelton who teaches the program.



Three local students graduate from ESU

EMPORIA -- Nearly 550 students were candidates for degrees during winter commencement at Emporia State University on Saturday, Dec. 17.

Graduates from this area include:

- Emily Anne Scheckel of Richmond, Kansas, with a Bachelor of Arts degree in English.

- Megan Diane Sprague of Garnett, Kansas, with a Master of Science degree in Physical

Science with a concentration in Earth Science.

- Kristin Michelle Stephens of Westphalia, Kansas, with a Bachelor of Science degree in Biology with a concentration in Pre-Physician Assistant.

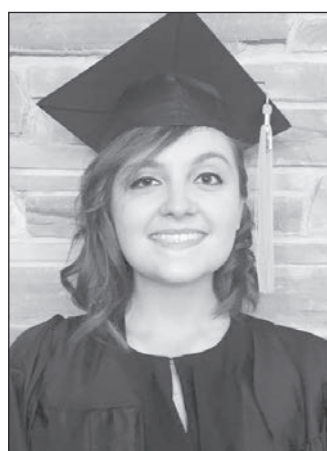
Dr. Blake Flanders, president and CEO of the Kansas Board of Regents, gave remarks. Dr. Marshall Sundberg, biological sciences professor and 2016 Roe R. Cross Distinguished Professor, addressed the undergraduates.

Moss graduates from KU

LAWRENCE - Christina Moss, a graduate of Anderson County High School, graduated from the University of Kansas School of Engineering Saturday, Dec. 10. She received a bachelor of science degree in architectural engineering.

Christina is the daughter of Vickie Moss of Garnett and the granddaughter of Ralph and Trisha Moss of Garnett.

Christina works for FSC, Inc., an engineering firm in Overland Park.



Moss

Kansas State University students receive record 14,200 scholarships

MANHATTAN — Students at Kansas State University have earned nearly 14,200 academic scholarships for the 2016-2017 academic year—500 more than in 2015-2016 and 2,000 more than in 2014-2015.

Overall, Kansas State University students have earned more than \$33.28 million in scholarships for the current academic year. Nearly 6,500 in-state students received \$24.45 million, 1,456 out-of-state students received \$8.29 million and 227 international students received more than \$548,000 in scholarship funding.

"Thanks to the incredible support of our donors, we are awarding more scholarships to our students than ever before," said Pat Bosco, vice president for student life and dean of students. "We remain the No. 1 choice among Kansas high school seniors. We are extending the general scholarship deadline for incoming freshmen to Dec. 15, so we encourage all high school seniors to apply."

Most of the scholarships are made possible through donations and gifts to the Kansas State University Foundation.

Anderson County students who received scholarships included:

- Centerville: Chris Holderman, Veterinary Medicine DHS Scholarship
- Colony: Drake Dieker, Agricultural Enhancement Fund; Emily Frank, Business Administration Dean's Scholarship, Elnita Ehler Jezek Scholarship for Business Education Students, Foundation Scholarship; Colton Strickler, Gary and Peggy Edwards Bluemont Scholarship in the College of Engineering, Henry J. Putnam
- Garnett: Remington Hedges, Achievement Award, K-State Alumni Association Legacy Scholarship; Kinlee Jones, Activity Scholarship, Agricultural Enhancement Fund; Darissa Maley, Charles P. Setterquist and Doris M. Setterquist Scholarship, Leadership Scholarship; Derrick Nelson, Charles I. Singelton Scholarship in Grain Science and Industry, First in Class Scholarship, K-State Alpha Gamma Rho Scholarship, Medallion Scholarship; Jack Rickabaugh, Transfer Achievement Award; Hannah Steele, Achievement Award
- Greeley: Morgan Egidy, K-State Marching Band Scholarship, Vallie Maupin Kirk and Rex Maupin Memorial Music Scholarship; Bryce Feuerborn, Achievement Award; Maci Rockers, Baeten Farm Scholarship, Foundation Plus Scholarship; Tyler Stifter, Architectural Engineering and Construction Science Excellence Scholarship, D. Craig and Dalene D. Nelson Construction Science Scholarship, Foundation for Engineering at Kansas State University Fund
- Richmond: Alexis Pedrow, Don D. and Barbara L. Pretzer Scholarship, Leadership Scholarship, Patricia Riker Conderman Leadership Scholarship, Willis G. Griffing Scholarship; Adam Sobba, Business Administration Dean's Scholarship, Ralph B. Glotzbach MBA Scholarship, Risk Management Scholarship
- Westphalia: Timothy Comfort, Medallion Scholarship; Wyatt Pracht, CHS University Scholarship.

McCarty named ESU Ambassador

EMPORIA -- Cody McCarty of Princeton, Kansas, has been named an ESU Ambassador for 2017.

A service organization, ESU Ambassadors has a long history of service to the university and strives for excellence in everything from campus tours to E-Zone to Senior Week. Ambassadors promote service, spirit and success and with leaders from a wide variety of campus and community organizations, the ESU Ambassadors are setting the stage for years of future success.

McCarty is a Senior Elementary Education major.



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Four gifts for Christmas

The season of advent is a time when Christians prepare their hearts and lives for a worthy celebration of God's greatest gift, the birth of our Lord and Savior. The celebration is centered around the advent wreath.

