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The entrance to the Prairie Spirit Trail at 2350 Road near Scipio, like most weekdays, was quiet and traffickless Wednesday afternoon after officers say a woman was assaulted by an illegal immigrant south of this point the previous Thursday.

ICE order detains suspect alleged in woman's assault on Prairie Spirit Trail

Attack puts local focus on national uptick in crime by illegals, Biden border debacle

BY DANE HICKS THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

SCIPIO - An hispanic illegal immigrant is being held in the Anderson County Jail facing charges of assault and battery against a 64 year-old area woman after he allegedly attacked her on the Prairie Spirit Trail last Thursday morning.

The Anderson County Sheriff's office said the non-English speaking male, 33 year-old Porfirio De La Cruz-Cantu, was located a short time after the assault on U.S. Highway 59 and arrested. The attack occurred a few hundred yards south of the trail's intersection with 2350 Road about 10 a.m.

Officers say the female bicyclist was able to fight off De La Cruz and escaped to the home of a neighbor in the area who rendered aid and called 911. De La Cruz was apprehended a short time later in the area.

A sheriff's office report said the woman suffered lacerations and bruises but that her injuries were not life threatening. De La Cruz is reportedly

employed at a local restaurant. He was being held in the Anderson County Jail this week pending the setting of bond.

Anderson County Undersheriff Wes McClain said De La Cruz had no documentation and that U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) had requested a "hold" on De La Cruz - a 48 hour extension of temporary incarceration in addition to the standard jail wait detainees have before they see a judge for bond in the local jurisdiction.

Anderson County Attorney Elizabeth Oliver said a special prosecutor had been retained in the matter. Illegal immigrants suspected of crimes often have charges dropped at the request of ICE who pursue deportation more expediently than local courts can adjudicate the criminal charges.

The allegations against De La Cruz put a local focus on a national firestorm surrounding Biden/Harris Administration handling of the U.S. southern border and an undisputed flood of millions of immigrants who've

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Timeline shows extent of illegal immigrant crime since Biden border policies enacted

BY DANE HICKS THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

OTTAWA - The assault of an Ottawa woman last week on the Prairie Spirit Trail by an illegal immigrant was unfortunately reminiscent of the rising tide of illegal immigrant crime making headlines in the United States, as repercussions come to bear against Democrats for President Joe Biden's reluctance to enforce the country's southern border are brought to bear in the 2024 presidential race between Donald Trump and Kamala Harris.

Fox News reporter Adam Shaw, who covers border enforcement for Fox News Digital, laid out a partial timeline of widely reported illegal immigrant crime since the 2021 border crossing explosion: 2022

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Davids bails on Ottawa forum after demanding, getting concessions

Reddy was poised to confront Davids over lies on his abortion stance

BY DANE HICKS THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

OTTAWA - A spokesman for 3rd District Kansas Congresswoman Sharice Davids' campaign refused to say why the embattled congresswoman skipped out of an Ottawa political forum last week after demanding and winning specific conditions from the organizers - including that she not have to share the stage with her Republican opponent Prasanth Reddy or take questions from the live audience.

Her absence from the meeting denied Republican challenger Prasanth Reddy an opportunity to confront Davids

on her repeated claims that he supports a nationwide abortion ban - a debunked claim Davids made again in a new ad she released earlier this week that generated a direct accusation from Reddy that Davids is purposefully lying about Reddy's platform.

Davids' communications director Zach Donley acknowledged Davids' pull out earlier in the day before the Oct. 10 forum, but refused to comment as to what supposed scheduling conflict superseded the event that had been on the books for weeks.

Davids is vastly unpopular in the Republican-heavy southern reaches of the 3rd District in Franklin, Anderson and Miami counties, where her staunch support of the Biden legislative agenda since



Davids



Reddy

Faux pastor, sex offender to be arraigned on third molestation charge

BY DANE HICKS THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW

GARNETT - A former Kincaid pastor who at one time pursued a ministry as a social media influencer before he was charged with child molestation is set for arraignment on related charges in district court Monday.

Kevin LaBelle, 50, was arrested in May and charged with engaging in sex with a 15-year-old boy as well as photographing sex acts with the youth to possess or distribute. Anderson County Attorney Elizabeth Oliver said additional charges of contributing to a child's misconduct and unlawful distribution of marijuana were also filed.

A repeat sex offender who claimed to be pastor, LaBelle operated a non-profit ministry for prison inmates which he claimed garnered 10,000 Youtube subscribers over the two years his organization was operating. Management of Christian Bible College and Seminary said LaBelle never completed his academic program, but presented himself as

a fully-fledged pastor pursuing his "From The Bars To The Bricks" ministry. That outreach saw LaBelle conducting significant social media presentations on Facebook and YouTube promoting F T B T T B and referring to himself as "The Rev Dr. Kev," advocating for incarcerated inmates and for inmates LaBelle claimed were falsely imprisoned. He made numerous requests for donations and contributions to the ministry, but it is unknown how much money those efforts generated.

LaBelle had a number of felonies and an extensive number of collection actions in various counties according to state court records. He was adjudicated as a juvenile in 1988 for indecent liberties with a child

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LaBelle

Legacy of banking comes to an end in Kincaid

KINCAID - Landmark Bank officials in Manhattan confirmed yesterday the company's branch in Kincaid will close at the end of 2024, bringing to an end a storied legacy of small town banking dating back 135 years.

Landmark CFO Mark Herpich told the Review decreased traffic at the location and changing customer patterns necessitated the change.

"Customers' preferences have evolved over time and more customers are preferring the ability to do their banking any time of day, and through diverse channels including phone, internet and mobile banking," Herpich said. "We have seen a significant decrease in the number of customers who visit the Kincaid branch over the past few years, as customers have increased their use of Landmark's digital services like direct deposit, remote deposit and online & mobile transfers." Herpich said customers who wanted or needed in person visits could still use the branches in Mound City and Iola. He said

Landmark owns the bank building as well as the former bank location to the south that now houses the Kincaid post office. He said the company is presently evaluating what to do with that real estate.

The move brings an end to a banking history in the town dating back more than a century. The Bank of Kincaid was organized and chartered in 1889, according to the Anderson County Historical Society. Robert Kincaid was the owner of the bank and John McCaslin was the cashier. A



THE ANDERSON COUNTY REVIEW 10-17-2024 / LANDMARK WEBSITE Management has announced the closing of the Landmark Bank at Kincaid. Banking operations started in the town in 1889.

new bank building was erected in 1890. The upstairs of the bank was occupied by the Masonic Lodge, the Odd Fellows

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Metal Lineup - A collection of high performance vehicles lined up Saturday at Lake Garnett on display during qualifying track runs at the Lake Garnett Grand Prix Revival.



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Karlee Boots and Gunner Ellington were crowned Homecoming Queen and King at the Crest Lancer's game on Friday night. Crest downed Centre 62-0.

NEWS IN BRIEF

ANDERSON COUNTY GOP PICNIC SET OCT. 19 AT PARK
All Anderson County Republicans are invited to a pot luck picnic at noon Saturday, Oct. 19, 2024, at the west shelter house in Lake Garnett Park. Hot dogs, drinks and table service will be provided, bring a covered dish to share. Meet your Republican candidates and make plans for Republican victories in 2024.

AMERICAN LEGION BINGO
Bingo at American Legion Post 48 Garnett will be held every Tuesday, starting time at 6:30 p.m.

VFW BREAKFAST
VFW Post 6397 will have breakfast Sunday, October 20, from 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. Biscuits and gravy, Belgian waffles, bacon, sausage & eggs will be served.

GREELEY ELEMENTARY HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL
Greeley Elementary will be holding their annual Halloween Carnival and Raffle on Friday, October 18, 2024 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. in the school gymnasium.

CORNHOLE TOURNAMENTS
Everything Thursday their will be a cornhole tournament at the Garnett VFW, 1507 S. Elm St. It is a family friendly event open to everyone. Registration begins at 6 p.m., tournament begins at 6:30 p.m. Entry fee is \$15.

UNPLANNED PREGNANCY
Advice & Aid Pregnancy Center in Overland Park helps women and their families make an educated decision about an unplanned pregnancy by providing evidence-based, medical information about parenting, adoption and abortion. Call (913) 962-0200 or visit www.adviceandaid.com.

ANDERSON COUNTY COMMISSION OCTOBER 7, 2024

Chairman Leslie McGhee called the meeting of the Anderson County Commission to order at 9:00 AM on October 7, 2024 at the Anderson County Commission Room. Attendance: Leslie McGhee, Present: David Pracht, Present: Anthony Mersman, Present. The pledge of allegiance was recited. Minutes from the previous meeting were approved as presented.

Road & Bridge
Ethan Lickteig, Road & Bridge Supervisor, met with the commission. He gave an update on the department equipment.

Proclamation
Sawyer Stevenson and Brayden Gillespie were present to present a proclamation for National 4-H week. They each stated what their involvement is in 4-H and what they enjoy most about it. Commissioner Pracht moved and Commissioner Mersman seconded to proclaim October 6-13 as National 4-H week throughout Anderson County. All voted yes.

Swank Park
James Campbell, County Counselor, spoke to the commission regarding Swank Park. The Commissioners would like to give the property back to the family who gifted it to the county. Upon initial searches Mr. Campbell was unable to locate any remaining relatives. He would like to hire Heir Search to complete a more thorough search. The cost would be \$185 per hour. Commissioner Pracht moved and Commissioner Mersman seconded to authorize James Campbell to conduct a search of heirs of Swank Park through Heir Search with the intent to collect any fees incurred during the heir search. All voted yes.

Executive Session
Commissioner Pracht moved and Commissioner Mersman seconded to enter executive session for non-elected personnel for 20 minutes. All voted yes. Commissioners; James Campbell, County Counselor; Julie Wettstein, County Clerk were present. Commissioner Pracht moved and Commissioner Mersman seconded to re-enter into open meeting. All voted yes. No action taken.

Emergency Management
Mark Locke, Emergency Management Director, met with the commission. Rescue truck #28 has been in the repair shop for some time and will be picked up this week. Mark would like to upgrade the badge maker that the department has, to be able to give all county employees an official badge. This will help identify individuals if there is an emergency. The upgraded label maker and ribbon will be from Midwest Card & ID Solutions for \$1,189. Commissioner Mersman moved and Commissioner Pracht seconded to purchase a label maker and ribbon from Midwest Card & ID Solutions for \$1,189 to be paid

out of Emergency Management fund. All voted yes. Cruz Gillespie, Rural Fire Coordinator, spoke with the commission regarding the foam trailer. The current set up is not conducive to rural situations and they would like to make some adjustments. The adjustments would include replacing the foam gun with hose lines to be able to control where the foam goes more efficiently. The cost for the upgrade is \$5,550. Commissioner Pracht moved and Commissioner Mersman seconded to upgrade the foam trailer at Weis Fire & Safety LLC for \$5,550 to be paid out of the Rural Fire Improvement fund. All voted yes.

Annex Heating
Barnett Heating & Cooling completed a unit inspection at the Annex building and found some items that need to be repaired and replaced. The cost of the repairs will be \$711. The repairs will be scheduled as soon as possible.

Public Comment
John Baldwin, Garnett, met with the commission. He inquired about what the right of way rules are. His property is east of the Scipio Supper Club and does not like the patrons parking on his property. James Campbell instructed that the right of way is from the center of the road but it is wholly his property and can contact an attorney to find out the legalities of trespassing.

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

ANDERSON COUNTY LAND TRANSFERS

Steven Bauman and Courtney Bauman to Clayton L. Barnhart and Brittany Barnhardt: A tract of land in sw4 se4 5-21-18 described as follows: com at swcor se4 said section, thence n89°26'53"e on south line of said se4 to pob a distance of 332.50 feet; thence n00°45'32"e a distance of 702.08 feet; thence n81°18'41"e a distance of 400.00 feet; thence n04°47'37" w to north line of sw4 se4 said section a distance of 565.00 feet; thence n89°24'32"e on north line of sw4 se4 to necor sw4 said ne4 a distance of 648.46 feet; thence s00°45'32" w on east line of sw4 se4 to south line of se4 said section a distance of 1322.75 feet; thence s89°26'53" w on south line of said se4 to pob a distance of 988.45 feet; containing 25 acres, more or less; & a tract of land in sw4 se4 5-21-18 described as follows: com at swcor se4 said section, thence n89°26'53"e on south line of said se4 a distance of 332.50 feet; thence n00°45'32"e to pob a distance of 702.08 feet; thence n81°18'41"e a distance of 400.00 feet; thence n04°47'37" w to north line of sw4 se4 said section a distance of 565.00 feet; thence s89°24'32" w on north line of sw4 se4 a distance of 340.00 feet; thence s00°45'32" w to pob a distance of 620.00 feet; said tract contains 5.00 acres, more or less.

