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Search for Joan Rebar continues

■ Mayetta woman still missing after a year

It's been a year now since Jackson County resident Joan Rebar went missing, and members of a special task force investigating her disappearance still have no answers as to what happened to the 71-year-old woman after she left the VFW Post in Meriden late one evening in September 2015.

Jackson County Sheriff Tim

Morse says that most people interviewed about the case have been cooperative.

A video showing Rebar leaving the VFW Post in Jefferson County at 1:53 a.m. on Saturday, Sept. 26, is the last time she was seen apparently, Sheriff Morse

"Based on our investigation, we haven't found anyone who has had contact with her from that point on," Morse said.

Rebar, who is described by Morse as a "very social person who was well liked" visited the VFW Post regularly and drove there that Friday evening in her silver 2005 Chrysler Pacifica bearing Kansas disabled tag 71664. Her vehicle has also not been located anywhere.

Patrons at the VFW reported that Rebar left alone from the post that evening. According to the Meriden Memorial VFW Post 10815 website, the post opens at 4 p.m. on Fridays, but closing hours were not listed.

A Silver Alert was issued for Rebar on Sept. 30 after a neighbor notified law enforcement



Joan Rebar

officers that they had not seen Rebar for many days. Rebar's home is located on the Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation reservation in Mayetta.

Ten thick binders of information regarding the case at the Jackson County Sheriff's Office represent the large volume of interviews and data collected in the past year during the search for Rebar.

"We've interviewed more than 100 individuals," Morse said. "The family has been extremely cooperative with law enforcement. We have polygraphed a lot of individuals, and most of

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Two of these Holton High School students will be named homecoming king and queen prior to the start of Friday's Wildcat football game against Royal Valley. Queen candidates, from left on front row, are Emma Wittmer, Sydney Prine, Ashlyn Weilert, Courtney Boswell and Cali Smith; king candidates, from left on back row, are Tyler Price, Spencer Baum, Tel Wittmer, Aaron Bain and Brady Forrester. Coronation will take place at 6:30 p.m. Friday at the HHS football field, where the game will start at 7 p.m. There will also be a homecoming parade that day, set to arrive on Holton's Town Square at about 2:30 p.m., it was reported.

Oct. 18 is voter registration deadline

By Ali Holcomb

Tuesday, Oct. 18, is the deadline to register to vote in Kansas for the Nov. 8 general election, it has been reported.

To be eligible to vote, a Jackson County resident must be 18 years of age before Election Day. Residents can register at the Jackson County Clerk's Office, which is located on the second floor of the Jackson County

Voter registration forms are also available at www.kssos. org/forms/elections/voterregistration.pdf. The online forms must be printed off, completed and then either mailed or taken

to the clerk's office. Those registering for the first

time must provide a driver's license number or ID card number, as well as provide proof of citizenship with a birth certificate, passport or tribal identification card.

Advance voting for the elec-tion, which includes the presidential race, will begin on Oct. 19 and will be available through noon on Monday, Nov. 7, in the county clerk's office, which is located on the second floor of the Jackson County Courthouse.

Any registered voter can vote in advance. This year, Jackson County Clerk Kathy Mick has announced that several additional advance voting stations will be set up in the county.

From 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on

Wednesday, Oct. 26, advance voting for all Jackson County residents will be available at the Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation elder center.

Advance voting will also be

available for anyone at Highland Community College in Holton on Nov. 1 and 2, it was reported.

Mick is encouraging many county residents to vote in advance at the Courthouse or at one of the other locations.

"Hopefully this will help speed up the voting process, Mick said. "We want to give people as many opportunities as we can so they don't get caught in those lines on Election Day."

Mick is also in the process of

determining if the voting site for Holton voters can be moved to the First Baptist Church in Holton, 404 Juniper Dr.

Voters in Holton Wards 1, 2 and 3 currently cast their ballots at the Vets Club. Mick said she is looking into moving the location due to limited parking and space at the Vets Club.

"All the Holton voters go through that one location," she said. "That's a lot of people."

Kansas voters can find their polling location, party affiliation, voting history and other election information by visiting www.voteks.org

For more information about the election, call the clerk's office at 364-2891.

Deadline for election letters set for Oct. 20

Holton Recorder — about ters are published for free. the upcoming general election on Tuesday, Nov. 8 will be 5 p.m. on Thursday,

The Monday, Oct. 24 edition of *The Recorder* will be the last one before the election to include letters to the editor about the election.

The Recorder accepts and encourages letters to the editor but also reserves the right to edit any letter for length and to, if necessary, reject any letter.

Letters submitted for publication must be signed and include a daytime phone number for verification pur-

The deadline to submit poses. Short, concise letters letters to the editor at *The* are recommended. The let-

> Letters from political candates, their campaign man agers, their campaign treasurers or their political action groups will not be published for free but will be asked to pay the newspaper's regular advertising rates. The Recorder will also not publish for free any form-type political letters.

> In the final two weeks leading up to the election, The Recorder will continue to accept letters to the editor, but letter writers will be required to pay the newspaper's regular advertising rates to have the letters published.

Myers' prison sentence postponed for college

By Brian Sanders

A two-year prison sentence for an Ozawkie man convicted in connection with an alleged shooting incident in Holton last fall has been delayed so that the man may finish his current semester of college.

Jackson County District Court Judge Norbert Marek noted the efforts of Joshua J. Myers, 24, to get his life back on track after the alleged Oct. 23, 2015 incident in which he reportedly fired

a handgun at a Holton resident. However, Marek noted that since the charges of aggravated

assault and criminal discharge of a firearm at an occupied building reportedly involved the use of a handgun by Myers, state law requires presumptive prison rather than probation for the two

Marek gave Myers consecutive 12-month prison sentences on each charge — reduced from the original charge of attempted

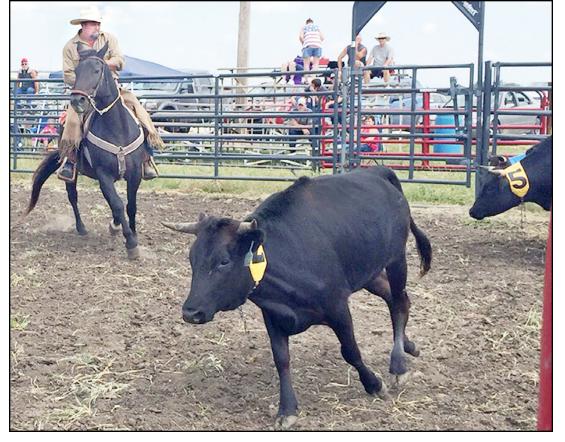
second-degree murder - and ordered him to surrender to the Jackson County Sheriff's Office on Oct. 3 to begin his prison sentence.

Myers' attorney, Thomas G. Lemon of Topeka, told Marek that Myers was in the midst of the fall semester at Washburn University, where he is currently taking 12 credit hours, and asked the judge to delay the prison term so that Myers could finish the semester. Marek agreed

to delay the surrender date until Dec. 30, noting that conditions of Myers' bond would remain in

"I honestly believe you won't commit another crime in your life," the judge told Myers. "I see you trying to set yourself up for a future leadership role, but you need to make sure that the people you lead know that you can't do this stuff."

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Ken Ribelin (shown above), a member of the Ribelin Wranglers team from Mayetta, competed at the Ranch Rodeo on Saturday at the Northeast Kansas Heritage Com-Photo by David Powls

Documentary brings RVMS students honor

By Ali Holcomb

Three eighth-grade students at Royal Valley Middle School have won the Lowell Milken Center for Unsung Heroes' 2016 Discovery Award for a documentary they created that honors Emma Darling Cushman, an American nurse who saved thousand of Armenian children during the Armenian genocide, it has been announced.