The advent wreath was first used by Protestants in Germany in the Lutheran church. The circle of the advent wreath represents God's never ending love. The evergreens symbolize the hope of eternal life. The four purple or royal blue candles represent the kingship of Christ. The color purple in the early church represented royalty. The four candles also represent the four Sundays in advent. In some wreaths the third candle is rose colored from a practice in the Middle Ages of using rose to represent an especially esteemed person. In this case it would be Jesus the Christ. The white candle in the center is lighted on Christmas Eve or Christmas Day.

One candle is lighted each Sunday and the ones from the previous weeks are relighted. The purpose of the candles is to prepare our hearts for the celebration of Christ's birth.

The first candle is the candle of anticipation. I remember as a boy arriving at my grandparents' house on Christmas morning. I remember the wonderful smell of the kitchen, the decorated tree and the beautifully wrapped gifts. Just the anticipation was almost as much fun as Christmas itself. In Isaiah 7:14 the prophet anticipates the coming Christ when he says, "The virgin will be with child and will give birth to a son, and will call him Immanuel", that is God with us.

The second candle is the candle of hope. The Psalmist asks in Psalm 42:5, "Why are you downcast O my soul? Why so disturbed within me? Put your hope in God, for I will yet praise him, my Savior and my God." Christmas time can be

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By David Bilderback

a time of hope or hopelessness depending on our situation. While many are burdened with too much to do others are extremely lonely. If we look far enough into eternity God says we will not be disappointed, our hopes will be realized.

The third candle is the candle of discernment. In Luke 10:38-42 Jesus explains to Martha that her sister Mary has chosen what was better as she set at Jesus' feet and listened to his teaching while Martha was distracted by all of the preparation of the meal. May we make sure we are doing things for the love of God through Christ who enables us to share the fellowship of family and friends and to give gifts of love.

The fourth candle is the candle of love and joy. Matthew 6:21 says, "For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." Someone once said, "God cannot put anything in hands that are tightly clasped around something." In order to receive maximum joy from something we must hold it loosely to allow God to work. God loves us and wants to give us good things. "For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son." If God was willing to do that will he not do good things for us?

On Christmas Eve or Christmas Day we light all the candles including the white Christ candle in the center. The angel said in Luke 2:10, "I bring you good news of great joy for all the people." Four gifts, anticipation, hope, discernment, love and joy. On your journey through advent may you find these gifts and have a blessed Christmas.

David Bilderback: A Ministry on the Holiness of God.



Garnett Lions president Skip Landis leads Christmas carols for a group of area youngsters during Sunday's Garnett Lions Club Christmas party. The local Club sponsors the party each year for local kids in the Garnett area as part of its community service initiative.

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Talk about insurance during the holidays

TOPEKA — The Christmas and New Year's holidays are family times filled with reminiscences. But when family gathers, they can also be times to have good conversations about how to protect and insure families and their property, according to Ken Selzer, CPA, Kansas Commissioner of Insurance.

"Focusing on family and property insurance considerations can be beneficial during the holiday season," Commissioner Selzer said. "With close relatives on hand, those conversations about how to protect your loved ones and your property are valuable."

Commissioner Selzer and the staff at the Kansas Insurance Department offer the following ideas for insurance discussions and consider-



KEN SELZER, Kansas Insurance Commissioner

- Know what your teenagers and young adults are concerned about. Getting them to open up might be hard, but they could have questions about life situations and insurance that are important to them and to you.
- Know a qualified insurance professional and financial adviser, and let him/her assess your insurance needs. Just like the generations of your family, insurance needs change.
- Know when insurance pre-

quency, use of generics, pharmacy information — all are important to share with close family members.

- Know about the condition of family vehicles. Are they sound mechanically, serviced regularly, stocked accordingly with travel necessities?
- Know what your teenagers and young adults are concerned about. Getting them to open up might be hard, but they could have questions about life situations and insurance that are important to them and to you.
- Know a qualified insurance professional and financial adviser, and let him/her assess your insurance needs. Just like the generations of your family, insurance needs change.
- Know when insurance pre-

miums are due—yearly, semi-annually, quarterly or monthly. Keep them on a centrally-located calendar. This idea can be truly helpful for a single adult, a young family or empty nesters on a fixed income.

• Know, in the case of older family members, what their health insurance policies contain and what their medical preferences are for providers and institutions.

"Discussions about these points during holiday gatherings can have a positive impact on finances and insurance needs," Commissioner Selzer said, "Whatever your life stage, it's a comfort to know that trusted family members and financial advisers can assist you if you need it."



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The ACHS band performed at the Sr. Citizen Center during their lunch hour Wednesday, Dec. 15. For their final selection Ron Zimmerman was the honorary guest conductor of Jolly Old St. Nick.

Members of the ACHS band performed Christmas carols while the Garnett Rotary club sang on during their annual Christmas Dinner. Front row left to right Zach Barnes, Tiffany Mills, Kathryn Williams, back row Jeff Russell director, Chris Peine, Billy Miller, Eddie Gruver



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AC's Alexey Lickteig hustles down court Friday night as Osawatomi players scramble to catch up. The Bulldog girls took a decisive 61-29 win over the Trojans.