Heln R Yoder and Melvin Ray Yoder to Nathan A Adams and Teresa J

Adams: Lots 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 in block 14 in the Town of Oneida, commonly called Mont Ida.

Ashlyn L Hull, Lisa H Myers and Lisa H Hull F/K/A to David D Hull Sr: S2 lot 24 blk 45 city of garnett, including all their right, title and interest in an easement for the purpose of constructing and maintaining a sewer over and through said tract of land in n2 said lot 24.

Eric R Callahan and Elizabeth Callahan to Robert L Mills: A tract of land located in the e/2 of the ne/4 of 35-20-19 further described as follows: commencing at the se corner of the ne/4; thence n00°22'36"e on the east line of said ne/4 to the pob a distance of 270.00 feet; thence n89°52'26" w a distance of 562.72 feet; thence s00°22'36" w to the south line of the e/2 of said ne/4 a distance of 270.00 feet; thence n89°52'26" w on said south line to the sw corner of said e/2 a distance of 772.57 feet; thence n00°26'16" e on the west line of said e/2 a distance of 717.40 feet; thence s86°35'42" e a distance of 488.00 feet; thence s54°01'38" e a distance of 153.50 feet; thence s83°53'23" e to the east line of the ne/4 a distance of 725.00 feet; thence s00°22'36" w on said east line to the pob a distance of 254.00 feet. said tract contains 15.54 acres more or less.

Cody Church to Jeremy D McAdam and Kimberly A McAdam: Corn at necor nw4 3-20-21, thence south 0°43'22" east along east line of said nw4, 575.00 feet; thence south 89°37'28" west 335.00 feet; thence north 0°43'22" west 575.00 feet to north line of said nw4; thence along said north line, north 89°37'28" east 335.00 feet to pob.

ANDERSON COUNTY MARRIAGE LICENSE FILED

Jared Ray Hess, Waynesboro, Pennsylvania, and Deborah Nell Hirt, Westphalia, filed an application for a Marriage License.

ANDERSON COUNTY LIMITED ACTION CASES FILED

Midland Credit Management filed suit against Steve Beavers in the amount of \$1,198.87 for unpaid goods and/or services.

Midland Credit Management filed suit against Riley-Wayne J Lee in the amount of \$878.20 for unpaid goods and/or services.

LVNV Funding LLC filed suit against Sarah Kennington in the amount of \$684.46 for unpaid goods and/or services.

Midland Credit Management filed suit against Daniel Dick in the amount of \$1,516.17 for unpaid goods and/or services.

ANDERSON COUNTY CRIMINAL CASES FILED

Chester D Casida has been charged with forgery, two counts of theft and two counts of mistreatment of a dependent adult or elder person. Christopher Martin Kanawyer has

City of Garnett designates November 4-November 8, 2024 as City Wide Clean-Up Week

The City-Wide Clean-Up Week allows city crews to pick up items left curbside to dispose of at the county landfill at no charge to city refuse customers who participate by placing their unwanted items out for city crews to pick up.

City crews will start on the north side of town and proceed south until the entire town has been covered. City crews will not go back once they have been through. Brush will NOT be picked up at this time. The City asks that you have items ready by Sunday, October 29, to ensure that they will be picked up.

The following items must be placed in separate piles: Paper, metal, appliances, furniture, lumbar, rock/concrete, shingles and sheet rock.

If items are not placed in separate piles they will not be picked up.

The following items will NOT be accepted or taken by the City of Garnett: Any appliances such as refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners containing freon; dilapidated buildings, batteries, electronics, computers, paint, or hazardous waste items.

For more information on City Wide Clean-Up Week, open burning policy, and special pick-up options for brush or unwanted items, please visit <https://www.simplygarnett.com/clean-up-week.html>.

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WEIRICH

MARCH 12, 1930 — OCTOBER 13, 2024

Wanda Eileen (Wilcox) Weirich, age 94, of Garnett, Kansas, passed away on Sunday, October 13, 2024, at the Anderson County Hospital Long Term Care in Garnett.



Weirich

She was born on March 12, 1930, in Pleasanton, Kansas, the daughter of Ellis and Ethel (Dingus) Wilcox. She graduated from Kincaid High School in Kincaid, Kansas.

Wanda worked a variety of jobs, but she treasured her time working for the State of Kansas; both at the State Hospital at Osawatomie, Kansas and she retired from the Kansas Department of Transportation in Garnett, Kansas.

She married Lowell "Gene" Weirich on November 1, 1949 in Kincaid, Kansas; they celebrated nearly 75 years of marriage together. This union was blessed with one son, David Weirich.

Wanda enjoyed traveling and spending time with her family. She spent many hours in the kitchen with her granddaughters; and hosting family

meals, often inviting extended family.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Ellis and Ethel Wilcox; one sister, Melba Rice; four brothers, Arden Wilcox, Kenneth Wilcox, Walter Wilcox, and Hershel "Dean" Wilcox; two nephews and one great niece.

Wanda is survived by her husband, Lowell "Gene" Weirich, of the home; her son, David Weirich and wife Dawn; three grandchildren, Kevin Weirich of Rantoul, Kansas; Caitlin Weirich of Emporia, Kansas; and Kendra Weirich of Garnett, Kansas; one great-grandchild, Myles Weirich; sister-in-law Delores Prather of Garnett; brother-in-law Leslie Weirich and wife Carol of Liberty, Missouri; as well as nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 AM on Wednesday, October 23, 2024, at the Feuerborn Family Funeral Service Chapel in Garnett, Kansas. Burial will follow in the Garnett Cemetery. Wanda's family will greet friends from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM on Tuesday evening at the funeral home. Condolences may be sent to the family at www.feuerbornfuneral.com

GETTLER

SEPTEMBER 10, 1957 — OCTOBER 8, 2024

Jerry Gettler Jr., age 67, of Garnett, passed away on Tuesday, October 8, 2024, at St. Luke's East Hospital in Lee's Summit, Missouri.



Gettler

Jerry was born on September 10, 1957, in Omaha, Nebraska, to Jerry Sr. and Mariellen (Benjamin) Gettler. Jerry attended school in Garnett and graduated with the class of 1976. He later pursued his education in auto mechanics in Beloit, becoming a certified technician. He dedicated over 20 years to the local fire department and excelled as a master in the drywall industry for 30 years. Jerry was known for his can-do attitude and his willingness to tackle any task with skill and expertise.

In his spare time, Jerry enjoyed fishing, hunting, mushroom foraging, and indulging his passion for antiques. His love for the outdoors and collecting treasures were evident in his hobbies. Jerry was married to Angi Cromwell and to this union was born a son, Cody Ray Gettler, they later divorced.

Jerry and Tonya Dilley were united in marriage on May 18, 2024, at the First Christian Church in Garnett.

Jerry is survived by his loving wife Tonya Gettler; bonus son, Kevin Miller; brothers, Chuck (Phyllis) Gettler, Tony Gettler; sisters, Kathy (Herb) Waring, Teresa Taylor; mother-in-law, Georgia Dilley; brother-in-law, Randy Dilley; sister-in-law, Candy Dilley.

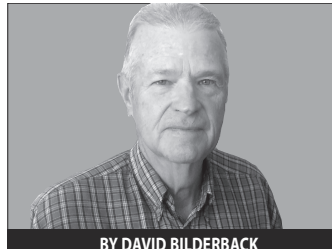
Jerry was preceded in death by his parents; son, Cody Gettler, brother-in-law, Curt Taylor.

Jerry will be deeply missed by all who knew him, and his legacy will live on in the hearts of those he touched.

A memorial service will take place at 10:00 A.M. on Friday, October 18, 2024, at the First Christian Church, Garnett, Kansas. Jerry's family will greet friends Thursday evening, October 17, 2024, from 6:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M. at the Feuerborn Family Funeral Service Chapel in Garnett. Memorial contributions are suggested to W.I.N.G.S or First Christian Church and can be left in the care of the funeral home. Condolences for the family can be left at www.feuerbornfuneral.com.

Jesus and the rich young man

WEEKLY DEVOTIONAL



BY DAVID BILDERBACK

In Matthew 19:16-30 Matthew relates the story of the rich young man. The young man approaches Jesus addressing him as teacher and asks Jesus, "What good thing must I do to get eternal life?" Jesus gives him the answer that any Jewish man at that time would expect. Obey the commandments, do not murder, do not commit adultery, do not steal, do not bear false testimony, honor your father and your mother and love your neighbor as your self. The young man proclaims he has kept these commandments since his youth. He shows concern, however when he asks Jesus, "what do I still lack?"

Jesus then tells the man if you want to be perfect sell your possessions and give to the poor and you will have treasure in heaven. Then come follow me. We read that when the young man heard this he was very sad because he had great wealth and he walked away. There is a cost to following Jesus. It will affect the friendships you have, the places where you go, how you conduct your business, even how you go about your daily life. The young man went away because he did not feel he could pay that high of cost. That is why the longer we wait to receive Jesus the harder it is to separate our life in the world

from our Christian life. Our worldly roots grow deep.

Many people are satisfied with the attendance of church as their outward expression of being a Christian and the rest of their life looks just like the world. The young man probably fits in that group. When the disciples questioned Jesus about their future he tells them. "Everyone who has left houses or brothers or sisters or father or mother or children or fields for my sake will receive a hundred times as much and will inherit eternal life." Turning to Jesus is an investment. God wants to reward you and I with things in this life. If you have not received Jesus Christ as your Savior or your investment in him is not what it needs to be maybe it is because God can't put anything in a closed hand. You have to reach out to him. It is there you will receive the Holy Spirit, the power of God on this earth.

Garnett Public Library receives grant

The Garnett Public Library was awarded a Family Engagement in Public Libraries Grant October 4, 2024. Tammie Benham, of Southeast Kansas Library System (SEKLS) wrote and is administering this grant which provides training, support, and equipment to help families build resilience, promote early development, and

inform families about community agencies, parenting resources and ideas to promote early development in children birth to kindergarten.

The public is invited to stop into the Garnett Public Library to watch the progress and participate in events over the next year as the library transforms.

CHARGES...

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viction as an adult in 2017 which landed him on the Kansas sex offender registry. He won a partial appeal of his sentence in 2010 after arguing court officials included his juvenile adjudication when considering extending his sentence on the 2017 case. Facebook posts from June 2023 announced LaBelle

planned to turn a decrepit building in Kincaid into a coffee shop to raise funds for the ministry called "Blessed Brews." That project apparently was never undertaken. LaBelle said in a Facebook reel Bars had attracted 10,000 subscribers to its Youtube channel. That claim couldn't be confirmed.

ASSAULT...

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crossed the border since Biden took office in 2021. Along with that issue have been high-profile crimes including the rape

and murder and most recently the commandeering of apartment projects in some states by illegal immigrant gang members.

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Why don't they want you to see "Reagan?"

Ronald Reagan has been out of office 35 years and dead for 20, yet he still scares the daylight out of Hollywood liberals and modern-day leftists. He always will.

That's particularly true in these terrifying days which socialists and leftist Democrats are facing, as Donald Trump's shadow grows larger and larger, eclipsing the plasticized, empty-suited Kamala Harris and daffy Tim Walls, as they career toward the November 5th presidential election that may, if Trump wins, stop the Democrat plan to destroy America as we know it.

The big screen presentation of "Reagan" starring Dennis Quaid in the title role, was the last thing that Democrats wanted to see land on the public square this fall in the middle of election season, and indeed with their co-conspirators in Hollywood, film finance, movie distribution and Big Tech, they almost succeeded in scuttling it.