Colin Caviness, Luke Boyden and Colin Everts, under the guidance of history teacher Nate McAlister, won the \$7,500 grand prize in the international contest, it was reported.

Their award-winning documentary, "A Light In The Darkness," brings to light the littleknown story of Cushman, who cared for thousands of Armenian children during and after World War I.

In addition to caring for countless orphans, Cushman served as acting consul of the

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Purple Heart Profiles

Hale earned medal in European Theater

Editor's note: This is the 29th in a series of stories about past and present Jackson County residents who earned the Purple Heart Medal, which is awarded to military personnel wounded or killed in the line of duty.

The names of those profiled in these stories will be placed on a special monument for Purple Heart Medal recipients to be built soon in Holton's Linscott Park.

Joseph P. Hale was nearly 40 years old when he was inducted into the U.S. Army.

But Hale served honorably as a rifle marksman and as a "first aid man" with the

medical department of the 559th Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion during World War II in the European theater of operations, according to information provided by his son, Roy Hale of Mayetta.

It was in the closing months of the war when Hale, a member of the Prairie Band Potawatomi tribe, earned his Purple Heart medal under enemy fire.

Born Nov. 2, 1902, on the Potawatomi reservation, the son of William F. Hale and Maggie O-Zoush-Quah, Hale graduated from Mayetta

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DISTRICT COURT NEWS

Traffic

Tyler R. Moore, speeding,

Carol J. Navarro, child restraint violation, \$249.

Erick T. Smith, speeding, \$177. Alexandria N. Wyatt, speed-

Criminal

Dispositions

State of Kansas vs. Sonja R. Schroeder, Hiawatha, possession of methamphetamine; sentenced to 11 months imprisonment, suspended; placed on 18 months probation and assessed court

State of Kansas vs. Randal C. Davis, Holton, attempt to contribute to a child's misconduct or deprivation; sentenced to 12 months imprisonment and assessed court costs.

State of Kansas vs. Garrett M. Collins, Wetmore, possession of marijuana; sentenced to 12 months in jail, suspended; placed on 12 months probation and fined \$200 plus court costs.

State of Kansas vs. Ethan A. Martin, Topeka, possession of marijuana; sentenced to 12 months in jail, suspended; placed on six months probation and fined \$200 plus court costs. Filed

State of Kansas vs. Trisha L. Jones, Topeka, theft.

State of Kansas vs. Terrance E. Huss Jr., Nortonville, criminal trespass.

State of Kansas vs. Steaven R. Rial, Holton, possession of methamphetamine, possession of drug paraphernalia.

State of Kansas vs. Noah A. Howerton, Holton, criminal threat.

State of Kansas vs. Serena M. Barnhill, Holton, traffic in contraband in a correctional in-

Ex-Kickapoo firefighters indicted

The former chief of the Kickapoo Tribal Volunteer Fire Department and a former volunteer firefighter have been indicted on federal charges of intentionally setting fires their department was paid by the federal government to fight, Acting U.S. Attorney Tom Beall said Wednesday.

Former chief Stephen D. Ramirez, 26, and former firefighter Arlene M. Negonsott, 34, both of Horton, have been charged with four counts of wire fraud, Beall said. If convicted, the defendants face up to 20 years in prison and a fine of up to \$250,000 on each count, it was reported.

The indictment alleges that Ramirez recruited Negonsott to set six fires on the Kickapoo Reservation between July and November of 2015 that the Kickapoo fire department was called to fight.

The Kickapoo Tribe in Kansas contracted with the Bureau of Indian Affairs to provide fire suppression services on the reservation. The contract called for the BIA to pay the tribe \$600 for each fire it fought.

The case is being investigated by the U.S. Department of Interior-Office of Inspector General, the Kickapoo Tribal Police and the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Assistant U.S. Attorney Alan Metzger is prosecuting.

Indictments contain allegations of criminal conduct, and defendants in all criminal cases are presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty.

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stitution or care and treatment facility, criminal use of weap-

State of Kansas vs. Ronald D. Watkins, Soldier, possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia.

State of Kansas vs. Nicolas D. Price, Topeka, possession of methamphetamine, possession of drug paraphernalia, interference with law enforcement-falsely reporting information, two counts

State of Kansas vs. Ray C. Atlakson, Hiawatha, cultivation, distribution or possession with intent to distribute a controlled substance: methamphetamine, possession of drug paraphernalia, possession of methamphet-

amine, possession of marijuana. State of Kansas vs. Kelley J. Fernandez, Hiawatha, cultivation, distribution or possession with intent to distribute a controlled substance: methamphetamine, possession of drug paraphernalia, possession of methamphetamine, possession of marijuana, driving while license canceled, suspended or revoked.

Civil

Dispositions

The estate of Justin Kennedy, deceased, by and through Paul B. Kennedy as special administrator of the estate, and Paul B. Kennedy, individually and on behalf of the heirs of Justin T. Kennedy, deceased vs. Farm Bureau Property and Casualty Insurance Company, sought judgment in excess of \$75,000 plus court costs; case settled and dismissed.

Albert Page vs. Mark Loader, seeking cancellation of sale con-

Limited Civil

tract plus court costs.

Dispositions LVNV Funding L.L.C. vs. Everett Hopkins, sought judgment of \$996.99 plus interest

and court costs; granted. The Farmers State Bank vs. Chelsea Wohler, sought judgment of \$205.54 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Filed

Jefferson Capital Systems L.L.C. vs. Patrick Grindol, seeking judgment of \$1,558.14 plus interest and court costs.

Portfolio Recovery Associates L.L.C. vs. Jaime R. McKinsey, seeking judgment of \$692.30 plus interest and court costs.

Portfolio Recovery Associates L.L.C. vs. Michael Krom, seeking judgment of \$4,843.24 plus interest and court costs.

Small Claims

Dispositions

Denison State Bank vs. Kari J. Hopkins, sought judgment of \$1,635.56 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Midwest Concrete Materi-

als Inc. vs. Prairie Trucking and Excavation L.L.C., sought judgment of \$2,695.46 plus interest and court costs; granted.

Domestic Dispositions

In the matter of the marriage of Joan M. Campbell and Kevin B. Campbell, sought divorce; granted.

State of Kansas, Department for Children and Families vs. Wendi M. Wahl, sought support judgment; dismissed.

Filed

State of Kansas vs. Katie Posch, seeking support judgment. In the matter of the marriage of Glenn L. Cunningham and Christina M. Cunningham, seek-

ing divorce. In the matter of the marriage of Tricia L. McAllister and Bradley C. McAllister, seeking

Marriage

Licenses
John A. Cathey, 35, Centennial, Colo.

Alexandra P. Crawford, 32, Centennial, Colo.

Brian K. Mattwaoshshe, 46, Hoyt Toni M. Shane, 41, Hoyt

Michael K. Knight, 27, Holton Breanna M. Hase, 21, Holton

Sheriff's officers report recent arrests

The Jackson County Sheriff's vis, 44, Lawrence, was arrested Office has reported the following arrests:

On Sept. 16, Nicholas Price, 30, Topeka, was arrested on charges of driving while declared a habitual violator, felony obstruction, driving while license cancelled/suspended/revoked,no liability insurance, possession of illegal drug paraphernalia, theft, criminal deprivation of property and possession of a stimulant.

■ On Sept. 16, Earl Littleman Jr., 57, Topeka, was arrested on two traffic warrants on charges of failure to appear.