Defense propels Lady Bulldogs

BY KEVIN GAINES THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

GARNETT - The Anderson County Lady Bulldogs rolled over the Osawatomi Trojans 61-29 Friday in Pioneer League basketball action.

The Bulldogs (2-4) also opened the season with a 53-20 win over Oz for their only other victory of the year. Osawatomi (0-6) has struggled to stay competitive as they

have lost all of their games by 29 or more points this season.

AC blanked the Trojans in the first quarter to take an early 9-0 lead. They continued to build on that lead stretching their advantage out to 28-8 at intermission. The topped the Trojans 21-9 in the third to put the game out of reach.

Senior Maycee Ratliff led all scorers with 12 points. Alexis

Feuerborn and Emily Fritz both tacked on 11 to help pace the Bulldogs.

Box Score
Osawatomi 0 8 9 12 - 29
Anderson County 9 19 21 12 - 61
Osawatomi - Hendrickson 11, Kampfe 8, Block 2, Wallace 2, Shiply 2, Johnson 2, Burnett 2
Anderson County - Ratliff 12, Feuerborn 11, Fritz 11, Scheckel 7, Lybarger 6, Lickteig 4, Spring 3, Pedrow 3, Schmidt 2, Walter 2

Girard overwhelms Lady Bulldogs

BY KEVIN GAINES THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

GARNETT - The Girard Trojans (4-0) were way too much for the Anderson County Lady Bulldogs (1-4) handing them their 4th straight defeat last Tuesday in their first home basketball game of the season, 52-19.

The 6th ranked 4A DII Trojans were 21-4 last season,

so the Bulldogs knew they were in for a challenge. Girard led 16-7 after the first quarter and controlled the game throughout. The Trojans continued to frustrate Anderson County by allowing them only two points in the third quarter.

With the struggles offensively, the leading scorers for the Bulldogs were Adrianna Pedrow and Shylie Scheckel

with just 4 points each.

Box Score
Girard 16 12 12 12 - 52
Anderson County 7 3 2 7 - 19
Girard - Augustine 12, Crane 9, Ray 9, Hanson 8, Flaharty 4, Franklin 2, Ferguson 2, Worrell 2, Fans 2, Murphy 2
Anderson County - Pedrow 4, Scheckel 4, Fritz 2, Lybarger 2, Feuerborn 2, Lickteig 2

Bulldogs falter in second half in loss

BY KEVIN GAINES THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

GARNETT - The Anderson County Bulldogs started strong at home Tuesday night against Girard before fading in the second half on their way to a 79-53 defeat.

Girard was successful in their first game on the road this season and the victory was their second straight to even their record at 2-2 as the Bulldogs dropped to 1-5 and have lost their last 4 games.

AC trailed just 32-29 at half-time before Girard imposed their will in the second half.

Bumped the lead by 10 more in the final period.

Trevor Johnston led the Bulldogs with 15 points. John Rundle and Justin Rockers were the other two in double figures with 13 and 12 points respectively.

Box Score
Girard 19 13 22 23 - 79
Anderson County 17 12 11 13 - 53
Girard - Goff 21, Wilson 18, Troike 13, Fisher 10, Moya 6, Lopez 5, Hopson 4, Lindbloom 2

Anderson County - Johnston 15, Rundle 13, Rockers 12, Allnut 6, Kueser 2, Peine 2, Willard 2, Kropf 1

Lancers rally for first win

BY KEVIN GAINES THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

PLEASANTON - Both the Crest Lancers and the Pleasanton Blu-Jays entered last week's game winless, but it would be Crest that battled back from a 4th quarter deficit to earn a much needed 56-53 victory.

The two teams played neck-and-neck throughout the first half. They were tied after the first quarter before Pleasanton forged ahead slightly at half-time, 37-34. Crest tightened up defensively in the second half limiting the Blu-Jays to just 16 points to pull off the come-from-behind-victory.

Hayden Hermreck provided the spark offensively with 33 points on the evening.

Hermreck hit 13 of his 24 shots overall, included 6 out of 13 from three-point land. He also added 4 rebounds and 3 blocked shots on the night.

No other Lancer reached double figures offensively, but Hayden Seabolt had 4 points and 11 rebounds and Caleb Stephens added 3 points, 10 rebounds and 4 blocks.

It was a huge relief for head coach Travis Hermreck and his Lancers to get their first win heading into holiday break.

"It feels so good to get win number one on the season, kind of feels like a giant weight has been lifted. When you are struggling and start the season with four losses, sometimes a little doubt starts creeping in,"

Hermreck stated. "This was a fun game for us, I am proud of how everyone stepped up and made a play for us at some point tonight. We showed a little fire and composure tonight," he said.

Hermreck also added, "We have a little break now, so hopefully we can make the most out of this momentum heading into our holiday practices."

Box Score
Crest 17 17 11 11 - 56
Pleasanton 17 20 10 6 - 53
Crest - Hermreck 33, Vaughn 8, Hendrix 4, Seabolt 4, Berry 4, Stephens 3

Pleasanton - Brandt 2, Duncan 10, Secrest 6, George 4, McKee 4, Coker 3, Hockman 2,

Osage City runs past Vikings

BY KEVIN GAINES THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

OSAGE CITY - The Osage City Indians controlled the Central Heights Vikings from start to finish last Tuesday in a dominating 66-26 basketball victory.