The threat was clear: in a time when American pop culture has so promoted nabby-pamby men and impotent, effeminate leadership, the last thing the left needed was a reminder of what real presidential leadership was like, and who most exemplifies it in the 2024 presidential race.

Like any now mythic figure, it's no doubt true that some Republicans over idealize the Reagan years with the slightly distorted retrospect afforded by only the most rose-colored of glasses. And yet even taken with copious grains of salt, there is no denying that Reagan, compared to leaders in both parties since, earned and achieved nearly superhero status in a world and a time that demanded nothing less than superheroes.

Reagan's very mystique is antithetical to the bloodline of the American left which now permeates the Democrat Party and liberal popular culture. Strong presidential leadership – the idea of using leverage and influence to back up firm talk, to demand bootstrap accountability of the citizenry and confront international enemies eye to eye, is seen as far too masculine an approach by those who believe Taylor Swift and Dylan Mulvaney set the modern day political guidelines for a civilized world.

The problem of course is that neither domestic economics nor our nation's enemies are, or will ever be, civilized.

The Reagan movie was shunned by the Hollywood studios; Facebook cut its ad viewership on Zuckerberg's platform; biscuit-dough fingered critics attacked it for its Neanderthal retelling of Reagan's truly American story; some New York theaters refused to screen the film. Many across the country that did, restricted it

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to early matinees or limited early evening showings when most folks are just out of work.

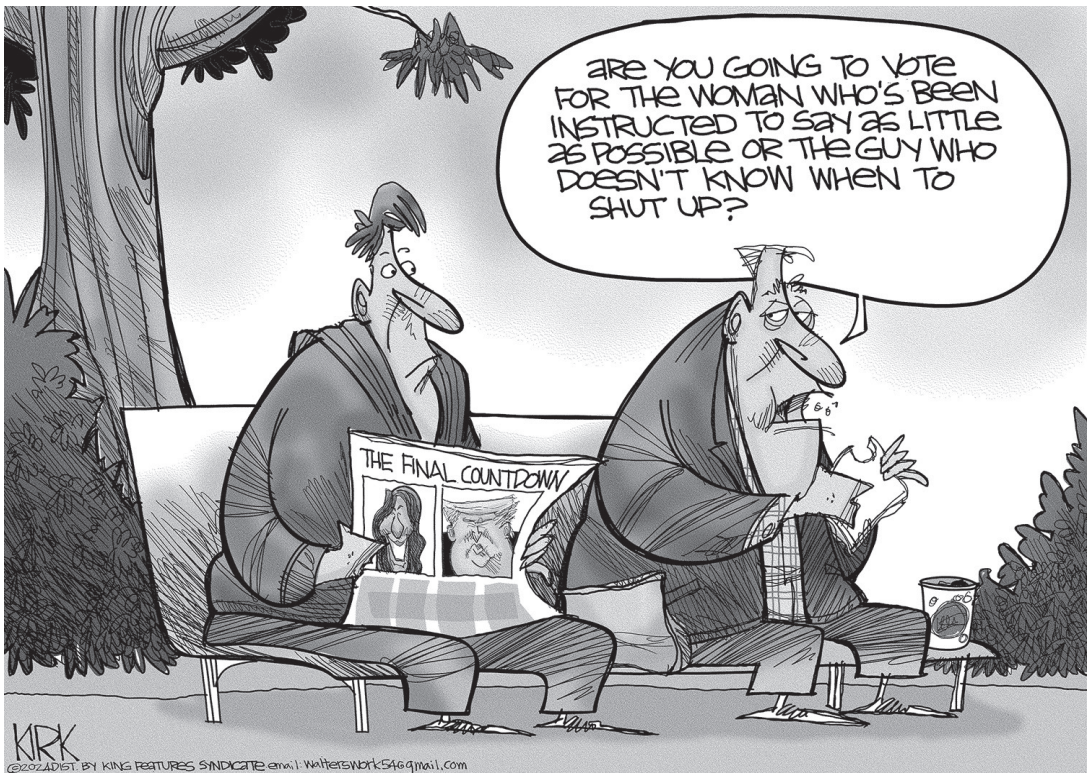
No one on the left wanted you to see this movie. It was an outright attempt to censor the story of one of the most successful presidents in American history – the man who thwarted and eventually led the disintegration of the evil Soviet Empire; who instigated the crumbling of the Berlin Wall and reunited Germany; who proved the benefits of privatization and of restricting government meddling to unleash the creativity and imagination of the American mind. He rebuilt American military might after the decay that followed the Vietnam defeat; he checked the power of judicial activism to prompt courts to follow federal and state constitutions as opposed to legislating from the courtroom.

After Iran made hostages of all Americans by holding 52 embassy personnel for 444 days as Jimmy Carter dithered, Reagan brought back dignity to the presidency. Iran released those hostages literally minutes after Regan took office.

The feminization of American culture has brought most of its institutions to abhor the kind of masculine strength exhibited by Reagan and the success it generated, the same way it has inspired a core-of-being hatred among many for Donald Trump. Indeed, Trump is a grotesque, almost cartoon version of the 40th president – but he's as close as we're going to get in this election.

But leftists hate Trump for the same reasons they hate Reagan and even the Reagan movie – they simply hate the idea of American success.

If you remember Reagan, you should go see the movie for the walk through history it provides. If you don't remember Reagan, you should go see it for an illustration of what real presidential leadership looks like. Then you should vote for the next closest thing. ###



The Anderson County Review's PHONE FORUM

Record your comments on the topic of your choice at (785) 448-2500. You do not need to leave your name. Comments may be published anonymously. Calls may be edited for publication or omitted.

Dear Kamala, we are burdened by what has been and hope that Trump is what it can be.

Kudos to the local cops who caught the attacker on the rail trail so quickly on Thursday. Thanks for protecting us.

To the person who posted in the Phone Forum about having a Harris or Sharice Davids sign in their yard. It does not mean they hate their neighbors or their country. It is called a democracy and freedom of speech. We are not a dictatorship country yet like Trump and his cult followers would like it to be.

Hi, I'm an Ottawa resident. I think the Phone Forum is not just to be an example of your freedom of speech but to also inform people about what's going on. Why is the caller complaining about something so petty as someone stirring up

mosquitoes?

A bedrock of our democracy is the secret ballot, guaranteed only by in-person voting. Democrats have destroyed that safeguard with mass mail in ballots where you have no idea who actually sent them in or the circumstances. Abusive relatives can take advantage of a vulnerable spouse or elderly family members. Likewise Democrat activists target the homeless and nursing homes for ballot harvesting.

It's amazing how Orange Street draws the nuisance inspector, yet he can't see the damn cars on the highway that are blocking views and been there for years and years. It's almost like he's being prejudiced, him and his spy.

Biden Harris lifted Trump's sanctions on Russian and Iranian petroleum exports while crushing our own, thus financing Putin's Ukraine Invasion costing a million lives and Iranian terrorism costing tens of thousands of lives in the Middle East. The Biden Harris open borders have caused thousands of migrant deaths and hundreds of thousands of migrant women and children raped and forced into the sex slave trade. The murder and rapes of thousands of U.S. women and hundreds of thousands of U.S. fentanyl deaths. You'd have to be an evil lunatic to continue voting democrat.

Biden has kept us out of the predicted recession. While we're still struggling, inflation is at 2.4 percent, the same as it was before the pandemic and still coming down. Stock market is at record high, unemployment is 4.1, 7 million more jobs have been created, more than before the pandemic and interest rates are being cut. Thank you Biden for keeping us steady and on the road to recovery.

Shocking to hear that Walgreen's is closing 1000 stores over the next three years. Don't tell me that our country isn't in dire straights thanks to the Biden administration and its budget deficit ballooning practices.

Border Patrol Union endorsing Trump is a telling story

The National Border Patrol Council, the union representing roughly 16,000 Border Patrol agents nationwide, endorsed former President Donald Trump for president while criticizing President Joe Biden and Vice President Kamala Harris.

On Monday, the union issued a statement, saying, "On behalf of the 16,000 men and women represented by the National Border Patrol Council, we strongly support and endorse Donald J. Trump for President of the United States."

They did so after endorsing Trump at a Prescott, Ariz., rally on Sunday where Trump was joined by many Border Patrol leaders.

"If we allow border czar Harris to win this election, every city, every community in this great country is going to go to hell. The untold millions of people unvetted, who she has allowed into this country that are committing murders, rapes, robberies, burglaries and every other crime will continue to put our country in peril," NBPC's new president, Paul Perez, said.

"Only one man can fix that. That is Donald J. Trump. He has always stood with the men and women who protect this border, who put their lives on the line for the country."

The union also said border experts want Trump to be president "so that the border can be secured without compromise. Only the drug cartels and Democrats want an open border – that's what Border Czar Harris has given them and will continue to do in the future."

The union's leaders for the last nearly four

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years have joined Trump at border events in Texas and Arizona. After Trump announced he was running for reelection, the NBPC's former president, Brandon Judd, endorsed him and joined him at campaign events.

The NBPC has repeatedly criticized the border policies of Biden and Harris, arguing they created the border crisis. The union has also repeatedly fact checked claims they've made, including refuting that it had ever endorsed Biden for president.

Prior to dropping out of the presidential race, during the June presidential debate, Biden claimed, "the Border Patrol union endorsed me, endorsed my position."

In response, the union posted a statement on X, saying, "To be clear, we never have and never will endorse Biden."

During the Sept. 10 presidential debate between Harris and Trump, Harris made comments related to "the importance of sovereignty and territorial integrity," which the union criticized. "She apparently only cares about other countries' sovereignty b/c when it comes to America, she and President Biden opened up the border, erasing any semblance of sovereignty," it said.

After Harris made claims about her border policies at a campaign event in Douglas, Ariz., the union said, "VP Harris claimed that she played a role in increasing Border Patrol Agent overtime pay. This couldn't be further from the truth. As with all things border related she was no where to be found when we needed her."

In response to Harris claiming that Border Patrol agents needed more resources, the union said, "We have apprehended over 8 million illegal immigrants over the last 4 years and now you realize we need more help 38 days before the election."

"Vice president Harris has ignored the border problem she created for over three years. She goes down there for 20 minutes for a photo op and decides to repeat some of the things the NPBC has said before. But again, where has she been the last 3 1/2 years?"

During the debate and at campaign rallies, Harris has repeatedly claimed she would sign a Senate border bill into law, which she says allocated funding to hire 1,500 Border Patrol agents.

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Union: Protect U.S. ports against automation at all costs

It's the processing gate that roared.

APM Terminals at the Port of Mobile in Alabama uses a semi-automated gate to process trucks without union labor, and this supposed outrage is one of the reasons the International Longshoremen's Association went on strike. Never mind that the gate has been in operation for years and is a more efficient and safer way to check and admit trucks.

The strike, affecting ports on the East Coast and in the Gulf, is off for now with a tentative deal on wages. But the larger issue of automation, wholly opposed by the union, is unresolved; it's been put off until an extension of the current contract expires on Jan. 15.

"Machines don't pay taxes," the president of the union local in Mobile complained. Yeah, well, neither do wheelbarrows or iPhones, yet we still use them as tools to make any number of tasks easier and less time-consuming.

Harold Daggett, the president of the union, has pledged an unceasing war on automation. He famously makes nearly a million dollars a year and lives in a New Jersey mansion. No word on whether he insists that he and his family handwash their clothes and dishes -- or employ a laundress and personal dishwasher -- in order to forswear reliance on labor-saving devices.

Technological advance is necessary to economic advance. It would be disastrous if the longshoremen's union successfully blocked it at our ports, or, even worse, an alarmist view of automation were to prevail in our society at large.

We may think that we live in a time of revolutionary technological change, but we aren't seeing big productivity gains. This is important

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because higher wages (and lower prices) ultimately depend on increased productivity -- or being able to do more with equal or fewer inputs. Robert Atkinson of the Information Technology & Innovation Foundation points out that much of our new technology has been poured into the consumer market -- smart phones, social media, online retail and the like. The key is applying technology to other sectors of the economy.

Which brings us back to the ports. The productivity benefits of technology -- automated gates, cranes and cargo-handling, among other things -- are obvious.

Yet, China, the Netherlands and Singapore are outpacing us. Rotterdam began automating in the early 1990s. In contrast, we have fully automated only three terminals at our ports, with another three considered semi-automated. We don't have a port that cracks the World Bank's list of the top 50 around the globe.