■ On Sept. 16, Trisha Jones, 38, Topeka, was arrested on a crimi-

- nal warrant on a charge of theft. ■ On Sept. 16, Freddy Doss Jr., 48, Pocahontas, W.Va., was arrested on a criminal warrant on
- a charge of failure to appear. ■ On Sept. 16, Christina Da-

Office has reported the follow-

Christina Bausch, 33, Hoyt, was traveling north on T Road

near 110th Road when her 2005

Chevrolet was struck by a 2006

Hyundai exiting a nearby drive-

The Hyundai was driven by

Hanna Neuner, 17, Hoyt, and

it sustained damage to its front

bumper, hood and front right

and left quarter panels that was

cities in Brown County were

rescinded on Thursday by the

Kansas Department of Health

and Environment (KDHE), it

lis were both placed under boil

water advisories on Tuesday of

last week after water line breaks

resulting in a loss of water pres-

sure were reported in each city.

A lack of adequate pressure may

result in a loss of chlorine re-

siduals and bacterial contamina-

Public water suppliers in

Kansas take all measures neces-

sary to notify customers quickly

after a system failure or shut-

down. Regardless of whether

tion, KDHE officials noted.

The cities of Horton and Wil-

was reported.

Bausch's vehicle sustained

listed at more than \$1,000.

■ At 4:01 p.m. on Sept. 8,

ing accidents:

County accidents noted

The Jackson County Sheriff's damage to its front right bumper

Two Brown County boil water

Boil water advisories for two it's the supplier or KDHE that

laboratory.

to be resolved.

advisories rescinded: KDHE

were reported.

on a criminal warrant on a charge of giving a worthless check.

- On Sept. 16, Kelley Fernandez, 28, Hiawatha, was arrested on charges of distribution of a stimulant, possession of illegal drug paraphernalia, possession of methamphetamine, possession of marijuana and driving while license cancelled/suspended/revoked.
- On Sept. 17, Moira Maddox, 43, Kansas City, Mo., was arrested on a charge of driving while license cancelled/suspend-
- On Sept. 18, Ray Atlakson, 29, Hiawatha, was arrested on charges of distribution of a stimulant, possession of opiate opium narcotic or certain stimulant, possession of illegal drug paraphernalia and possession of marijuana.

and quarter panel that was listed

at more than \$1,000. No injuries

Jay Haverkamp, 22, Wetmore,

was traveling west on Kansas

Highway 9 near O Road. Ac-

cording to the accident report,

Haverkamp lost control of his

2010 Ford truck. He overcor-

rected the vehicle and it crossed

the road and entered the south

side ditch. Haverkamp's entire

vehicle was damage and repairs

were listed at more than \$1,000.

announces a boil water adviso-

ry, KDHE issues rescind orders

following testing at a certified

collected from the cities' re-

spective public water supplies

indicated no evidence of con-

tamination. All other condi-

tions that may have placed the

systems at risk of contamination

were deemed by KDHE officials

Laboratory testing samples

No injuries were reported.

■ At 12:32 a.m. on Sept. 12,

- On Sept. 19, Daniel Simon, 61, Horton, was arrested on charges of aggravated assault with a deadly weapon and criminal discharge of a firearm recklessly at an occupied dwelling.
- On Sept. 19, Rahim Esquibel, 21, Topeka, was arrested on two criminal warrants on probation violation charges. ■ On Sept. 20, Eric Wilson,
- 48, Valley Falls, was arrested on a traffic warrant from Shawnee
- On Sept. 21, Jeremy Sporleder, 33, Norton, was arrested on a criminal warrant on a probation violation charge.
- On Sept. 21, Crystal Nesbitt, 31, Holton, was arrested on a charge of driving while license cancelled/suspended/revoked.

Public Notice

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STATE OF MICHIGAN 55th JUDICIAL CIRCUIT -FAMILY DIVISION **COUNTY: Clare**

> Case No. 16-019-AF Petition No.

PUBLICATION OF HEARING

TO: Casey Claggett

IN THE MATTER OF: Clark William Claggett

hearing regarding Termination of Parental Rights be conducted by the court on October 18, 2016 at 11:30am in 55th Circuit Court, Family Division, 225 W Main St Harrison, Michigan 48625 before Honorable Marcy A.

IT **THEREFORE ORDERED** that Casey Claggett personally appear before the court at the time and place stated above.

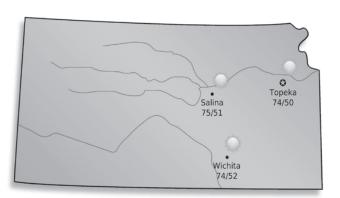
This hearing may result in Termination of Parental Rights.

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Sunrise: 7:15 AM	Sunrise: 7:16 AM	Sunrise: 7:17 AM	Sunrise: 7:18 AM	Sunrise: 7:19 AM
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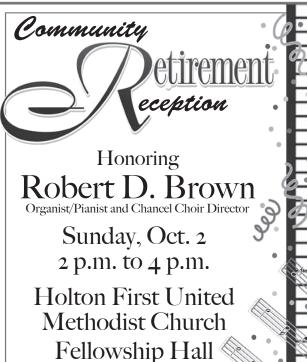
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5 Years Ago Week of Sept. 25-Oct. 1, 2011

Circleville resident Richard Akright, owner of Akright Farm Supply, was honored by Judy Olson during the Circlefest activities on Saturday, Sept. 24, for keeping the business open for 60

Drs. Leslie Gallagher and Nicole Meerpohl are celebrating two years of service at their state-of-the-art clinic, Lifetime Eye Care, in Holton with an open house, it has been announced.

On Saturday, Sept. 24, the Holton High School volleyball team made some school history by winning its second tournament of the season. No other Wildcat volleyball team has ever won two tournaments in one season before, it was reported. The tournament title was won at Topeka Seaman.

Oldham's Farm Sausage in Holton has been renamed to Banner Creek LLC, it has been announced. The name was chosen in honor of the Kansas land-

Diamonds by Design Jewelry is back as a full-service jewelry and boutique store in Holton. The new "Diamonds by Design Boutique" opened Sept. 7 at 424 Pennsylvania Ave. Owners Dan and Marcia Brenner, after encouragement from their clients over the past 11 years, decided to make the move to relocate the Holton store back to its original location on the Square. It previously had a small presence inside other storefront shops on the Square.

10 Years Ago Week of Sept. 25-Oct. 1, 2006

Work on Delia's lagoon project is moving along on schedule, the Delia City Council learned this month. Concrete structure work, lagoon piping installation and liner installation are finished, and water from existing lagoon cells have been pumped to a new cell in preparation for seepage testing.

J.R. and Lorma Hladky recently announced the sale of their business, Hladky Refrigeration and Repair, to Wayne Zeller, owner of Gourmet Heating and Cooling of Mayetta.

Holton High School science teacher Mike Ford recently received the 2006 Air Force Association State Teacher of the Year Award. He received an AFA jacket and a cash award as part of the recognition. Ford not only challenges students in physical science, space science and advanced space science, but he was also instrumental in obtaining grants to build Elk Creek Obser-

vatory at the high school, which now has the largest telescope of any school district in the nation (a 20-inch telescope).

A marina owned by a Denison couple recently received its "first dollar of profit" from the Chamber of Commerce and Tourism of Council Grove. Joanne and Bill Berns are the owners of Council Grove Marina on the Council Grove Reservoir.

15 Years AgoWeek of Sept. 25-Oct. 1, 2001

The South Cedar Mercantile, located on the Main Street of Mayetta, is now in full swing. The mercantile has been in business at its current location since July, but owners Lori and Mark Winter began their operation about a year ago at their home. The mercantile has an old time feel to it from the hardwood floors, long glass counter and antique cash register.