Central Heights quickly fell

behind 22-3 after the first quarter en route to a 39-11 halftime deficit.

Leading the Vikings in scoring was Ethan Shields with 11 on the night. Kyler Bootherton was close behind with 10 points.

Box Score

Central Heights 3 8 7 8 - 26
Osage City 22 17 16 11 - 66
Central Heights - Shields 11, Bootherton 10, Speaks 3, Thompson 2

Osage City - Wilkins 17, Cooley 9, Plinsky 8, Pearson 7, Kimball 7, Swindale 7, Davis 5, Sage 3, Littrell 3

Lady Vikings hold on against Osage City

BY KEVIN GAINES THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

OSAGE CITY - The Central Heights Lady Vikings held on for a narrow 38-37 win over the Osage City Indians last week.

The Indians hit a three-pointer at the buzzer to make the deficit one, emphasizing the importance of a pair of free throws by freshman Abby Brown with six seconds left in the contest - which put the Vikings up by four points.

The Vikings fell behind 11-10 after the first quarter but after stymying the Indians in the second quarter and limiting them to a single free throw, they held a 18-12 advantage at

intermission.

The Vikes held on with solid free throw shooting on the night, hitting 8-11 attempts. Osage City struggled from the line only connecting on 6 of 17 for the game.

Megan Davis and Shelbi Hettinger both led the Vikings with 9 points on the night. Tess Cotter added 8 points of her

own.

Box Score
Central Heights 10 8 9 11 - 38

Osage City 11 1 10 15 - 37
Central Heights - Davis 9, Hettinger 9, Cotter 8, Clancy 4, Brown 4, Bell 2, Stockard 2
Osage City - Orender 22, Bolyard 5, Crawford 4, Kloforn 3, McCue 2, Serna 1

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- Tuesday, December 20**
- 8:30 a.m. - GES Awards Ceremony, kindergarten; grades 1-2 at 9:15 a.m.; grades 3-6 at 10 a.m.
 - 9 a.m. - TOPS at Garnett Methodist Church basement, 2nd & Oak
 - Noon - Rotary International Club at Garnett Inn and Suites
- Wednesday, December 21**
- Winter Break begins, USD 365
 - 10:30 a.m. - Kincaid Community Library Family Story Time
 - Noon - Birthday dinner at Garnett Senior Center, with entertainment at 11. RSVP to (785) 448-6996 the day before.
 - 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. - Colony Lions Club at Colony United Methodist Church
 - 7 p.m. - Kincaid Lions Club at Kincaid-Selma United Methodist Church
- Thursday, December 22**
- 9:30 a.m. - Pieces & Patches Quilt Guild at the Anderson County Annex
 - 6 p.m. - 13 Point Pitch and snacks at the Garnett Senior Center
 - Garnett Saddle Club at the Garnett Riding Arena
- Sunday, December 25**
- Christmas Day. Some events may be canceled or postponed.
 - 12:30 p.m. - Garnett Senior Center Christmas Dinner
- Monday, December 26**
- 4 p.m. - Crest will host League Scholar's Bowl
- Saturday, December 31**
- New Year's Eve. Some events may be canceled or postponed.
- Monday, January 2**
- 9 a.m. - Anderson County Commission at the Anderson County Annex
 - 9 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. - Friendship Quilters at the Kincaid-Selma United Methodist Church
 - 6-8:30 p.m. - Celebrate Recovery, Garnett Church of the Nazarene
 - 6:30 p.m. - Garnett Lions Club at VFW
 - 6:30 p.m. - Webelos 1 & 2 (fourth & fifth grades) Den Club Scouts meeting
 - 7:30 p.m. - Kincaid Masonic Lodge No. 338
- Tuesday, January 3**
- Classes resume, USD 365, 479
 - 9 a.m. - TOPS at Garnett Methodist Church basement, 2nd & Oak
 - Noon - Rotary International Club at Garnett Inn and Suites
 - 4 p.m. - ACJH boys basketball at home with Osawatomie
 - 4:30 p.m. - ACHS basketball at Iola
 - 4:45 p.m. - Central Heights basketball at home with Northern Heights
 - 5 p.m. - Wespithalia basketball at Pleasanton
 - 6 p.m. - Crest basketball at Northeast-Arma
 - 6:30 p.m. - Garnett Optimist Club at Mr. D's Pioneer Restaurant
- Wednesday, January 4**
- Classes resume, USD 288
 - 10:30 a.m. - Kincaid Community Library Family Story Time
 - 1 p.m. - Garnett Duplicate Bridge at the Garnett Inn
 - 5:30 p.m. - USD 365 Booster Club
 - 6 p.m. - GES PTO
 - 7 p.m. - Colony Lions Club at Colony United Methodist Church
 - 7 p.m. - Kincaid Lions Club at Kincaid-Selma United Methodist Church



The Anderson County Junior High Band performs during a concert Monday, Dec. 12. Pictured from left are: Kegan Katzer, Jorel Nicholas, Todd Crawford and Jenna Alexander.

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Deputy graduates from Kansas law enforcement training

YODER - An Anderson County deputy was among 61 new law enforcement officers congratulated by Wichita Police Department Chief Gordon Ramsay during their graduation from the Kansas Law Enforcement Training Center on Dec. 9.