Depending on the circumstances, automation

does eliminate some jobs, but it creates others. If the catastrophic warnings about the job-destroying effects of technology were accurate, we'd all be unemployed farmers. Recently, we've seen how the disruptive innovation of the likes of Amazon and FedEx has led to huge increases in warehouse and storage jobs, and in trucking as well.

In the maritime sector, union officials hated the shipping container revolution of the 1960s, too. The containers did reduce port jobs, but brought a nearly miraculous boost to efficiency. Would anyone really want to go back to taking days to load and unload ships or workers trying to figure out how to fit random stuff on a vessel?

The longshoremen's union on the West Coast accepted fully automated machinery in a 2008 contract and hasn't been devastated. It has added jobs since 2020 and got a generous wage increase in its latest contract.

Thriving ports capable of handling larger ships and more cargo are a national economic asset. An analysis for the Pacific Maritime Association, representing shipping companies and port and terminal operators, noted of the ports of Los Angeles and Long Beach, "These economic engines anchor a network of 29 West Coast ports that supports 12.5 million jobs and generates nearly 9% of U.S. Gross Domestic Product."

Our ports should be run for the benefit of all of us, and the wider economy, not for a union advancing a worldview that can only bring stagnation and mediocrity.

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Mystery tour continued...

Day 4 of our Mystery trip. Up at 6:00 a.m. for breakfast and on the road for the day at 8:10 a.m.

Our very first sight of the day was seeing hundreds upon hundreds of sand hill cranes out in the fields on both sides of our bus. We were told that they were starting to gather in flocks getting ready for their flight south.

This morning I learned why their corn is planted so thick and still was so green. I forgot we were in the dairy country and they plant their corn for silage.

It wasn't long until we arrived at the great Horicon Marsh area. This marsh area is 13 miles long and 3-4 miles wide, covering 38,000 acres. Millions of cattails. Soon we boarded a pontoon craft for a serene journey through the largest freshwater cattail marsh in the United States. It is one of Wisconsin's premier bird-watching sanctuaries. This journey on Rock Creek also took us by parts of the city of Horicon, including the world famous John Deere Horicon Works Plant. This is where John Deere lawn mowers and "Gators" are manufactured.

After our cruise we visited the Horicon Marsh Visitor & Educational Center. The history of the Horicon Marsh is amazing and to see it today is incredible. While here we ate box lunches and enjoyed a film all about the marsh. After lunch we traveled to the far

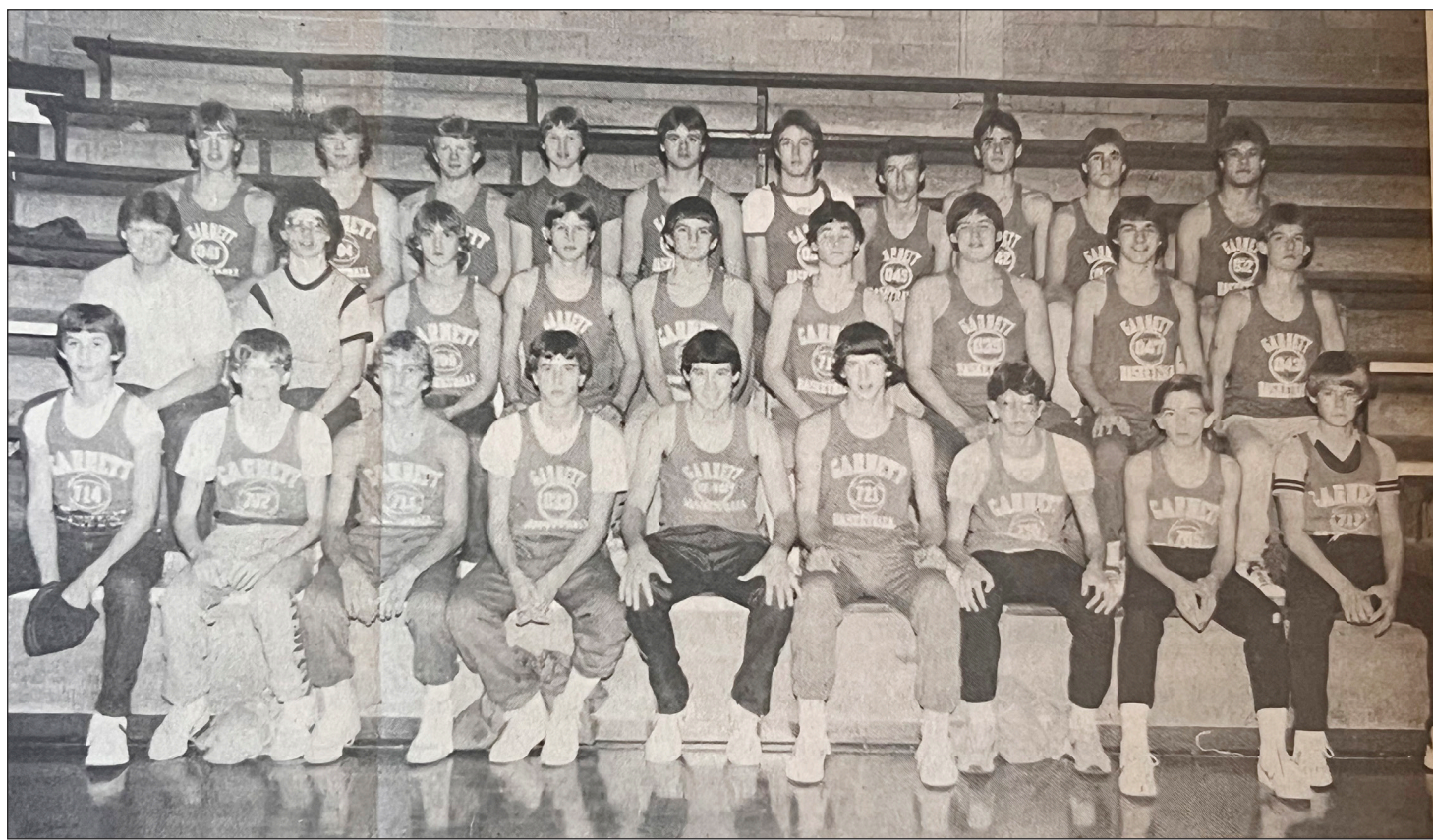


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north end of the marsh. The Northern Marsh is a National Preserve and the Southern end is Wisconsin State managed. While at the north end we visited the Marsh Haven Nature Center. It was here we seen a live 3-bird demonstration of Birds of Prey, the Falcon, Owl & Hawk. After this great adventure our next stop was at the Kelly Country Creamery. The Creamery's old fashioned sun porch was a perfect spot to experience Wisconsin's countryside while viewing their working farm. The Kelley Country Creamery offers a large selection of premium farmstead ice cream with 22 flavors available daily. While there we were treated to a double dip cone or cup of our choice. Oh my! After a short rest back at the hotel, the day wasn't over, we headed to the Red Cabin at Green Acres on Lake Winnebago for a family style dinner. A long day, but a wonderful day.

To be continued...
Respectfully submitted by;
Henry Roeckers. 14Oct2024I



Circa November 1984 - Garnett High Bulldogs - Pictured left to right. Front row: Mike Hermreck, Mike Spencer, Kenny Long, Scott Parks, Evan Doran, Tom Egger, Lyle Hermreck, Dale Morgan, Darrin Foltz. Second row: Jeff Parks (manager), Larry Sutton (manager), Denny Hiner, Craig Kueser, Jeremy Olson, Keith Honn, Jeff McCain, Tony Hoffman, Dennis Upshaw. Back row: Jim Wolken, Jeff Pedrow, Steve Wilson, Kevin Holloran, Danny Ray, Lynn Wilson, Brian Dykes, Tom Wolken, Doug Erhart, Brian Rockers.

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She and others claim Trump killed the bill.

On Sunday, Trump vowed to immediately ask Congress for funds to hire an additional 10,000 Border Patrol employees, give existing agents a 10% raise, and create a \$10,000 retention and signing bonus, if elected president.

"I will always stand with the incredible men and women of Border Patrol," he said. "They have a tremendous shortage because they haven't been treated right. They want to do their jobs. You know, they consider it bad treatment when you're not allowed to do your jobs."

The Senate border bill does the opposite of what Harris and other proponents claim, according to the bill language, including allowing an unlimited number of illegal foreign nationals into the country due to numerous exceptions. The bill would codify existing policies created by DHS Secretary Alejandro Mayorkas for which

he was impeached in February, which Republicans argue is facilitating the ongoing crisis.

Texas officials also argued the bill would codify mass migration and nullify state sovereignty.

U.S. Senate Democrats and Independents ultimately didn't support it; Senate Democratic leadership never brought it to a vote.

U.S. Senate Democrats have also sought to distance themselves from Biden-Harris border policies as local communities grapple with increased crime and social services costs associated with illegal border crossers. Senate leadership also refused to consider a border bill passed by the U.S. House.

Despite Harris' recent campaign claims, while a U.S. senator, she sought to reduce funding and staff of federal border agencies, including seeking to eliminate U.S. Customs and Immigration Enforcement, the agency responsible for removing some of the most dangerous criminals.

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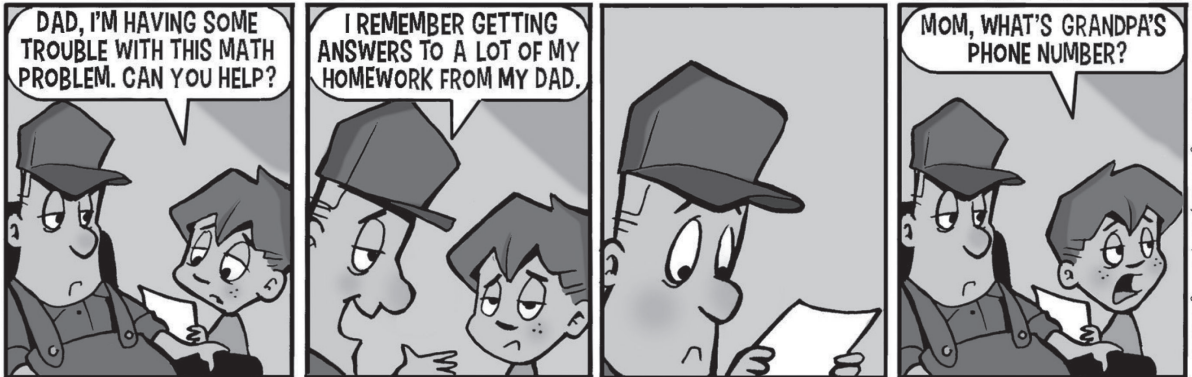
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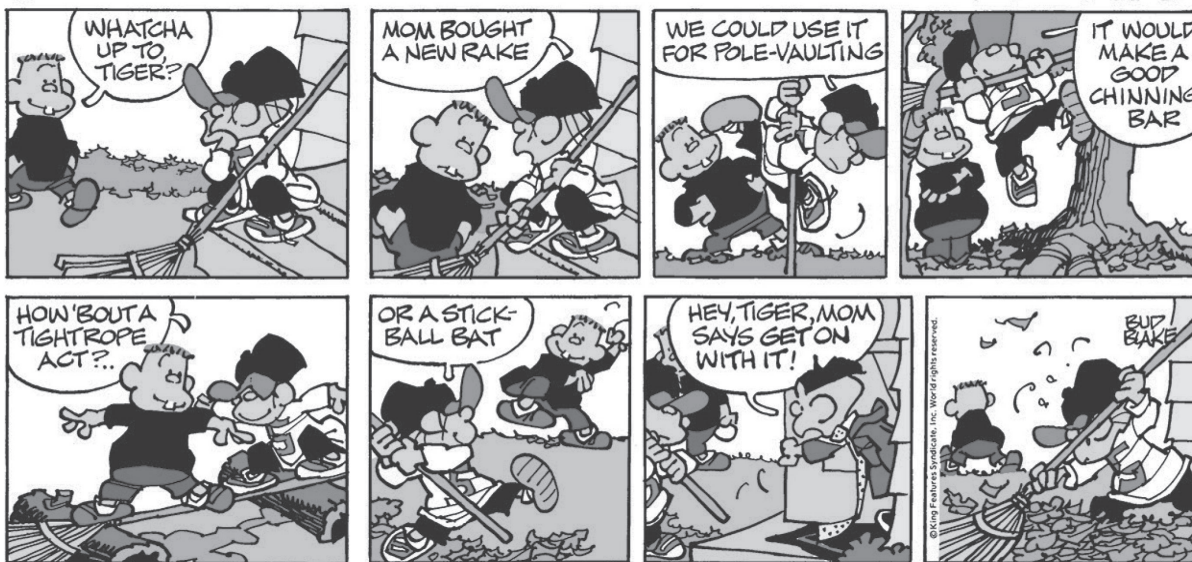
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CryptoQuip

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

Clue: O equals L

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MTJDWX OFBLVDB, PL HFK F
CTTQ-GFBWX OQFV.