E&M's Place in Soldier is going out of business, it has been announced. A sale will be held

on Saturday, Sept. 29. On Friday, Oct. 12, the Prairie Band Potawatomi tribe, in conjunction with the Kansas Health Foundation and the Kansas Cancer Institute, will present the first Native American and Community Women's Cancer Awareness Conference at the PBP Bingo Hall west of Mayetta, it has been reported.

Mayetta resident Jim Darnell collects statues and pictures of eagles, and the day after the terrorist attacks in New York and Washington, Darnell set up a memorial display connecting the images and spirits of eagles with images of the attacks and relief efforts. The display was recently on display at the Prairie Band Potawatomi bingo hall.

25 Years AgoWeek of Sept. 25-Oct. 1, 1991

In a vote that sounded much like a ball score, the Holton USD 336 Board of Education squelched the possibility of a district-sponsored softball program. The board voted 4-3 against the proposal.

The Royal Valley USD 337 Board of Education is considering consolidating its grade schools to allow for more classroom space. The plan would shift elementary students to Mayetta and middle school students to Hoyt.

Mercer Funeral Home in Holton recently donated park benches to the Jackson County Nursing Home and Merry Manor, it was reported. Both nursing homes are located in Holton.

For the fifth time in six years, Overland Park's Kurt Jorgensen

dominated play at the biggestever Holton French Market Tennis Tournament, which was held over the weekend at Linscott Park. Jorgensen, who is married to former Holton resident Sally Stoll, is the No. 3 "A" singles player in the United States Tennis Association's Heart of America district rankings, it was

50 Years Ago Week of Sept. 25-Oct. 1, 1966

A photo of Terry Morrison appeared in The Holton Recorder on Monday, Sept. 26, showing him holding a one-pound, 10-ounce tomato grown in the family garden. The tomato is a German variety, it was reported.

Elizabeth Meinhardt of Hoyt, a registered nurse, will begin working at the Holton hospital on Wednesday, Sept. 28, it has been announced by Holton City Manager John Mercer.

A.H. Larson, owner of the Gambles Store on the east side of the Square in Holton, has announced the opening of a furniture department in the store. The basement has been enlarged and completely finished to house the furniture display room.



Holton Mayor Robert Dieckmann (right) recently congratulated Water and Wastewater Superintendent Dennis Ashcraft (second from right) and wastewater treatment plant employees (from left) Corey Miller, Phil Oldehoeft, Jared Golden, Dennis Edmonds, Kevin Ingels and Louis Hartman for receiving the Kansas Wastewater Environment Association's Class 3 Wastewater Treatment Plant of the Year award for the fifth time. Holton City Manager Kerwin McKee said KWEA presents the award based on staffing adequacy, safety, laboratory procedures, treatment process and control, compliance with Kansas Department of Health and Environment rules, equipment status, recordkeeping and community relations.

Emily Smith of Soldier selected to receive Astronaut Scholarship

Two University of Kansas students were selected to receive the 2016 Astronaut Scholarship from the Astronaut Scholarship Foun-

dation. Their achievement will be recognized in a special event featuring NASA astronaut Sam Gemar, it was reported. Seniors An-

nie Lynn of Overland Park Emily

Smith (pictured) of Soldier were honored during the Aerospace Engineering Colloquium on Friday.

Candidates for the scholarship, which provides up to \$10,000 for a student's junior or senior year, must be nominated by their university professors and must exhibit leadership, imagination and exceptional performance in their field of study. Only universities selected by ASF may nominate students for consideration. The accomplishments of the Astronaut Scholar alumni have profoundly affected the nation through technological innovations in health care, energy, defense, aerospace, homeland security, and much more.

Smith is the daughter of Douglas Smith of Soldier and Jane Schmits Smith of Seneca. She is a graduate of Olathe Northwest High School and at KU is majoring in physics and interdisciplinary computing.

Since starting at KU, Smith has

U.S. Military Academy in 1979 and went on to work at Ft. Stewart/Hunter Army Airfield as an assistant flight operations officer and flight platoon leader for the 24th Combat Aviation Battalion.

NASA selected Gemar as an astronaut candidate in June 1985. Gemar has flown on three shuttle missions, logging more than 580 hours in space. On his final shuttle mission in 1994, he flew as a mission specialist aboard STS-62 Columbia.

Gemar has earned numerous awards and honors, including three NASA Space Flight medals, two National Defense Service Medals and an honorary doctorate of engineering from the South Dakota School of Mines and Technology.

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EQIP deadline announced

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) has announced Nov. 18, 2016, as the first cut-off date to apply for fiscal year 2017 funds through the Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP), it was reported.

EQIP is a voluntary conservation program available for agricultural producers. Through EQIP, NRCS will provide financial and technical assistance to install conservation practices that reduce soil erosion and sedimentation, improve water and air quality and create wildlife habitat.

The Nov. 18 application deadline also applies to the following initiatives:

- High Tunnel System Initiative: NRCS will help producers implement high tunnels that extend growing seasons for high value crops in an environmentally safe manner.
- Lesser Prairie-Chicken Initiative: NRCS will assist producers to implement conservation practices specifically targeted to improve the lesser prairie-chicken habitat while promoting the overall health of grazing lands.
- Monarch Butterfly Habitat Development Project: NRCS will assist landowners to establish milkweed and other plants critical to the iconic Monarch Butterfly.
- Ogallala Aquifer Initiative: NRCS will assist producers to reduce aquifer water use, improve water quality and enhance the economic viability of croplands and rangelands.
- On-Farm Energy Initiative: Producers work with an NRCSapproved Technical Service Provider to develop Agricultural Energy Management Plans or farm energy audits that assess energy consumption on an agricultural operation.



will assist producers with installation of conservation practices on agricultural operations related to organic production. Producers currently certified as organic, transitioning to organic or producers who are exempt based on the National Organic Program will have access to a broad set of conservation practices to assist in treating their resource concerns.

be established at a later time.

NRCS field office.

Organic Initiative: NRCS

 National Water Quality Initiative: Application cutoff date will

for all of its programs on a continuous basis, but applications must be filed for these programs by Nov. 18 to be eligible for the next round of funding. Producers interested in EQIP should submit a signed application to the local

the Kansas NRCS Web site at www.ks.nrcs.usda.gov/programs or your local U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Service

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How to save Social Security and increase workers' pay

By Dean F. Clancy
The best way to reform Social Security is to eliminate the payroll tax. Seriously.

Social Security is going bankrupt, but Washington can't agree on how to fix

For decades, the trustees of the Social Security program have annually warned that the trust fund is out of balance and, absent



reforms, will go broke. Current projections show the fund will be exhausted by the early 2030s (15 to 20 years from now).

At that point, there will be only enough tax revenue coming in to fund about 75 percent of promised benefits. The options will be unpleasant. Either everyone's monthly Social Security check will have to be reduced by 25 percent, or payroll receipts will have to be increased by 25 percent, or millions of retirees will have to be dropped from the rolls. Realistically, politicians will balk.

Acting sooner makes reform somewhat easier, but there are still only three ways to remedy this problem: a) cut benefits, b) increase receipts or c) both.

Cutting benefits is unpopular, so politicians never embrace benefit cuts, except to the extent they only affect future generations not yet old enough to

Increasing taxes is also bad politics, but a bit more politically acceptable, because there's less pain per person: it's spread over a larger population. There are about 59 million retirees, but 144 million workers.