Anderson County Sheriff's deputy Bert McFaul of Garnett was among the graduates.

The new officers were members of the 242nd basic training class at the center. Located one mile west and one mile south of Yoder, near Hutchinson, the center is a division of University of Kansas Professional & Continuing Education.

The graduates, who began their training Aug. 29, represented 43 municipal, county and state law enforcement agencies from across Kansas.

Graduates receive certificates of course completion from KLET/C and Kansas law enforcement certification from the Kansas Commission on Peace Officers' Standards and Training, the state's law enforcement licensing authority. The training course fulfills the state requirement for law enforcement training. Classroom lectures and hands-on applications help train officers to solve the increasingly complex problems they face in the line of duty.

Established by the Kansas Legislature in 1968, the center trains the majority of municipal, county and state law enforcement officers in Kansas and oversees the training of the remaining officers at seven authorized and certified academy programs operated by local law enforcement agencies and the Kansas

Highway Patrol.

About 300 officers enroll annually in the 14-week basic training program. The center offered continuing education and specialized training to as many as 5,600 Kansas officers each year. Funding for the training center is generated from court docket fees from municipal and state courts. No funds from the state's general revenue are used to operate the center.

Highberger attends Modern Woodmen of America forum

Margaret Highberger, Westphalia, Kan., a Modern Woodmen of America representative, has completed a five-day educational program at Modern Woodmen's home office in Rock Island, Ill.

The program focused on comprehensive financial services for families and small businesses. Using a computer software program, participants studied the impact of social security benefits and inflation on financial plans. In addition, attendees learned the benefits of incorporating mutual funds and variable products, where appropriate, when evaluating financial needs and goals.

Founded in 1883, Modern Woodmen of America touches lives and secures futures. The fraternal financial services organization offers financial products and fraternal member benefits to individuals and families throughout the United States.



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Members from Anderson County joined more than 800 Farm Bureau members of Kansas during Kansas Farm Bureau's 2016 Annual Meeting in Manhattan Dec. 4-6. Pictured here are Jake Strobel, Amy Strobel, Debbie Kueser and Gail Kueser. They wrapped up important business for their farm organization after debating and adopting policy statements for 2017. These policies will now become the roadmap for the organization during the upcoming legislative session.

White among those honored by Farm Bureau

MANHATTAN - Kansas Farm Bureau recognized Jere White of Anderson County and other members and friends at its 98th Annual Meeting, Dec. 5-6 in Manhattan.

On Monday, Dec. 5, the organization recognized its Friends of Agriculture. This award recognizes individuals who have made significant contributions to Kansas Farm Bureau and agriculture or rural Kansas. They included Jere White, Anderson County. White has served

as the executive director of the Kansas Corn Growers Association. He is a board member on both the U.S. Meat Export Federation and the U.S. Grains Council. Jere was the founder and chairman of the Triazine Network, a national coalition of growers involved with the Environmental Protection Agency's regulation of the triazine herbicides, atrazine and simazine.

Others recognized included: Jeff Davidson, Greenwood County; Dennis

Gruenbacher, Sedgwick County; Randy Lewis, Douglas County; Jimmie Mengarelli, Crawford County; Mark Ploger, Pratt County; Les Regier, Johnson County; Frank Van Fleet, Wyandotte County; Richard, Michael and Brian Thompson, Norton County, who received the Kansas Farm Bureau Natural Resources Award; Amy Cassel, Farm Bureau Financial Services Agency Manager, received KFB's Partnership Award.

Make your referral program, simple and motivating

The gist of "referral" programs isn't nearly as complicated as it sounds. It just goes back to the old adage that "word of mouth is the best advertising."

And it really is. One business study showed that a customer who's referred to your business from another customer has a 16-18 percent higher lifetime value - they're more loyal and they're less expensive to acquire on average than other customers.

The music industry has been the best example of an unsung referral program for eons. "Hey, listen to these guys," someone tells you as they cue up a song they like. That happened to me when I was in the 7th grade, and I've been buying KISS records and merchandise ever since. KISS acquired me as a fan and a customer without ever running an ad, offering me a coupon or spending a nickel on marketing directed at me. My cousin did all the work for them.

Though that kind of referral is cheap, the problem is it can be the hardest to get, because unlike placing an ad in your local newspaper or radio or TV station or free Internet site, you have little or no control. Your customer is in charge. How do you know your present customer will refer you?

You don't. But you can organize things you're already doing to try to ensure it.

For starters, you have to be a business that a customer *wants* to refer someone to. That goes back to value - the idea that customers get their money's worth or more by doing business with you through great products and great service.

Next you need a premium - not just for the present customer you hope will do the work for you, but also for the unknown new referral as a motivator to come experience you. I recommend making both the premiums the same - a free something (everybody likes getting something for free) or a percentage off a followup purchase.