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SCRAMBLERS

Unscramble the letters within each rectangle to form four ordinary words. Then rearrange the boxed letters to form the mystery word, which will complete the gag!

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GATER _____

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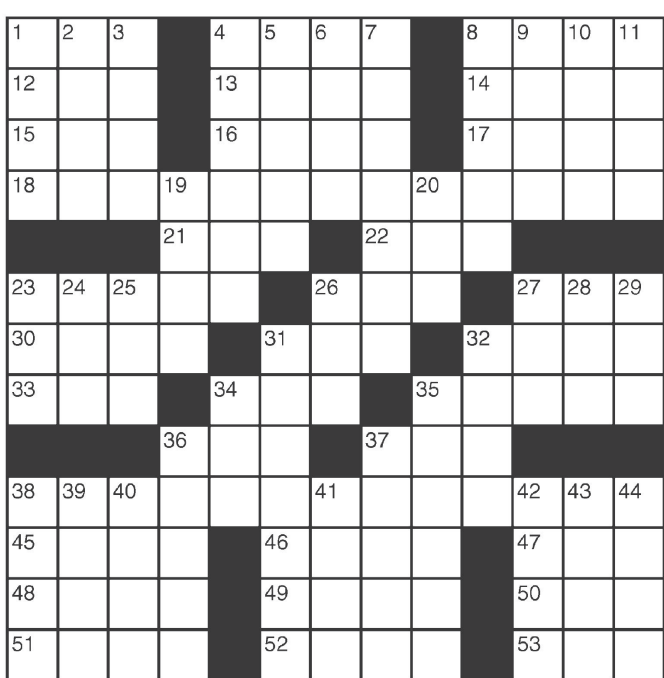
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TODAY'S WORD

King Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 "Kapow!"
- 4 Makes a choice
- 8 Release money
- 12 Actress Merkel
- 13 Boyfriend
- 14 Celestial bear
- 15 MSNBC rival
- 16 Lawman Wyatt
- 17 Some HDTVs
- 18 James Caan's role in "The Godfather"
- 21 Shoe width
- 22 Aachen article
- 23 Tire pattern
- 26 LBJ's successor
- 27 Faux —
- 30 Shower bar?
- 31 Chart format
- 32 Shed
- 33 Cauldron
- 34 Hit show letters
- 35 Symbol of freshness
- 36 HBO rival
- 37 Serena, to Venus
- 38 Grammy-winning song
- 45 Exotic berry



- 46 Eventful periods
- 47 Actor Harrison
- 48 Brisk pace
- 49 Vogue rival
- 50 Microwave
- 51 Curly cabbage
- 52 Ken or Barbie
- 53 Oklahoma tribe
- 4 Heeded
- 5 Quiet partner?
- 6 Tropical tuber
- 7 Paramount
- 8 President Martin Van —
- 9 Not pizzicato
- 10 "This — outrage!"
- 11 Zap with a beam
- 19 Tide variety
- 20 Author Yutang
- 23 Recipe abbr.
- 24 Kanga's kid
- 25 Have dinner
- 26 Carnival city
- 27 Luau dish
- 28 Gore and Pacino
- 29 Farm pen
- 31 "Continue!"
- 32 Prepare potatoes
- 34 Bashful
- 35 Truck fuel
- 36 Marsh bird
- 37 Lowercase
- 38 Bag
- 39 Pac-12 team
- 40 Hammer target
- 41 Woody's son
- 42 Rice-shaped pasta
- 43 Vegan's no-no
- 44 Big fair, for short

DOWN

- 1 Tampa Bay team, for short
- 2 — Domini
- 3 "Death in Venice" author

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ♦♦

- ♦ Moderate
- ♦♦ Challenging
- ♦♦♦ HOO BOY!

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WORD LADDERS

Can you go from MORAL to NOSES in 6 words? Change one letter for each rung in the ladder.

MORAL

NOSES

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Trivia test

by Fifi Rodriguez

1. MOVIES: Where was "The Lord of the Rings" filmed?
2. TELEVISION: What is the setting for the animated series "South Park"?
3. SCIENCE: What is the most abundant element in the Earth's crust?
4. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Which president proclaimed June 14 to be Flag Day?
5. MATH: Which letter is contained in every odd number when it is spelled out?
6. GEOGRAPHY: Both the Equator and the Tropic of Capricorn pass through which country?
7. ANIMAL KINGDOM: What is a group of porcupines called?
8. MUSIC: Which British singer/songwriter helped create many songs on "The Lion King" soundtrack?
9. FAMOUS QUOTES: Who wrote the line about fall, "I'm so glad I live in a world where there are Octobers"?
10. LITERATURE: Which children's book features a fictional world where it is always winter but never Christmas?

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- Answers
- 1. New Zealand
- 2. Colorado
- 3. Oxygen (46%)
- 4. Woodrow Wilson
- 5. E
- 6. Brazil
- 7. A pincle
- 8. Elton John
- 9. Lucy Maud Montgomery, "Anne of Green Gables"
- 10. "The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe" (Narnia)

EMPTY

Today's Word

- 1. Sharp; 2. Gate;
- 3. Symb; 4. Rumble;

SCRAMBLERS

MODES, NODES, NOSES

MORAL, MODAL, MODEL,

Answer

WORD LADDER

1	4	2	8	7	6	5	3	9
7	3	9	4	2	5	8	6	1
8	6	5	9	3	1	2	7	4
6	9	4	5	8	7	3	1	2
3	5	7	1	9	2	6	4	8
2	1	8	3	6	4	9	5	7
4	7	3	2	5	8	1	9	6
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Answer

Weekly SUDOKU

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Solution time: 21 mins.

Answers

King Crossword

CryptoQuip

When Laurel came up with a scheme to film him as a comedy partner, it was a fool-hardy plan.

CALENDAR

Thursday, October 17, 2024
 5:30 p.m. - PM Yoga
 6:00 p.m. - 13-Point Pitch & Snacks
 7:00 p.m. - Alcoholics Anonymous

Friday, October 18, 2024
 8:45 a.m. - AM Yoga

Sunday, October 20, 2024
 9:00 a.m. - VFW Breakfast

Monday, October 21, 2024
 8:45 a.m. - AM Yoga
 9:00 a.m. - Anderson County Commission Meeting
 5:30 p.m. - TOPS Meeting
 6:00 p.m. - Celebrate Recovery
 6:00 p.m. - Garnett Lions Club Meeting
 6:00 p.m. - Hot Yoga with Jenelle

Tuesday, October 22, 2024
 10:00 a.m. - Storytime For Preschoolers
 12:00 p.m. - Rotary International Club Meeting
 5:30 p.m. - PM Yoga
 6:00 p.m. - City Commission Meeting
 6:30 p.m. - American Legion Bingo
 7:00 p.m. - Alcoholics Anonymous

Wednesday, October 23, 2024
 8:45 a.m. - AM Yoga
 1:00 p.m. - Duplicate Bridge

Thursday, October 24, 2024
 2:00 p.m. - Emergency Food Assistance Program (Harvesters)
 5:30 p.m. - PM Yoga
 6:00 p.m. - 13-Point Pitch & Snacks
 7:00 p.m. - Alcoholics Anonymous

Friday, October 25, 2024
 8:45 a.m. - AM Yoga

Monday, October 28, 2024
 8:00 a.m. - Movement Mondays-Fitness Court
 8:45 a.m. - AM Yoga
 9:00 a.m. - Anderson County Commission Meeting
 5:30 p.m. - TOPS Meeting
 6:00 p.m. - Celebrate Recovery
 6:00 p.m. - Hot Yoga with Jenelle

Tuesday, October 29, 2024
 10:00 a.m. - Storytime For Preschoolers
 12:00 p.m. - Rotary International Club Meeting
 5:30 p.m. - PM Yoga
 6:30 p.m. - American Legion Bingo
 7:00 p.m. - Alcoholics Anonymous

Wednesday, October 30, 2024
 8:45 a.m. - AM Yoga
 1:00 p.m. - Duplicate Bridge

Thursday, October 31, 2024
 5:30 p.m. - PM Yoga
 6:00 p.m. - Light the Night Trunk or Treat - FCC
 6:00 p.m. - 13-Point Pitch & Snacks
 7:00 p.m. - Alcoholics Anonymous

Friday, November 1, 2024
 8:45 a.m. - AM Yoga

Monday, November 4, 2024
 8:45 a.m. - AM Yoga
 9:00 a.m. - Anderson County Commission Meeting
 9:00 a.m. - Friendship Quilters Meeting
 4:00 p.m. - Greeley PTO
 5:30 p.m. - TOPS Meeting
 6:00 p.m. - Celebrate Recovery
 6:00 p.m. - Garnett Lions Club Meeting
 6:00 p.m. - Hot Yoga with Jenelle
 7:30 p.m. - Kincaid Masonic Lodge No. 338 Meeting

Tuesday, November 5, 2024
 10:00 a.m. - Storytime For Preschoolers
 12:00 p.m. - Rotary International Club Meeting
 5:30 p.m. - Garnett Community Foundation Board Meeting
 5:30 p.m. - PM Yoga
 6:30 p.m. - American Legion Bingo
 7:00 p.m. - Alcoholics Anonymous

Wednesday, November 6, 2024
 8:45 a.m. - AM Yoga
 1:00 p.m. - Duplicate Bridge
 3:30 p.m. - Tinkering & Tech hosted by the Garnett Public Library
 5:30 p.m. - Bulldog Booster Club Meeting



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On October 1st, Christy Ratliff (pictured 4th from left), with Ratliff Jerseys, competed in the 2024 World Dairy Expo in Madison, Wisc. There were 392 jerseys shown in the International Jersey Show and Ratliff Jerseys came home with the following awards: 1st place Sr. Heifer Calf Ratliff Rock & Roll Rum (45 in class); Ratliff Rock & Roll Rum Reserve Jr. Champion; 2nd place Jr. 3 Yr. old Budjon-Vail Victorious Blayke; Budjon-Vail Victorious Blayke Honorable Mention Jr. Champion; 1st Place Lifetime Cheese

production Cow Ratliff Money Vixen; 3rd place Yearling Heifer in Milk Schulte Bros Kid Rock Cobra; 4th Place 4 Yr. Old Cow Ratliff Irwin Cadillac; 5th Place Winter Heifer Calf Ratliff Comerica Dana; 5th Place Lifetime Cheese Production Cow Cowbell Viral Ringrooma; 5th Place Winter Heifer Calf Ratliff Comerica Dana (42 in class); 1st Place Exhibitors Herd; 3rd Place Best 3 Females; International Ayrshire Show- 2nd Place Yearling In Milk Arthuracres Ringer Allison.

Friends of the PSRT met 10/9

Friends of the Prairie Spirit Trail met for a picnic and meeting at the country home of Dave and Ruth Theis on Oct. 9, 2024. Eighteen members were present for a fun evening.

Members decided to have their Christmas party on Monday, December 9, 2024 at the Chamber Players Theater. Denise Weber along with Joyce and John Malone will be the

committee to plan the event. Golf Cart Rides will be held on Wednesday, June 4, 2025 next spring.

Our members will take down the fall decorations and decorate the Harris Park for the Christmas season on November 13, 2024. We will then go to the depot afterwards and have our monthly meeting.