House Ways and Means Committee Chairman Paul Ryan has called Social Security's bankruptcy the "most predictable" crisis in history. All can see it coming, yet none takes evasive

Why? Because conservatives and progressives can't agree on the remedy, and don't trust each other enough to compromise. And voters don't seem to like any of the proposed remedies. So the default position is to do nothing.

Progressives want to raise the payroll tax. Conservatives are

Conservatives want to reduce benefits. Progressives are op-

Conservatives want to create personal accounts. Progressives are opposed.

Progressives want to increase benefits. Conservatives are opposed.

Progressives probably have the upper hand with their preferred remedy of increasing the payroll tax that currently funds Social Security. But that doesn't

make it a good idea. It's a bad idea, because the tax is already too high (15.3 percent of wages, including the employer share), and destroys jobs and hurts workers, especially those with the lowest incomes.

Some progressives want to increase the tax only on upper-income earners, who are currently exempted from it on wage income above \$118,500 a year. That would help restore balance, but only partly.

Conservatives have a basically sound idea with their proposal to invest some or all of Social Security's receipts in the stock market via personal accounts. Doing so would fetch higher returns than the government can provide. But it's also risky. Crashes happen.

Either retirees would lose money or taxpayers would be forced to provide bailouts. At any rate, the idea is going nobecause Democrats where,

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strongly oppose it, and so, quietly, do many Republicans.

President George W. Bush's 2005 personal accounts proposal never came to a vote in either house of Congress, even though Republicans controlled both. Voters love the security part of Social Security, and that means avoiding risk.

The most practical, and in my view, the best way to restore system balance would be to simply supplement the payroll tax from other revenue sources, and in particular from the general fund (i.e., income taxes). That would make the program solvent forever. Presto! No more bankruptcy threat.

Which leads to a further idea: Why not supplant the payroll tax altogether, and as soon as

The payroll tax is the biggest tax most Americans pay, and regressive. It falls hardest on low-wage workers. Eliminating it would provide meaningful relief to every American wageearner, with the greatest relief going to those who need the help the most.

Abolishing it would be economically beneficial and politically popular.

To avoid increasing the deficit, we could raise or impose other taxes that are less regressive although, to be honest, I'm not sure we really need to. If anything, America's less-than-stellar economy could stand a tax cut right now, and what better kind of tax cut than one that reduces burdens on job creation?

The conventional wisdom says we'll eventually meet in the middle by swallowing a mixture of tax hikes, benefit cuts and a higher retirement age.

Don't believe it. No such "grand bargain" will materialize until demanded by voters. Realistically, that will only happen when the crisis is upon us, by which point, it will be too late. The closer we get to bankruptcy, the less effective, and less politically viable, each of the traditional remedies becomes. It's a game of chicken, and seems destined to end badly, absent some creative thinking.

But wait. Isn't a "grand bargain" exactly what happened back in 1983, when the trust fund was on the brink of exhaustion and a Democratic Congress and President Ronald Reagan reluctantly came together to enact the Greenspan Commis- for U.S. News and World Report sion's proposed compromise of payroll tax hikes and a higher retirement age?

Yes, that did happen. But this LLC. is not 1983. The problem is

much bigger now, thanks to the baby-boom generation, which began retiring in 2010 and is now joining the rolls at the rate of 10,000 seniors a day.

Back in 1983, there were 3.2 workers for every retiree. By 2030, there will be only about two workers for every retiree. The Greenspan age hike was phased in slowly, over 40 years. (In fact, it's still being phased in.) Any large, last-minute age hike would be politically unacceptable to those near-retirees directly affected by it.

And while the Greenspan tax hike amounted to a 63 percent increase, that was from a smaller base. It went from 9.35 percent of wages in 1983 to 15.3 percent in 1990 and thereafter. A solvency-restoring tax hike in 2030 would take us from 15.3 percent to at least 19 percent. It's hard to imagine voters going along with that high a rate.

The best time to reform Social Security was four or five decades ago. The next best time is today. But lacking a consensus, we procrastinate. And the more we procrastinate, the more politically impractical our options become – and the further a second Greenspan "grand bargain" recedes into the mists of fantasy-land.

I can predict with near-100 percent certainty what will actually happen. Barring the miraculous, Congress will bail out the Social Security trust fund from the general fund, supplementing payroll tax receipts with other kinds. It's the path of least resistance, and therefore the path most likely to be taken.

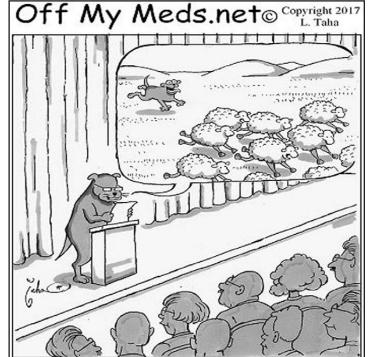
So the real question is not whether to tap the general fund, but when? And if we're going to move away from reliance on the payroll tax, why not eliminate it altogether?

With this one simple reform, we'd not only make Social Security permanently solvent, we'd also increase workers' paychecks, make taxes less regressive and create more jobs.

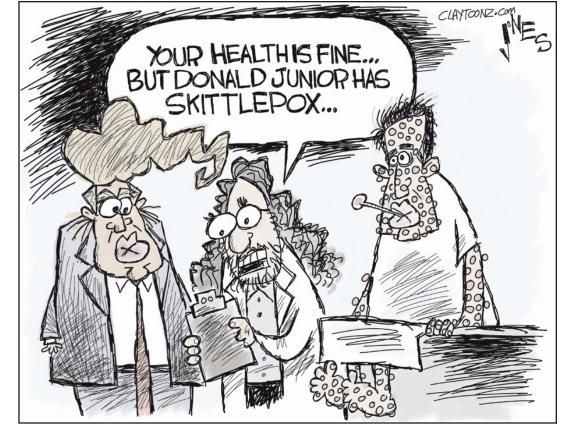
Admittedly, absent other reforms, we'd also increase the deficit. But that's a problem we need to tackle, no matter what. The benefits of this Social Security reform would outweigh the downsides. And I suspect voters would love it.

The best way to reform Social Security is to eliminate the pay-

Note: Dean F. Clancy of Washington, D.C., is a former senior official in the White House and Congress, is a political analyst who writes on U.S. budget and constitutional issues and others. He is a former U.S. congressmen and senator. He is also a partner in Adams Auld,



World renowned sheepdog Rex Von Higgenberg, is the keynote speaker at the International Conference of Politicians.



Deadline listed for free political letters

The deadline to submit letters to the editor at *The* Holton Recorder - about the upcoming general election on Tuesday, Nov. 8 - will be 5 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 20.

This information is also published on page one of this

The Monday, Oct. 24 edition of *The Recorder* will be the last one before the election to include letters to the editor about the election.

The Recorder accepts and encourages letters to the editor but also reserves the right to edit any letter for length and to, if necessary, reject any letter.

Letters submitted for publication must be signed and include a daytime phone number for verification purposes. Short, concise letters are recommended. The letters are published for free.

Letters from political candidates, their campaign managers, their campaign treasurers or their political action groups will not be published

for free but will be asked to pay the newspaper's regular advertising rates. *The Recorder* will also not publish for free any form type political letters.

In the final two weeks leading up to the election, The Recorder will continue to accept letters to the editor but letter writers will be required to pay the newspaper's regular advertising rates to have the letters published.

Democrats to energy companies: Agree with us or be investigated ing of inaccurate predictions

By Jeff Stier

Democrats' grand plan for this election year doesn't seem to include free speech.

The group that drafted the Democratic Party platform recently called for the Justice Department to prosecute energy com-

panies that don't agree with Democrats on climate change. But is that wise?