Next you need a simple vehicle to communicate the referral offer. There are loads of special software programs you can buy on the Internet to track referrals and award "custom points" and all that jazz, and that's great if you have the money and staff to conduct it,

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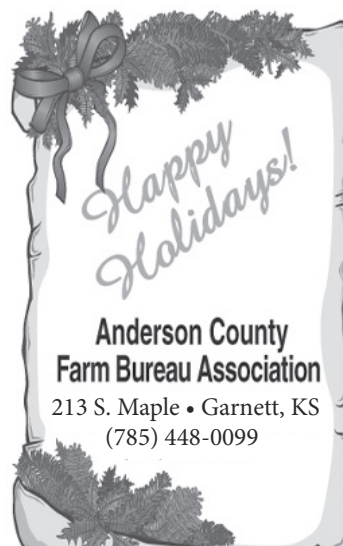
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but I like a simple referral card or tear-off coupon at the counter you can hand to a customer as you're thanking them for their business. Don't ask them if they want to participate - just put their name on it and hand it to them. You can find free formats for these on the web and print them from your own computer, or have a local print shop make them up for you.

Make sure you have a line with the present customer's name, and a blank line beneath it for the referred customer's name. Ideally, your present customer hands off the card to someone who then redeems it with you on your promise of a free pair of gloves with purchase, a free sandwich with a \$10 order, etc. When redeeming the card, write the referred customers name on the second line.

Then the best idea is to find a place on the wall or near the cash register to tape or thumb-tack up the redeemed referral cards - that way referrers can see if their buddy redeemed the card, and you promote the program to in-store traffic.

Referral programs don't have to be complicated, they just have to be motivating.



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'The Season of Lights' provides holiday inspiration

The other morning while reading my daily inspirational devotion, I couldn't help but want to share it with you.

This devotion was entitled "The Season of Lights" and was written by a man named John.

2 Corinthians 4:6
Seeing it is God who said, "Light will shine out of darkness". Who has shone in our hearts, to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.

In America and elsewhere around the world, December is known as the season of lights. Many families sit in their cars and wait a long time to see houses professionally decorated in Christmas lights. From the clear lights to red, blue, and green, the world is painted with a picture that saturates our souls with joy and peace.

Every year as we approach Christmas, we celebrate the coming of Christ-the Light that shines in the darkness. So much throughout the rest of the year, however, we wait and gnash our teeth at all the darkness. And we completely forget about the Light.



DIGGING UP THE PAST

But then, as the days grow shorter and the skies themselves grow darker, the Christmas lights are displayed in all their glory. And we remember that no matter how dark our world is becoming, all hope is not lost.

Christ is our Light. And, just like the beautiful houses you travel to see, Christ's Light can shine in you. Spend this December season noticing and rejoicing in the many ways God's Light shines in the darkness. And spend this season in loving service to those living in darkness-that you too might saturate their souls with Joy and Peace.

Kay and I wish all of you a very merry Christmas and blessed new year 2017.

A minute with Marshall

Record crops, low commodity prices and stalled trade negotiations spell troubled times for Kansas farmers and ranchers heading into 2017.

Like many other small businesses, inputs to produce a bumper crop generally entail an abundance of costs as well. Except for lower fuel prices, most agricultural inputs remain high and continue to rise.

Drive through rural Kansas and you'll see huge piles of red and gold grain lying on the ground. Talk to farmers and ranchers and they'll tell you their near economic prospects don't look good.

"Insight" visited with Congressman-elect Roger Marshall at the recent Kansas Farm Bureau convention to ask him what could be done to remedy some of the ailments in farm country.

Marshall campaigned on a platform of bringing Kansas farmers a voice on the House Ag Committee. He labeled himself a "fifth generation farm kid" and said, "I do know what the back side of a tractor feels like and I hauled a lot of hay in my day."

He's practiced as an OB-GYN and served as Chairman of the Board of Great Bend Regional Hospital. Marshall says some of his best knowledge about agriculture was learned while he served as a board member of the Farmer's Bank and Trust in Great Bend.

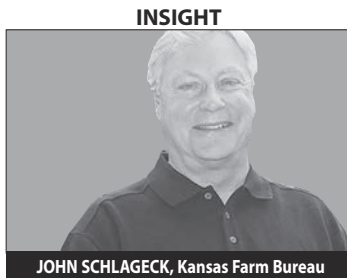
"Times are tough in agriculture," Marshall says. "And there are no simple solutions."

Beefing up our trade policy would help the Kansas farmer, he says. While he understands president-elect Trump is against the Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP) in its present form. He is committed to free and fair trade and that may leave room to work.

Many farmers, ranchers and other ag leaders realize if this nation engaged in more free trade it would drive up prices.

"If we passed TPP tomorrow, it'd mean \$400,000 a day of additional cattle sales to the Pacific Rim countries," Marshall says.

Positive trade deals could provide Kansas farmers and ranchers with an opportunity to remain competitive in



INSIGHT

today's global marketplace. If the United States stays on the sideline, others will continue to sign trade agreements with China, India, Japan and many other developing countries who would welcome Kansas' high quality feed grains, protein, value-added products and manufactured goods.

Marshall also believes decreasing regulations in agriculture, banking and health care could drive the cost of inputs down.

"The new administration is going to come in and say, 'halt and desist' to the Environmental Protection Agency," the congressman-elect says. "I expect (legislation on) Waters of the United States (WOTUS) to slow down or stop all together."

"When you look at the law that talks about navigable streams, as near as I can tell, water running in a ditch is not navigable where I come from."

Tax reform is another way to help this country's economy and that of Kansas farmers and ranchers, Marshall says. He believes a reduction in corporate taxes will spur companies and individuals to invest money and grow businesses.