Document shredding event to be 11/2 at library

The Friends of the Library are hosting a shredding event on Saturday, Nov. 2nd from 9:00-11:00. Please drop off your items in boxes in front of the library during that time. This is a great opportunity to shred all those documents hiding in your attic, basement and closets! Personal documents only, no business paperwork, please.

This event is free, however donations are gladly accepted. There will be people to help carry boxes. This year the shredding is being done by Lakemary Business Solutions, they are a bonded and fully insured document destruction company. They will transport all paperwork to their facility for shredding.

MEDICARE OPEN ENROLLMENT OCTOBER 15 – DECEMBER 7



The East Central Kansas Area Agency on Aging wants to remind Medicare Beneficiaries the Medicare Open Enroll Period Begins Oct. 15th and runs through December 7th. This enrollment period is to enroll in Prescription Drugs Plans or Medicare Advantage Plans for 2025.

The East Central Kansas Area Agency on Aging provides free, unbiased Medicare counseling and can assist with your Medicare needs. To schedule an appointment, you must complete a drug worksheet and return it to the office. Once we have reviewed your options, we will contact you to set up an appointment. You can get a drug worksheet by stopping by our office, calling to request one by mail or email, you can download it from our website, www.eckaaa.org or our Facebook page. Unfortunately, we will be unable to accommodate walk-in appointments during this time.

Please also note, during the Open Enrollment Period, we will not be able to assist with changing Medicare Supplemental or Medigap plans, as this can be done at any time throughout the year.

Appointments will be available in Ottawa at the East Central Kansas Area Agency on Aging, 117 S. Main, Ottawa KS, Monday – Friday 8:30 AM – 5:00 PM

We will also have Open Enrollment Outreach events in our surrounding counties at the following locations:

- 11/7- 10:00 - 3:00 – Washburn Towers (Ottawa) –506 S Main St.
- 11/12 – 9:00 - 3:30 – Garnett – KSU Extension Office – 411 S Oak St.
- 11/13 – 9:00-3:30 – Burlington – Coffey County Library -410 Juniatta St.
- 11/19 – 9:00 – 3:30 – Osage City – Osage City Public Library – 505 Main St
- 11/20 – 10:00 – 3:00 – Overbrook – Overbrook City Library – 317 Maple St.
- 11/26 - 9:00 - 3:30 – Garnett – KSU Extension Office – 411 S Oak St.

For any assistance with Medicare, to schedule an appointment at our main office or one of our Open Enrollment Outreach dates, or to get a Prescription Drug Plan Worksheet, please contact The East Central Kansas Area Agency on Aging.

Our contact information is: 117 S Main, Ottawa, KS, 66067, (785) 242-7200, donalds@eckaaa.org or visit our Website at www.eckaaa.org



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List of Personal Property tax warrants

(First published in The Anderson County Review, Thursday, October 10, 2024.)

Table listing personal property tax warrants with columns for warrant number, property address, and amount.

Summary table for taxes, interest, and fees for October 15, 2024, showing a total of \$20,183.13.

AMOUNTS INCLUDE Treas fee \$2, Abstr \$2, Publish \$15, Judgement fee \$36, Interest to Oct 15, 2024 accruing.

ANDERSON COUNTY TREASURER DENA McDANIEL

I, Dena M McDaniel, Treasurer of the County of Anderson, Garnett, Kansas, do solemnly affirm that the above statement is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I, Julie Wettstein, Anderson County Clerk, certify that the foregoing statement was subscribed and affirmed to before me on the 1st day of October, 2024



Notice of Hearing and Notice to Creditors - Settlemyer Estate

(First published in The Anderson County Review, Thursday, October 17, 2024.)

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF ANDERSON COUNTY, KANSAS Probate Division

In the Matter of the Estate of Ruth Marie Settlemyer, deceased. Case No. AN-2024-PR-000030

Notice of Hearing and Notice to Creditors

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a Petition has been filed in this court by Donavon W. Settlemyer, as heir-at-law and legatee and devisee of Ruth Marie Settlemyer, deceased, and as the personal representative named in the Last Will and Testament of Ruth Marie Settlemyer,

praying that the instrument attached to the Petition dated December 11, 2023, be admitted to probate, and for the appointment of Donavon W. Settlemyer as personal representative of the estate without bond.

You are further advised that the petitioner in this matter has requested administration pursuant to the Kansas Simplified Estates Act, and if such request is granted the court may not supervise administration of the estate and no further notice of any action of the personal representative or other proceedings in the administration will be given except for notice of final settlement of decedent's estate. Should written objections to simplified administration be filed with the court, the court may order supervised administration to ensue.

You are hereby required to file your written defenses to the Petition on or before November 13, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. in this court in the city of

Garnett, Anderson County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the petition.

All creditors are notified to exhibit their demands against the estate within four months from the date of the first publication of this notice as provided by law, and if their demands are not thus exhibited they shall be forever barred.

Donavon W. Settlemyer Petitioner

Prepared by: P.J. Kluin, Attorney for Petitioner Kluin Law Office, LLC 105 S. Highland Chanute, Kansas 66720 Phone (620) 431-1601 Fax (620) 431-1602

Notice of Ordinance renaming county road within City of Colony

(Published in The Anderson County Review, Thursday, October 17, 2024.)

ORDINANCE NO. 455

AN ORDINANCE RENAMING EAST COUNTY ROAD WITHIN THE CITY OF COLONY, KANSAS.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF COLONY, KANSAS:

1. East County Road, within the city limits of City of Colony, Kansas, is hereby renamed Hi Point road.

2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the official city newspaper according to law.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 9th day of October, 2024.

oc1711*

THE CITY OF COLONY /s/ Angela Black Angela Black, Mayor

ATTEST: /s Phyllis Gettler Phyllis Gettler, City Clerk (Seal)

Notice of Ordinance establishing a board of zoning appeals for the City of Colony

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ORDINANCE NO. 454

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS FOR THE CITY OF COLONY, KANSAS PER K.S.A. 12-759.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF COLONY, KANSAS:

1. The City of Colony, Kansas, hereby establishes a Board of Zoning Appeals for the purpose of administering appeals from any zoning regulations of the City of Colony, Kansas.

2. The Board of Zoning Appeals shall consist of three members.

3. The three initial members of the Board of Zoning Appeals shall be Gary Crabtree, who will serve for a term of one year, Steve Bubna, who will serve for a term of two years, and Blake Boone, who will serve for a term of three years.

4. All future vacant positions on the Board of Zoning Appeals will be filled by appointment of a member by the City of Colony, Kansas, City Council.

5. Before any appeal can be taken up by the Board of Zoning Appeals, the party appealing shall pay a \$100.00 fee.

6. The Board of Zoning Appeals shall govern itself in accordance with the provisions

of K.S.A. 12-759.

7. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the official city newspaper according to law.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 9th day of October, 2024.

THE CITY OF COLONY /s/ Angela Black Angela Black, Mayor

ATTEST: /s Phyllis Gettler Phyllis Gettler, City Clerk (Seal) oc1711*

Notice of Sale - 603 S Walnut, Garnett

(First published in The Anderson County Review, Thursday, October 10, 2024.)

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF ANDERSON COUNTY, KANSAS CIVIL DEPARTMENT

Nationstar Mortgage LLC Plaintiff, vs. Aaron Buehne, et al. Defendants,

Case No. AN-2023-CV-000001 Court No. Title to Real Estate Involved Pursuant to K.S.A. §60

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of an Order of Sale issued to me by the Clerk of the District Court

of Anderson County, Kansas, the undersigned Sheriff of Anderson County, Kansas, will offer for sale at public auction and sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand at the West Side Entrance of the Anderson County Courthouse, City of Garnett, County of Anderson of the Anderson County, Courthouse, Kansas, on October 31, 2024 at the time of 10:00 AM , the following real estate:

THE NORTH HALF (N/2) OF LOTS ONE (1) AND TWO (2) IN BLOCK SIXTY-EIGHT (68) TO THE CITY OF GARNETT, ANDERSON COUNTY, KANSAS., Parcel ID No. 0020993003013001000. Commonly known as 603 S Walnut St, Garnett, KS 66032 ("the Property") MS212146

to satisfy the judgment in the above-entitled case. The sale is to be made without appraisal and subject to the redemption period as provided by law, and further subject to the

approval of the Court.

Anderson County Sheriff MILLSAP & SINGER, LLC

By: Victor B. Finkelstein, #13410 vfinkelstein@msfirm.com 8900 Indian Creek Parkway, Suite 180 Overland Park, KS 66210 (913) 339-9132 (913) 339-9045 (fax) ATTORNEYS FOR PLAINTIFF

MILLSAP & SINGER, LLC AS ATTORNEYS FOR Nationstar Mortgage LLC IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. oc103*



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Corn and soybean harvesting has been a dry, dusty affair in recent weeks as fall precipitation all but evaded the local area. Weather

forecasts are calling for mostly sunny skies for the next several days with the first chance of rain coming on Monday.

Former Anderson County author to present at FOL annual meeting

Author Charlotte Hinger, originally from Anderson County will be presenting at the Friends of the Library Annual Meeting on Thursday, Nov. 7th (inclement weather reschedule date Nov. 14th) at 7:00 p.m. in the Archer Room. Charlotte's parents were Charles and Lottie Southerland. She attended Lone Elm grade school and graduated from Kincaid Rural High School. She is married to Don Hinger and they have three daughters. She currently resides in Fort Collins Colorado.

Charlotte Hinger is a multi-award-winning author of fiction and nonfiction with an emphasis on the American West. She was inducted into the Colorado Authors Hall of Fame in 2021. Her latest novel, *Mary's Place*, is set against the backdrop of the farm crisis of the 1980s. Charlotte Hinger's moving novel explores the lives of Mary and Iron Barrett as they

face the multiple calamities imposed by overproduction, debt, falling commodity prices, rural bank restructuring, and internal family dysfunction. *The Healer's Daughter*, a novel about African American settlement in Kansas, won the Kansas Notable Book Award, a Will Rogers Silver Medallion, and was a finalist for the High Plains Book Award. Her historical novel, *Come Spring*, won the Western Writers of America Medicine Pipe Award.

She has an award-winning mystery series, *Lottie Albright* series. The third book in the series, *Hidden Heritage* was singled out by Kirkus Reviews as one of the best 100 mysteries of 2013 and one of the best 100 fiction books. Her latest mystery, *Fractured Families*, was a finalist for Colorado Book Award.

Everyone is invited to attend her presentation, refreshments will be served.

Agriculture and aviation

Agriculture and aviation are two of the biggest industries in Kansas, but it's been rare for commodity farmers and commercial airlines to interact as partners. As sustainability moves from boardroom buzzword to real world applications, there's a need for more conversation between the industries.

Kansas Farm Bureau recently facilitated some of that conversation between farmers in south-central Kansas and representatives from Delta Airlines centered largely around the recent push to produce more sustainable aviation fuel. Essentially, the grains and oilseeds farmers grow will be refined into jet fuel.

Sustainability has a wide variety of meanings depending on the context. For airlines, sustainability is a biofuel with a lower carbon footprint than traditional petroleum-derived propellant. For farmers, sustainability is keeping the land they farm productive so future generations can continue working it.

It's logical two different industries would have different definitions for the same term. One is a little over 100 years old, while the other has been around for a few thousand years. It makes perfect sense for the upstart industry (relatively speaking) to learn from the much older one of what sustainability looks like.

Perhaps the biggest takeaway is there's no one-size-fits-all solution when it comes to farming. Over visits to farms across just three counties in Kansas, airline officials were able to see firsthand just how different farms are. Many employed the same conservation-minded practices like no-till and cover crops that aim to boost soil health, but the practices were long-term investments in the land. A lower carbon footprint isn't the goal, it's merely a byproduct of good stewardship.

To their credit, Delta officials didn't come to Kansas expecting to resolve all the issues surrounding sustainable aviation fuel, rather they showed up with an open mind and sought to better understand policy perspectives of growers in the region and experiences across the agricultural

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value chain.

They heard firsthand about opportunities and challenges to implementing conservation practices on farms. Farmers provided their experiences on topics like raising grain sorghum, using cover crops to increase soil health and for grazing, wheat planting, drought and minimum- or no-till practices.

Orville Wright covered 120 feet over the course of 12 seconds in the first powered flight of what's now known as an airplane. An observer during that first flight could probably figure out a 747 is one of the results of that flight, but couldn't comprehend the testing, innovation and change necessary to get from one to the other.