If the government is allowed to punish those who merely question climate change, it should also be allowed to punish climate alarmists for false doomsday predictions. That reasoning doesn't make sense.

Democrats should end their crusade before they start feeling the brunt of their own logic. Unfortunately, silencing climate dissenters with laws didn't start with the DNC platform.

It's part of a growing trend. Twenty state attorney generals nationwide have started investigating oil companies.

The AGs allege that to maintain high profits, Big Oil purposely misled investors and the public about climate change consequences. Right- and libertarian-leaning policy centers -- such as the Heartland Institute and Competitive Enterprise Institute are also facing scrutiny.

My employer, the National Center for Public Policy Research was even targeted on the Senate floor. The green crusaders claim we were all accomplices in helping oil companies obscure environmental threats. Meanwhile, Attorney Gen-

eral Loretta Lynch recently acknowledged that the Justice Department may use a federal law originally created to fight organized crime to prosecute climate skeptics. In the Obama adminis-

tration's distorted reality, the analogy isn't much of a stretch. Ironically, the state AGs unveiled their crusade at a press conference in March with former vice president and climate Svengali Al Gore. Gore, who predicted that the North Pole would be icefree by 2013, has repeatedly cried wolf about the coming environmental apocalypse -- while snatching millions by promoting dubious green

But what's to stop a newly formed league of climate-agnostic attorneys general, emboldened by the strategies of their green colleagues, from prosecuting those like Gore who have become rich off doomsday predictions? Gore isn't alone. In 2008,

ABC News predicted that because of climate change, New York City would be submerged by 2015.

Concurrently, the United Nations warned that there were only eight years left to prevent a "dangerous" rise in global temperatures.

In 2007, the head of the organization's Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change cautioned that it would be "too late" by 2012 without immediate global action.

Previously, the UN warned that global warming was about to usher in a huge period of population disruption, creating 50 million climate refugees by 2010.

These are just a smatter-

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from environmentalists. Some utilized flawed mod-Some were propaganda

to influence public opinion and legislation. Others just wanted to get rich off government-subsidies for green technology. Those motives are no bet-

ter than the ones said to be driving oil companies. Were the tables turned and green zealots held accountable for misleading the public, many of the prosecutors would be the prosecuted. Realistically, investiga-

tions like the one the state AGs are now pursuing are about harassing political opponents -- not protecting the

The investigation into these oil companies and think tanks is a flagrant attempt to bypass the Constitution and stifle political speech. It should be opposed regardless of their stance on climate change. It's shameful that a major political party has so little regard for free speech.

Note: Jeff Stier is a senior fellow at the National Center for Public Policy Research in Washington, D.C., and heads its Risk Analysis Division.

LETTER

Dear editor,

Heartfelt thanks to the Jackson Countians who opened their farmsteads for the historical society's tour on "The Barns of Muddy Creek.' The tour was most enlighten-

ing, expecially in demonstrating how the demands of farming have kept changing over the Climbing back on the bus, I

remarked that I have never really lived on a farm, but that I eat everyday.

To which a fellow bus rider replied, "You're doing your

> **Peg Nichols Olathe**

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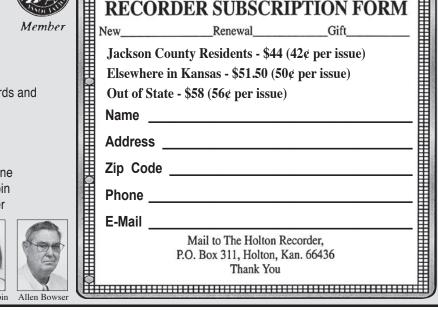








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Sims

William R. "Bill" Sims. 76, of Topeka, passed away Thursday, Sept. 22, 2016. He was born Dec. 1, 1939,

in Tobias, Neb., the son of Galen R. and Velda L. (Mead) Sims. He was a 1957 graduate of Denison Rural High School, where Bill played football and basketball.

William was employed by the Santa Fe Railroad for 34 years, retiring in 2000.

Bill married Charlene K.

Martin in 1961. They divorced in 1982.

Bill married Phyllis J. Howey on Aug. 4, 1984, bringing two families together. She survives.

Other survivors include a son, Jay (Tracy) Sims; stepsons David (Denise) Damme and Doug Damme; grandchildren, Evan and Jacob Sims, Danyelle (Beau) Buschbom, Dustin (Amanda) Damme, Dale (Melissa) Damme, Deanna (Christine) Damme and Dylan (Emily Pickens) Damme; nine greatgrandchildren; a brother, Wendell (Jean) Sims; a sister, Marilyn Childs; and many nieces, nephews and cousins. Bill's favorite cat Prince was by his side 24/7.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a stepson, Daniel D. Damme.

Bill enjoyed watching KSU football, basketball, KC Chiefs and any sport-ing event his grandkids were playing. Bill also enjoyed his Harley motorcycle, his Cadillac and many clocks he had collected over the years. Bill regardless of how he felt would always have a joke to crack and tried to put a smile on everyone who entered his

The family thanks the staff at Lexington Park Assisted Living, and Grace Hospice. Especially GF Dana! His last days were made more comfortable by the care they gave Bill, mom and family.

Bill was cremated. A graveside service was held Saturday, Sept. 24 at Halfday Cemetery, Elmont. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Grace Hospice or Helping Hands Humane Society in care of the funeral home Penwell-Gabel Parker-Price Chapel in Topeka is assisting the family.

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

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Guidelines for obituaries

When submitting obituaries to The Holton Recorder for publication, please remember that survivors listed in free obituaries are limited to those who are related to the deceased either by blood or by marriage. "Companions," "special friends," "life partners," pets and godparents do not fit into either category. However, if you would like the names of non-relations to be printed with the obituary, call The Holton Recorder at 364-3141 or email holtonrecorder@ giantcomm.net to make arrangements for a paid obituary.

OBITUARIES Sunday manhunt ends with arrest of Topekan

A suspect, who was allegedly involved in a domestic altercation and was in possession of a stolen vehicle, was arrested here Sunday after he was found hiding in a hay barn, it was re-

The Jackson County Sheriff's Office received a report of a domestic altercation Sunday morning shortly before 9 a.m. in the 12000 block of 134th Road. The report involved a domestic disturbance between a male and female in the driveway of an abandoned residence, according to Jackson County Sheriff Tim

The female left for help on foot while the male suspect left the area in a white Dodge Intrepid. Deputies found the Intrepid east of T Road on 134th Road. The male suspect was believed to have exited the vehicle and fled on foot, it was reported.

The vehicle was reported stolen out of Nemaha County, Morse said. Shortly thereafter, a search for the suspect ensued.

Deputies from the Jackson County Sheriff's Office and additional law enforcement officers from the Potawatomi Tribal Police Department, Kansas Highway Patrol and the Kansas Department of Wildlife, Parks and Tourism assisted with the

K-9s led to the suspect who was hidden inside of a hay barn approximately half a mile south of 142nd Road east of T Road at 12:15 p.m.

The suspect was identified as Benjamin W. Braden, 42, of Topeka. Braden was transported and treated at the Holton Community Hospital for injuries associated with his apprehension by the K-9.

He is currently being held in the Jackson County Jail on charges of possession of stolen property and criminal threat. Further charges may be anticipated.

Braden is also wanted on multiple outstanding warrants across the state of Kansas.

Allen to represent county in Silver Haired Legislature

will represent Jackson County in the upcoming Silver Haired Legislature session, set for Oct. 4-6 in Topeka.

The Kansas Silver Haired Legislature (SHL) is a unicameral legislature composed of 125 representatives, all of whom are age 60 and older and are elected from their county residence. Wyandotte, Johnson, Shawnee and Sedgwick counties have five additional delegates.