Rebuilding this nation's infrastructure could also invigorate this nation's economy.

"Buckle in because we're going to start to work on Jan. 4," Marshall says. "Congress will no longer conduct two and three-day work weeks. Our new president expects us to produce and we expect to operate as a Congress of action. We're going to turn our economy around."

John Schlageck is a leading commentator on agriculture and rural Kansas. Born and raised on a diversified farm in northwestern Kansas, his writing reflects a lifetime of experience, knowledge and passion.

CHRISTMAS...

FROM PAGE 1A

host praising God, and saying, 2:14 Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men. 2:15 And it came to pass, as the angels were gone away from them into Heaven, the shepherds said one to another, Let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing which is come to pass, which the LORD hath made known unto us. 2:16 And they came with haste, and found Mary, and Joseph, and the Babe lying in a manger. 2:17 And when they had seen it, they made known abroad the saying which was told them concerning this Child. 2:18 And all they that heard it wondered at those things which were told them by the shepherds. 2:19 But Mary kept all these things, and pondered them in her heart. 2:20 And the shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all the things that they had heard and seen, as it was told unto them. 2:21 And when eight days were accomplished for the circumcising of the Child, His Name was called JESUS, which was so named of the angel before He was conceived in the womb.

The Story of the Birth of Christ As told through Matthew

Matthew 1:16 And Jacob begat Joseph the husband of Mary, of whom was born Jesus, Who is called Christ. 1:17 So all the generations from Abraham to David are fourteen generations; and from David until the carrying away into Babylon are fourteen generations; and from the carrying away into Babylon unto Christ are fourteen generations. 1:18 Now the birth of Jesus Christ was on this wise: When as His mother Mary was espoused to Joseph, before they came together, she was found with Child of the Holy Ghost. 1:19 Then Joseph her husband, being a just man, and not willing to make her a public example, was minded to put her away privily. 1:20 But while he thought on these things, behold, the angel of the LORD appeared unto him in a dream, saying, Joseph, thou son of David, fear not to take unto thee Mary thy wife: for that which is conceived in her is of the Holy Ghost. 1:21 And she shall bring forth a Son, and thou shalt call His Name JESUS: for He

shall save His people from their sins. 1:22 Now all this was done, that it might be fulfilled which was spoken of the LORD by the prophet, saying, 1:23 Behold, a virgin shall be with Child, and shall bring forth a Son, and they shall call His Name Emmanuel, which being interpreted is, God With Us. 1:24 Then Joseph being raised from sleep did as the angel of the LORD had bidden him, and took unto him his wife: 1:25 And knew her not till she had brought forth her firstborn Son: and he called His Name JESUS.

2:1 Now when Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judaea in the days of Herod the king, behold, there came wise men from the east to Jerusalem, 2:2 Saying, Where is He that is born King of the Jews? for we have seen His Star in the east, and are come to worship Him. 2:3 When Herod the king had heard these things, he was troubled, and all Jerusalem with him. 2:4 And when he had gathered all the chief priests and scribes of the people together, he demanded of them where Christ should be born. 2:5 And they said unto him,

In Bethlehem of Judaea: for thus it is written by the prophet, 2:6 And thou Bethlehem, in the land of Juda, art not the least among the princes of Juda: for out of thee shall come a Governor, that shall rule My people Israel. 2:7 Then Herod, when he had privily called the wise men, inquired of them diligently what time the Star appeared. 2:8 And he sent them to Bethlehem, and said, Go and search diligently for the young Child; and when ye have found Him, bring me word again, that I may come and worship Him also. 2:9 When they had heard the king, they departed; and lo, the Star, which they saw in the east, went before them, till it came and stood over where the young Child was. 2:10 When they saw the Star, they rejoiced with exceeding great joy. 2:11 And when they were come into the house, they saw the young Child with Mary His mother, and fell down, and worshipped Him: and when they had opened their treasures, they presented unto Him gifts; gold, and frankincense, and myrrh.

2006: Greeley Elementary plans building addition

December 19, 2006

A Welda man is expected to be charged later this week in Anderson County District Court after allegedly shooting a Colony woman in the face during a domestic dispute Friday evening at his home. The victim is reported in fair condition with non-life threatening injuries.

After months of deliberation the USD 365 Board of Education opted last week to build a \$100,000 metal frame addition onto Greeley Elementary with the assistance of a \$20,000 grant from the Bank of Greeley. Enrollment growth at Greeley the past couple of years forced the board to begin to consider several options for more space last summer. Enrollment has increased from 37 students several years ago to a current number of 50, with shifts in the younger grades. The school district leased the former St. John's school building at the beginning of this school year to house 3rd through 6th graders after St. John's consolidated with Holy Angels in Garnett.

December 23, 1996

Anderson County residents generally consider themselves to be in good health, have the most medical faith in their chiropractors and see the county's greatest overall health risk as alcohol use by minors. The responses were among others gained from a special survey of county residents last October performed by the Greater Anderson County Health task Force.

It was exciting. It had the



THAT WAS THEN

potential to be lucrative. It seemed shady but legal. Their friends were doing it. And now it's all coming down around their ears. Conversations both on and off the record with participants in the illegal cash pyramid that swept Coffey and Anderson County illustrate a large network of local residents - possibly as many as 300-400 in Anderson County alone - who bit off more than they could chew in the name of excitement, camaraderie and greed. But public rumor and condemnation and the continued investigation of participants by the Kansas Securities Commission amounts to a cloud over their now sobering heads that won't go away. Cease and desist orders were issued to five Anderson County residents and five Coffey County residents.