The same is true in agriculture. The plow, which may be the most important tool in settling Kansas, is not long for this world. Breaking generations of tradition isn't easy and doesn't always happen quickly, but I have no doubt Kansas farmers will be leaders in the coming evolution.

The conversation between agriculture and aviation is just getting started. It's commendable the two industries are talking, trying to figure out how to best help each other thrive in the future. This was just the beginning of the conversation, and no one is quite sure where it will lead. One thing everyone knows: the sky's the limit.

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Garnett crews purged the city water system recently by venting fire hydrants across town. Pressure in the system was powerful enough

to blow this stream all the way across 4th Avenue near U.S. 169.

Kellerman's 71st annual reunion held in July

The 71st annual Kellerman Family Reunion was held July 14, 2024, at Kelley Park in Burlington, Kansas.

It was hosted by the late Jean Parkers Family, friend David Lyman, daughter Sally McDonald and friend Miro Ortiz, great granddaughters Heather Perkins and Sammi Wright and their families.

The late Ed and Belle Kellerman were parents of 14 children. Five are still living. This year, one of the five children was present. There were a lot of siblings, grandchildren, great grandchildren and great-great grandchildren present.

There were 31 in attendance this year.

Following the meal, prizes were given to the children and adults guessing the correct number of candies in the jar.

After the fun and visiting, pictures were taken of the families. Next year's family reunion will be hosted by the Edna and David Donovan Family. Next

year's reunion will be July 13, 2025.

Present for the occasion were David and Edna Donovan; Iola; Mary Spruk; and Linda Oneslager; Shawnee; David Lyman; Lebo; Tabitha Smoot; Perry; Kathy and Victor (Cal) Burr; Burlington; Sherry Donovan; Platte City, Mo.; Sally McDonald and Miro Ortiz, Nathan, Misty, Ariella, Aleyah, Gunner, and Max McDonald, Caroline Smoots; Emporia; William A. Kellerman; Merriam; Mila and Malakai Holland; Deborah Kelly; College Station, Texas; Heather, Alex and Lillian Perkins; Valley Falls; Sammi and Wyatt Wright; Meriden; Alice Dechant; Springfield, Mo.; Preston, Alex and Natalie Sutherland; Ellis, Ks.

We had a lot of good food and visiting even though the numbers were down a good time was had by all. Our next reunion will be July 13, 2025.

The family added several

newborns this year, Avalynn Grace Ryan, Mark and Dallas Saathoff, and Brinley Jean Metzger.

Marrying into the family was Lane Gibson to Kursten

Metzger.

We lost our beloved sister Jean Parker, Cathy Coop, and John Roberts this past year.

David Donovan

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In March, Haitian illegal immigrant Jean Robert Macean was arrested for the stabbing death of a married couple in Florida. They were riding their bikes for a Bike Week event when they were killed. He was later deemed incompetent to stand trial.

In July, Kayla Hamilton, who was autistic, was raped and killed in her mobile home. Police eventually arrested an El Salvadoran 17-year-old who authorities said is linked to the MS-13 street gang and who was released into the U.S. into the custody of his aunt after being encountered at the border. An interim staff Judiciary Committee report released in 2023 faulted the Biden administration for a failure to vet the suspect, calling it a "tragic example of the failure to enforce U.S. immigration law."

The same month, Gerson Fuentes - a Guatemalan illegal immigrant - was arrested for the rape of a child. The victim, who was 9 when the attack happened, confirmed that he attacked her. The case sparked national attention after it was highlighted by an Indianapolis doctor that the victim traveled to Indiana to have the abortion due to Ohio's limitations on abortion.

Gerson Fuentes enters Franklin County Common Pleas Court in Columbus, Ohio, for his bond hearing, July 28, 2022.

In August, two Mexican illegal immigrants were charged with the murder of a North Carolina sheriff's deputy. Alder Alfonso Marin Sotelo and Arturo Marin Sotelo are charged with the murder of Wake County K9 Deputy Ned Byrd, who was shot and killed on Aug. 11 when patrolling a neighborhood in response to multiple 911 calls. ICE told Fox News Digital that the brothers had both entered the U.S. illegally "on an unknown date, at an unknown place" that was not a port of entry - meaning they likely evaded Border Patrol agents.

Arturo Marin Sotelo had been encountered by Border Patrol agents near Naco, Arizona, in June 2010 and had been deported to Mexico via voluntary return through Tucson, Arizona. However, he later re-entered the country. In October, Canadian illegal immigrant David DePape attacked Paul Pelosi, the husband of then-House Speaker Nancy Pelosi, D-Calif., with a hammer. DePape had entered the U.S. in 2008 and overstayed his visa.

The same month, a Guatemalan illegal immigrant was arrested for the stabbing of eight people on a sidewalk in Las Vegas, killing two of them. Yoni Barrios allegedly began his rampage after a group of showgirls refused to take a picture with him. He reportedly used what authorities described as a "large knife with a long blade" and began attacking when they rebuffed him.

2023 In April, Salvadoran national Carlos Dominguez was charged with stabbing two men to death in California, two days apart. In May, he stabbed a homeless

woman multiple times, but she survived. He had entered the U.S. in 2009 as an unaccompanied minor.

The same month in Texas, Mexican and multiple deportee Francisco Oropesa Perez-Torrez accused of entering his neighbor's home before midnight and shooting five people dead, including a third-grade boy. Others in the household had asked Oropesa to stop firing a rifle in his yard that late because a 1-month-old baby was trying to sleep. A source with the Department of Homeland Security told Fox News that Oropesa had been deported five times between 2009-2016.

In May, Jose Roberto Hernandez-Espinal - a Salvadoran illegal immigrant - was arrested for allegedly raping a woman and a 15-year-old girl. He had reportedly entered the U.S. in 2013. Court documents allege that Hernandez-Espinal pointed a machete at a woman's back and led her to a secluded part of the woods before raping her.

In June, police in Virginia arrested a Honduran national for breaking into an apartment and attempting to abduct a 4-year-old girl, Fox 5 reported. He had reportedly entered the U.S. illegally in 2018, and ICE had filed multiple detainers against him in 2021 and 2022, but they have not been honored in the sanctuary county in which he lived.

In August, a Venezuelan migrant was accused of raping a woman in front a 3-year-old in Erie County, New York. Prosecutors say the suspect and victim knew each other.

In Texas, in September, Mexican national Juan Vicente Zavala Lopez allegedly shot a police officer in a car chase after killing his roommate. Zavala Lopez is said to have a lengthy criminal history, has been deported nine times before and spent 18 months in a Texas state prison in addition to facing charges in California. In December, 16-year-old high school cheerleader Lizabeth Medina was stabbed to death in her apartment in Jackson County, Texas, allegedly by Mexican national Rafael Govea Romero, a visa overstayer who was on probation for burglary.

Meanwhile, in Colorado, a Salvadoran illegal immigrant who had been deported four times between 2009 and 2015 was arrested after allegedly killing a mother and her son in a car crash that police say involved alcohol. Jose Guadalupe Menjivar-Alas was first convicted of DWI on Aug. 4, 2007, and received subsequent convictions for the same offense on Dec. 7, 2016, and May 7, 2019. He was also convicted of driving with alcohol on Sept. 16, 2007.

Also in December, Jose Santiago Chairez was arrested for the shooting death of two sisters in their home in Dallas, Texas, while he also allegedly shot his daughter during the same incident. Chairez allegedly shot sisters Catalina Valdez Andrade, 47, and Merced Andrade Bailon, 43, in the head inside their home and shot his daughter in the arm.

2024 In January, Alonzo Pierre Mingo, a former ICE detainee was charged with three counts of second-degree murder, with intent, for the killings inside a

suburban Minneapolis house, where he reportedly used his seasonal UPS uniform to pose as a worker to gain access along with two accomplices. Police said the shooting was a drug-related incident and occurred as two children under the age of 5 looked on.

"The older child can be seen entering the bedroom shortly thereafter, crying hysterically," police said in a probable cause statement. "Another subsequent video shows the younger child enter the bedroom to check out the female until the older child pulls the younger child away from the deceased female's body and out of the room."

Meanwhile, in New York City, a police officer was brutally beaten by a mob of illegal immigrants - as authorities were dealing with a flood of primarily Venezuelan migrants into the sanctuary city. Some of them fled the city, while Jhoan Boada, 22, was arrested later and then released before flipping the bird to waiting reporters.

In February, Augusta University nursing student Laken Riley was beaten to death, allegedly by a Venezuelan illegal immigrant, while she was out for a jog on the University of Georgia campus. The suspect, Jose Ibarra, was encountered by the U.S. Border Patrol in September 2022 and released on parole into the U.S. He would travel to New York City and be charged with child endangerment and driving crime. ICE said he was released before they could issue a detainer.

Jose Ibarra was arrested on Feb. 23 in connection with Laken Riley's Feb. 22 murder in Athens, Georgia. (Clarke County Sheriff's Office)

Months later, he would be accused in the death of Riley. The case highlighted the challenges facing immigration enforcement, who have had their priorities narrowed under the Biden administration to focus on national security and public safety threats - but who are also facing resistance from sanctuary cities, which limits local police cooperation with federal immigration authorities.

The same month as Riley's death, Honduran national Angel Matias Castellanos-Orellana was arrested in Kenner, Louisiana for allegedly raping a 14-year-old girl at knifepoint in a park and stabbing another man during a robbery. Police warned that they are often hindered from dealing with illegal immigrants due to the lack of identifiers and use of aliases. Castellanos-Orellana had reportedly entered the U.S. via Eagle Pass, Texas, in 2023, at a time when the state was dealing with a massive surge in migration.

Also in February, Nilson Trejo-Granados was arrested and charged with second-degree murder in the shooting death of a 2-year-old child in Maryland. Police said he was caught in a shootout between two gangs. Trejo-Granados is not accused of firing the weapon that killed the victim, but he is alleged to have been in a car with a group of people connected to the shootout.

In July, two illegal immigrants were arrested on capital murder charges in the death of

12-year-old Jocelyn Nungaray in Houston, Texas. Jocelyn left her family's home to grab a late night soda when police say the men, Johan Jose Rangel Martinez and Franklin Jose Pena Ramos, led her out of a convenience store. The men are accused of luring her under a bridge, tying her up and killing her before throwing her body into a river. Officials confirmed they were in the country illegally and had arrived that year, but were released on orders of recognizance pending their immigration court hearings.

In August, David Davon-Bonilla was accused of attacking a 46-year-old woman in Brooklyn's famed Coney Island, forcibly raping her at knifepoint alongside an accomplice.

The same month, authorities confirmed the arrest of an illegal immigrant boyfriend of a Virginia mother who was arrested after her two young sons were found chained to a post by their ankles. Wendi Del Cid Rodriguez and Franklin Arquimedes Viera-Guevara allegedly told investigators they would chain the boys at their ankles for short periods of time to "scare them" so they would not leave the home.

ICE confirmed to Fox that the suspect is a Salvadoran illegal immigrant previously deported in 2019, but he reentered as a "gotaway."

In September, ICE announced the arrest of a number of illegal immigrant criminals from Martha's Vineyard - the liberal vacation hotspot where Florida Gov Ron DeSantis had flown migrants on a private airplane. Among those arrested in late August was 24-year-old Brazilian illegal immigrant Warley Neto. Neto, who illegally entered the United States through the Paso Del Norte border region of Texas and Mexico in 2018, is facing five counts of raping a Massachusetts minor.

Meanwhile, in Colorado, police announced the arrest of multiple suspected Tren de Aragua members in relation to a shooting that occurred in Aurora near a block of apartments believed to have been taken over by the gang.

The Venezuelan nationals, ranging in ages from 19 through 24, all crossed the southern border through Texas illegally in 2022 and 2023, under the Biden administration. All four were arrested by Aurora police and ICE has placed detainer requests on two of them.