The legislature provides an educational experience in the political process and provides an opportunity to identify priority concerns of Kansas senior

The SHL develops bills and resolutions which are presented to the Kansas Legislature and the governor as recommendations for state policy.

SHL's State Executive Committee has determined the issues to be debated during this year's meeting. These are issues found to be of importance to seniors throughout the state. Listed below are the issues. Anyone with any personal feelings or

Evelyn Allen of Circleville experiences with these issues is encouraged to share them with Allen prior to the meeting. Important issues for this year

• Full funding for KPERS, including a cost of living in-

• Reinstituting the Fair Tax Policy and repealing a 2012 law that resulted in 330,000 Kan-

sans not paying income tax. · Support and funding for public transportation, especially for senior citizens.

• Restoring the 30-percent cuts recently taken to the Senior Care Act, which helps seniors remain in their home instead of needing nursing home care.

• Full support of Medicaid expansion in Kansas, because of increasing support for rural hospitals and an increase in persons being able to afford health

· Raising base uninsured motorist minimum insurance to

Allen may be contacted by phone at 924-3354 (home) or 924-3897 (cell), or by e-mail at eaaal1943@gmail.com

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To family and friends for the surprise reception at Circleville Christian Church honoring our 60th Anniversary. Also for the many cards, gifts, calls, and well wishes.

We are truly blessed and love you all!

Dale and Ilah Rose Askren

Public Notice

(First published in The Holton Recorder, Holton, Kan., on Monday, Sept. 19, 2016.)

IN THE DISTRICT COURT **JACKSON COUNTY, KANSAS**

IN THE INTEREST OF:

Name: Kimberly S R Lotts DOB: xx/xx/2011 A female

Case No. 2016-JC-000029

NOTICE OF HEARING-<u>Publication</u> Pursuant to K.S.A. 38-2237

Sara Lotts, Mother Dennis Lotts, Father and all other persons who are or may be concerned

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in this court alleging that the child(ren) named above is a Child in Need of Care. The Court may find that the parents are unfit by reason or conduct or condition which renders the parents unable to care properly for a child, the conduct or condition is unlikely to change in the foreseeable future, the parental rights of the parent should be terminated, and a permanent custodian should be appointed for the child(ren).

An Adjudication hearing on the petition is scheduled for the Thursday, October 06, 2016, at 09:30 AM. At the hearing the Court may issue orders relating to the care, custody and control of the child(ren). The hearing will determine if the parents should be deprived of their parental rights and the right

to custody of the child(ren). The parent(s), and any other person having legal custody are required to appear before this Court on the date and time shown, or to file your written response to the petition with the Clerk of the District Court prior to that time. Failure to respond or to appear before the Court at the time shown will not prevent the Court from entering judgment as requested in the petition, finding that the child is a Child in Need of Care, removing the child from the custody of parent, parents or any other present legal custodian under further order of the Court, or finding the parents unfit, and entering an order permanently terminating

Ottensmeier, Attorney at Law, 13827 70th St., Oskaloosa, KS 66066; Telephone: 785-

Date and time of hearing: Thursday, October 06, 2016, at 09:30 AM

Place of hearing: Jackson District County Courthouse, 3rd floor, Holton, KS 66436

/s/ Dennis L. Reiling

the parents' parental rights. An attorney has been appointed as guardian ad litem for the child: Darla

863-2786. You have the right to appear before the Court and be heard personally, either with or without an attorney. The Court will appoint an attorney for any parent who desires an attorney but is financially unable to hire one. The Court may order one or both parents to pay child support. An attorney has been appointed for you: Contact the Jackson County District Court, Holton, Kansas; Telephone: 785-364-2191, ask for the Juvenile Department, and an attorney will be appointed to help

> Court, 302 Lee Street, NE Decatur, AL 35601

Judge of the District Court



Search and Rescue Association (NEK-SAR) team, it was reported. In the photo at right, MaRyka Smith of Hoyt and her bloodhound, Otis, completed a Midwest Canine Alternatives police dog certification course for human rights detection in June. At left, Lisa Smith of Hoyt and her border collie Laudie were also certified under the Midwest Canine Alternatives program in June and recently returned from a Search and Rescue Dogs of the United States (SARDUS) seminar in Colorado, where they were certified under SARDUS standards for Type III and IV human remains detection. NEK-SAR dogs' services are available through local law enforcement agencies. Anyone interested in learning about search and rescue or volunteering may visit www.NEK-SAR.com

Myers sentence...

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The charges against Myers stemmed from the October 2015 incident in which Myers reportedly fired a gun at the Holton resident, with Lemon noting that Myers was, at that time, dealing with "a love interest with a child and an ex-boyfriend who tried to insert himself violently into

their relationship."
Myers, who had no criminal history prior to the incident, had admitted after the incident that he fired a 9mm pistol at the resident, but only as a "warning shot" — a comment the resident also made when talking with law enforcement, Lemon said.

Three days after Myers was arrested and charged with attempted second-degree murder, he was freed on a \$250,000 own recognizance bond. Lemon said Myers has since been working to make amends, taking on the Washburn classes and working part-time while remaining compliant with the conditions of his

While Marek encouraged Myers to continue to get his life back on track, the judge noted

Public Notice

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STATE OF ALABAMA

IN THE PROBATE COURT

MORGAN COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF THE ADOPTION OF LUKE DAVID FRASHER, A MINOR, BY KRISTIAN LEE **TUTTLE**

NOTICE TO: TRAVIS RICHARD 22250 P ROAD **HOLTON, KS 66436**

You will take notice that Kristian Lee Tuttle, filed his petition on August 29, 2016, to adopt Luke David Frasher, a minor, alleging that the said father, has abandoned said minor. Please be advised that if you intend to contest this adoption, you must file a written response within thirty (30) days hereof with the attorney for the Petitioners, whose name and address is shown below and with the Clerk of said Probate Court.

DONE this, the 8th day of September, 2016.

<u>/s/ Kirby Harris Vickery</u> Kirby M. Harris Vickery

ATTORNEY PETITIONER: Kirby M. Harris Vickery 610 Mynatt Street, SW Hartselle, AL 35640

JUDGE OF PROBATE: Hon. Greg Cain Office of the Judge of Probate Morgan County Courthouse

> /s/ Kirby Harris Vickery Kirby M. Harris Vickery

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that Myers was still illegally in possession of a firearm at the time of the incident and added that Myers could have left the scene rather than fire the gun at the Holton resident.

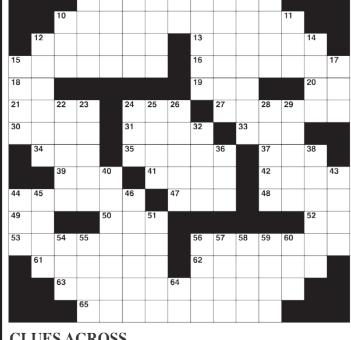
"This isn't the Wild West," Marek said. "People like you are

what ruin the Second Amendment for the rest of us."

Myers' prison sentence also includes a 20-percent "good time" provision, as well as a requirement that he sign up as a registered offender upon release from prison.