Initial cost estimates of \$336,000 have been placed on a county annex building the Anderson County Commission hopes to build on land it owns on the west side of the Garnett square.

Dec. 22, 1986

Notice to sell city vehicles

(First published in The Anderson County Review, Tuesday, December 13, 2016)

NOTICE OF SALE

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A plan to help ease the financial strain at the Anderson County Hospital was developed by the board. According to figures presented, the hospital spent \$121,800 more in 1986 than in 1985 and that they had fewer patients during 1986. The board also reviewed figures that stated for the month of November there was a \$29,000 cash flow problem. Several options were discussed, such as cutting the nursing staff down to only one registered nurse on a shift with staff representative Dr. David Henderson. Henderson posed the problem of a critical emergency and the staff not being adequate. The board decided this was not the answer. Another option was cutting the staff by six, or a cost analysis on the drugs used in patient care.

The Anderson County Commissioners traveled to Sabetha Wednesday with members of the condo board to visit the condominiums which were built by the firm handling plans for the proposed condominiums in Garnett.

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2. For every \$10 spent at these participating merchants, receive one ticket (excludes bank deposits). Maximum 250 tickets per receipt. Take your receipts and coupons to Garnett Publishing to receive your tickets.

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4. Grand prize winning ticket number published in the December 20 edition of The Anderson County Review.

Grand prize must be claimed by noon Friday, Dec. 23 (need not be present to win).

5. Weekly winning ticket numbers will be hidden within The Great Christmas Giveaway ad section during the Nov. 22, Nov. 29, Dec. 6, and Dec. 13 issues of the Review. Weekly winning ticket numbers must be claimed by 5 p.m.

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6. All prize monies are issued in certificates redeemable only at The Great Christmas Giveaway participating merchants.

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GARNETT - Anderson County Republicans will celebrate "out with the old" and "in with the new" with an inauguration day victory party in Garnett at The Kirk House on January 20.

The party plans were finalized at the local GOP's reorganizational meeting last week. Dane Hicks of Greeley was re-elected chairman, Burt Peterson of Garnett was elected vice chairman and newly-elected county clerk Julie Heck was elected secretary/treasurer of the organization. Hicks is president of Garnett Publishig, Inc., and publisher of The Anderson County Review; Peterson is chief financial officer of AuBurn Pharmacies and Heck will leave an office post at the Franklin County Clerk's office to take over the local clerk's office in January.

Hicks said the national election finale, plus Republican

victories in Kansas as well as Anderson County demanded a celebration.

"Most of us feel like we've been eight years in the desert, and we've finally been delivered," Hicks said of the two terms under President Barack Obama. "In Anderson County Republicans won every ballot question including congressional and senate races, our state races and a local race. We passed the non-retention of state supreme court justices although it didn't pass statewide. For us it was a clean sweep. We think it's reason to celebrate."

The event will include food, beverages, live music and addresses by Republican dignitaries to be announced. No admission will be charged. To be included on updates for the event email ancogop@garnett-ks.com.

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- 5 Recipe meas.
- 8 Foolproof
- 12 Eastern potato (Var.)
- 13 Carnival city
- 14 Slaughter of baseball
- 15 Parks at a bus stop?
- 16 Japanese sash
- 17 Gallon fraction
- 18 Hands-on-hips
- 20 Small combo
- 22 Women's wear
- 26 Wander off
- 29 Height of fashion?
- 30 Bother
- 31 Addict
- 32 Supporting
- 33 Cruising
- 34 Aries
- 35 Despondent
- 36 Square dance group
- 37 "It's a Wonderful Life" director
- 40 Hearts, for one
- 41 Phone function
- 45 "Simpsons" creator
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- 4 It gets a load from a lode
- 5 Scout group
- 6 Bro or sis
- 7 "Lilies of the Field" actor
- 8 Brown tone
- 9 Norma Rae, for one
- 10 Paul of politics
- 11 Superlative ending
- 19 Chesapeake, e.g.
- 21 Spinning stat
- 23 "Mary Tyler Moore Show" spinoff
- 24 Genealogy chart
- 25 Old card game
- 26 Look for a website
- 27 Despot
- 28 Digitize an old LP, e.g.
- 32 Bit of trivia
- 33 College life
- 35 Tackle moguls
- 36 4-Down contents
- 38 Eccentric
- 39 Pleased with oneself
- 42 "American -"
- 43 City in India
- 44 Loretta of country music
- 45 Periodical, for short
- 46 Lawyers' org.
- 48 Thanksgiving mo.

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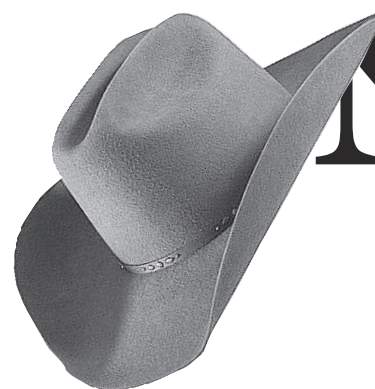
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