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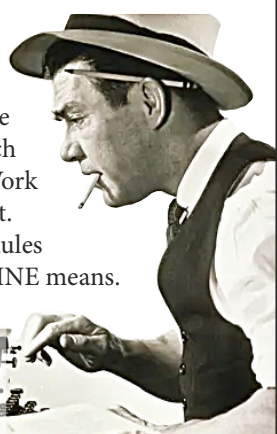
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Vikings XC continues to roll at Osage City Invite

OSAGE CITY - With the amount of success the Central Heights Vikings cross country has had this season, it's easy to lose sight of some of the peripheral experiences that make the sport so special.

As Cody Hammond and Connor Burkdoll crossed the finish line 1-2 in the varsity boys race, another individual who has been right there with them since 7th grade finished a few seconds later in West Franklin's Hunter Bailey, and then Owen Miller and Jotham Meyer came through shortly after. "You see, these boys, although competitors from rival schools, have a lot of history together," said Vikings head coach Troy Prosser.

In 7th grade, they won the Kansas Milesplit Jr. High State Championship as teammates and on Thursday, at Osage City, they closed the book of competing with and against one another on the Cross Country course as five of the top 11 finishers.

Prosser added, "To see how these kids have grown over the years is astonishing, to say the least and I can proudly say that I'm so happy for the competitiveness and friendship that has blossomed as far back as 6th grade for most of them."

"An endurance sport requires exactly that and having no timeouts, breaks or substitutions makes hot and humid days like yesterday incredibly formidable," Prosser said.

Ebony Hughes and Melany Chrisjohn led the varsity girls team and Maya Acebron gave her best of her career but a tough situation took Lily Burkdoll out of the race.

"She'll be back and stronger over the next few weeks and I know her girls team will all be fighting like crazy as we

enter our first Three Rivers League championship meet next Thursday," Prosser said.

Of the 15 personal records and three season bests set on the day, the majority of them came from the junior varsity boys who, once again, put up a perfect score this season. In fact, they have had a perfect 15 point team score in every single meet this season which has to be some sort of record! Grace Tooley dropped her personal best by nearly two minutes Aidan Howland, Aydan Dunbar, Russell Reed, Knox Cannady, Royce Ulrich, Mathew Dunbar, Matthew Wilt and Presten Holstine all ran their best of the entire season as well.

The middle schoolers combined age groups for the first time this season and the girls came out with some fantastic results. Mackenzie Moon's 13:08 ranks her 2nd on the all-time middle school girls record board with one race to go in the season to attempt to top that mark. The girl's team finished 2nd overall and five of our seven middle schoolers set personal records as well.

With the regular season now concluded, championship races are up next starting with the TRL meet hosted by Southeast HS in Cherokee.

Prosser concluded, "It will be a fun challenge to see how we fit in with our new league and we look forward to making a mark and showing out the best that we can."

Varsity Boys (1st)
1st - Cody Hammond (16:09.79)
2nd - Connor Burkdoll (16:12.50)
6th - Stetson Miller (17:26.53)
7th - Owen Miller (17:35.66)
11th - Jotham Meyer (17:45.51)
14th - Christian McCord (17:59.34)

Varsity Girls (5th)
14th - Ebony Hughes (21:49.87)
16th - Melaney Chrisjohn (22:05.95)
30th - Caitlynn Detwiler (24:08.42)
35th - Maya Acebron (24:48.20)
42nd - Arabella Dunbar (25:28.11)
52nd - Faith Coons (26:14.95)

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1st - Cooper Moore (18:27.33)
2nd - Cash Miller (19:06.59)
3rd - Ben Wuertz (19:17.39)
4th - Aidan Howland (19:26.48)
5th - Russell Reed (19:30.00)
6th - Aydan Dunbar (19:33.83)
7th - Knox Cannady (19:35.68)



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Central Heights 8th grader Makenzie Moon (pictured) won the middle school girls 2 Mile at Osage City with a personal record 13:08.

20th - Josiah Meyer (18:19.50)
Varsity Girls (5th)
14th - Ebony Hughes (21:49.87)
16th - Melaney Chrisjohn (22:05.95)
30th - Caitlynn Detwiler (24:08.42)
35th - Maya Acebron (24:48.20)
42nd - Arabella Dunbar (25:28.11)
52nd - Faith Coons (26:14.95)

JV Boys (1st)
1st - Cooper Moore (18:27.33)
2nd - Cash Miller (19:06.59)
3rd - Ben Wuertz (19:17.39)
4th - Aidan Howland (19:26.48)
5th - Russell Reed (19:30.00)
6th - Aydan Dunbar (19:33.83)
7th - Knox Cannady (19:35.68)

8th - Royce Ulrich (20:00.77)
9th - Mathew Dunbar (20:01.42)
12th - Brooks Hamilton (20:56.80)
14th - Caleb Detwiler (21:03.24)
22nd - Matthew Wilt (22:16.66)
35th - Presten Holstine (24:03.81)

JV Girls
11th - Grace Tooley (35:31.47)
MS Girls 2 Mile
1st - Makenzie Moon (13:08.75)
10th - Emery Hughes (14:09.04)
14th - Elizabeth Meyer (14:33.60)
18th - Kamden Moon (15:08.32)
36th - Ella Johnson (17:26.59)
37th - Rilya Lickteig (17:26.59)
MS Boys 2 Mile
47th - Rodney Macy (15:34.08)

Bulldogs run at Osage City

OSAGE CITY - The Anderson County Bulldogs ran last week at Osage City, led by a 30th place finish by Grant Nienstedt (19:10) in the boy's varsity run.

Other varsity runners included Brody Barnes 36th (19:37), Brodie Wiesner 42nd

(20:00), Wesley Mills 61st (21:03), Zykin Velvick 66th (21:15) and Owen Hawkins finished 80th (22:27).

For the girls, they had two compete in the junior varsity run. Hope Hill (28:44) finished 5th while Rayna Kuhlman (40:59) was 16th.

Lady Lancers place 2 in top 10 at Osage City

OSAGE CITY - There was some top-notch competition at the Osage City Invitational last week but despite that, the Crest Lancers runners held their own with a pair of girl runners in the top 10 as Josie Walter (20:57) and Peyton Schmidt (21:13) finished 9th and 10th respectively.

Aubrey Allen (22:50) also ran well finishing 20th and Kallei Robb (25:46) finished 46th.

In the boy's run Gunner Ellington (19:16) led the way with a 31st place finish.

Grady Allen (20:12) finished 47th, Elijah Taylor (21:06) was 62nd and Ryan West (22:10) was 78th.

Lancers roll over Centre

COLONY - The Crest Lancers improved to 4-2 on the season as they had no trouble with Centre in last Friday's home contest, winning 62-0.

Not only has Centre not won a game, they have now scored just 8 points in 6 games and have had all their games end via the 45-point mercy rule except for a 32-0 loss to Little River.

Crest quarterback Drake Weir completed just 3 of 6 passes for 13 yards and a touchdown.

Kade Nilges caught the lone touchdown on a one yard reception.

On the ground, the Lancers finished the game with 148 yards on 15 carries. Over half

of their attempts resulted in a touchdown as the Lancers scored 8 rushing touchdowns by 7 different players.

Jensin Barker led the way with 3 rushes for 68 yards and 2 touchdowns.

Henry White had 1 carry for 25 yards and a score.

Also scoring rushing touchdowns were Gunner Ellington, Weir, Charlie Slyter, Nilges and Teagen Allen.

The defense was led by Gentry McGhee as he had 9 tackles. Barker was second on the team with 8 stops.

Kole Walter recorded the game's only interception. The Lancers also had 3 fumble recoveries, one each from McGhee, Barker and Allen.

Vikings win streak over

COUNCIL GROVE - The Vikings had a step up in competition last Friday as they squared off against Council Grove (5-1) on the road, falling 58-0.

Council Grove erupted in the first half to take a 50-0 halftime lead after 22 points in the first quarter and 28 more in the second.

Council Grove tacked on a 3rd quarter touchdown but that would be all the scoring for the night.

Central Heights was limited to -3 total yards in the game.

Vikings quarterback Brody Roulett finished just 3 for 10 for 16 yards on the night.

Council Grove's rush defense was rock solid all evening, limiting the Vikings to -19 rushing yards in the game on 22 carries. The longest gain on the ground was 6 yards.

Conversely, Council Grove quarterbacks threw for 190 yards on just 8 completions and on the ground the team tallied 300 yards on just 29 carries and 6 touchdowns.

Roulett led the defense with 6 tackles

FORUM...

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ination is rigidly criticized. But she enjoys winning margins in progressive and liberal-minded realms of Johnson and Wyandotte counties. Davids usually only visits the southern areas of the district on short, unannounced stops for photo ops with local officials or small, Democrat-friendly groups - never among mixed crowds or subject to media exposure.

Davids and Reddy were the top of the ballot contenders at the Ottawa event, which included segments with numerous other candidates in various races.

The three-term Democrat was the only candidate who didn't show up after having agreed to attend, notably after having issued conditions to chamber organizers that she would not share the stage with Reddy nor except any open, unmonitored questions from the audience. Her absence was

much the topic of discussion among the 120 audience members who attended.

"So she issues these ultimatums and they (the Ottawa chamber) cowl-ows to her, and then she still doesn't show up," one unidentified man was overheard saying to a group in the lobby during a break. "Shows you how much she thinks of Ottawa."

Reddy, solo in one of two chairs on stage arranged for opposing candidates to address the audience, spoke for his allotted time detailing his personal journey as an immigrant with his family from Chennai, India, his schooling, college at K-State and later medical school and eventually his enlistment in the U.S. Air Force after 9/11.

Responding to a moderator's question, Reddy specifically refuted debunked claims by Davids' campaign that he supports a nationwide abortion ban.

"I can tell you what you're hearing is patently false," Reddy said. "My position on abortion is very straight forward - I believe in exceptions. Based on Dobbs it's a state's rights issue. I respect the will of the Kansas voters and I'm not going to support a national ban. It's that simple for me."

The Ottawa forum would have been the first and possibly only policy discussion between the two candidates of the campaign, since Davids turned down an invitation by the Johnson County area NAACP to the organization's October 14 debate. That debate would have been before a live audience and members of the KC area minority media. Davids is said to have agreed to an October 25 in-studio debate to be televised by Kansas City Public Television, but Donley did not confirm that she would still attend in a reply to questions from the Kansas Informer

on Thursday.

With news of Davids' pull-out several hours before, Reddy pulled no punches in a statement issued shortly before the Ottawa event.

"Sharice Davids had the chance to face voters and answer their questions," Reddy said, "but backed out when it became clear she couldn't control the narrative. Voters in this District deserve a representative who will listen to their concerns and answer their questions."

"I'll take questions regardless of someone's party affiliation," Reddy said. "Why is Sharice Davids hiding?" The event was moderated by former Ottawa Mayor Blake Jorgenson and sponsored by the Ottawa Chamber Legislative Action Committee, KOFO 1220 Rado and the Franklin County Farm Bureau.

BANK...

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Fellows Lodge, and the Kincaid Telephone Office. Access to the second floor was via a stairway on the outside of the building, but that building burned in a devastating 1916 fire and was replaced by the building that now houses the Kincaid post office.

City council members at the time decided to use the brick, sand, stone, and plaster debris from the destroyed buildings to "pave" the alleys of the town, the ACHS research shows. The children of town had fun looking up and down the alleys for coins from the cash boxes never recovered from the debris from the businesses and was incorporated into the alley paving. Many bottles of pop and sacks of candy were bought from the coins the children found, local historians say.

The bank's present brick structure was built in 1985 immediately north of the 1916 building, which now houses the post office.

In more recent years the Kincaid bank became a kind of favorite for bank robbers. A lone gunman successfully robbed the bank of an undisclosed amount of cash in March 2007 and was never apprehended. That robbery prompted the installation of upgraded security features and cameras, which thwarted an attempt by a man in a skeleton mask in 2011 who never

gained entry, and another try in 2013 in which would-be robbers failed to gain access to the locked lobby and fled, followed by a Good Samaritan who kept tabs on them - at one point dodging gunfire - until law enforcement arrested the two men after a short exchange of

bullets in Linn County.

Online competition and costs to operate branch locations has taken a toll on physical bank locations in the U.S. in the past decade or so. AmericanBanker.com quoted S&P Market Intelligence data saying there were near-

ly 100,000 branches across the county in 2009 and fewer than 80,000 today, as banks invest more in their online platforms where customers increasingly seek to do their banking.



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