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- 1. Punished
- 10. Cartoon feline
- 12. Productive land
- 13. Playfully mischievous one
- 15. Liquorice-flavored seeds
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- harden steel 19. Extinct flightless bird of
- New Zealand 20. Atomic #63
- 21. Missing soldiers
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- 24. Philemon (abbr., Biblical) 25. "Throne of Glass" author Sarah

56. Madwort 61. Cause to expand

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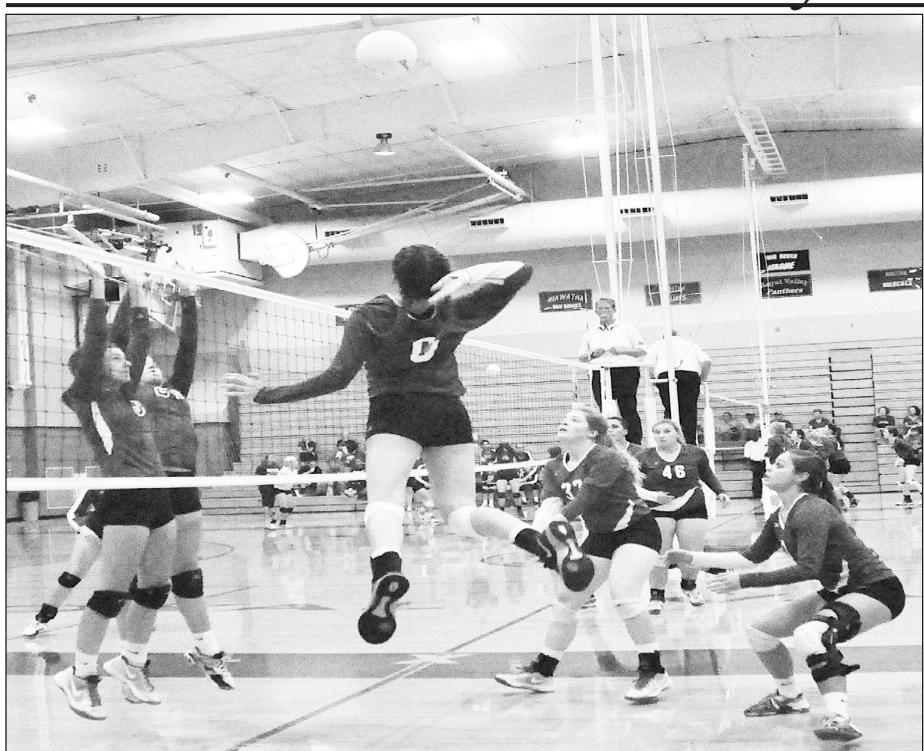
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- tennis champion
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SPORTS Monday



Cobras keep rolling

By Brian Sanders Jackson Heights High School head football coach Caleb Wick had said prior to Friday night's football road trip to Maur Hill in Atchison that the Cobras' match-up with the Ravens would be "our stiffest test up to this point."

By the time the game was over, however, the score said otherwise, as the Cobras rolled to a 4-0 record for the 2016 season so far with a 59-27 win over the Ravens, who fell to 2-2 on the season.

Jackson Heights got on the board within two minutes of the kickoff with a touchdown and a successful extrapoint run, but before the first quarter was over, Maur Hill had gotten on the board with a touchdown and an extrapoint kick to narrow the Cobras' lead to one point.

That was as close as the Ravens would get to the Cobras, as Heights exploded for another 29 points before halftime, while Maur Hill could only muster a pair of touchdowns to bring the intermission score to 37-21.

The Cobras' defensive line kept the Ravens scoreless in the third while their offense posted a pair of touchdowns, bringing the score to 53-21 at the three-quarter mark. Heights got off a quick touchdown to start the fourth, but while that was answered by a Maur Hill touchdown, the Cobras had already made it clear that this was their

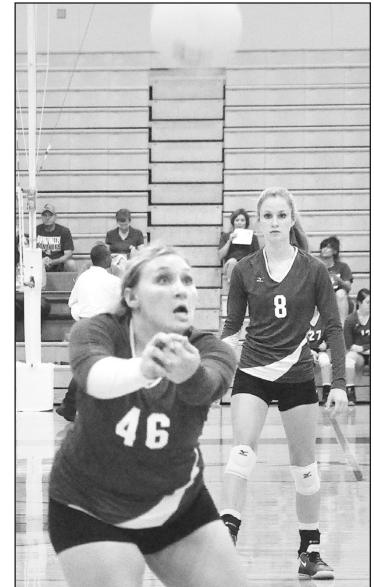
"Our defense played very well, and we didn't have a scoring drive that lasted more than four minutes," Wick said of the Cobras' performance on Friday. "Everybody as a whole was great."

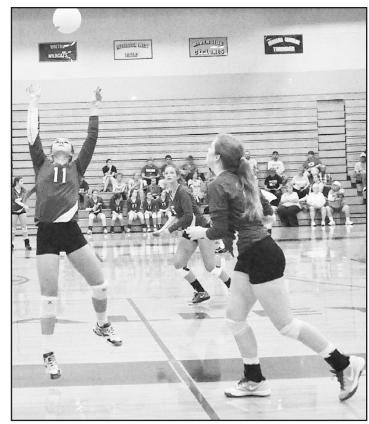
Mason Thomas scored four of the Cobras' touchdowns on the night and picked up 76 rushing yards, while Mason Hamilton rushed for 103 yards.

The Cobras look to continue their unbeaten streak this coming Friday when they travel to Washington to take on the Tigers, who stand at 3-1 on the season after a 47-6 loss to Hoisington this past weekend.

Scoring Jackson Heights 8-29-16-6

Maur Hill 7-14-0-6 (27)





The Holton High School varsity volleyball team swept Royal Valley last Tuesday in Hoyt. In the top photo, Wildcat Sydney Prine (No. 0) caught some air going up for a spike against RV defenders Ali Bryan (No. 3 at left) and Mary Broxterman (No. 24) at the net. Holton teammates looking on are Ashlyn Weilert (far right), Emma Wittmer (No. 37), Abbie Lamme (No. 46) and Lauren Leavendusky. In the photo above, Holton's Tabor Barta (No. 11) sets the ball for teammates Maleah Price (center) and Emma Wittmer (right). In the photo at left, HHS senior Abbie Lamme (No. 46) scrambles to keep a ball in play as Regan Baum (No. 8) looks on.

Photos by Ali Holcomb

Wildcats third at Wamego tourney

The Lady Wildcats varsity volleyball team took third place over the weekend at a tournament in Wamego.

The 10-team tournament also included Rock Creek, Jefferson West, William Chrisman, Circle, Riley County, Wamego, Mission Valley, Nemaha Central and Santa Fe Trail.

Holton was assigned to Pool A where the team dominated and came out of the bracket in first

The Wildcats started the day with a win against Rock Creek in two straight games, 25-15 and 25-23.

"We came out really strong in the morning," said head coach Janelle Noel. "We were attacking and our defense looked great. We put a whole game to-

The team's first loss of the day came from Big Seven league competitor Jeff West.

"They have a great hitter," Noel said. "Our defense struggled a lot. We couldn't get the ball there to get a set. We did too much tipping.

After the loss, Holton came back and won against William Chrisman and Circle to take first in the pool.

"We had a big win against

William Chrisman," Noel said. "I was a little surprised that we came out first place in the pool. It was good for the girls because I told them they were one of the best teams in the tournament and there was no reason they couldn't do well.'

The Lady Wildcats headed to the championship bracket where they fell to host Wamego in two straight games, 25-22 and 25-16, and then battled Circle again for a third place finish. Holton won 25-23 and 25-21.

"I think it's tough to play a team twice in one tournament," Noel said. "I think we played them better the first time then we did the second time. We were a little slow for the last games of the day, but we pushed through."

Santa Fe Trail won the tournament after defeating host Wamego.

This is the second year the Wildcats have competed in the

Wamego tournament. "I told them in practice the other day that we don't go to tournaments just to go, we go with the intention of winning,"

Noel said. Holton is 13-10 overall and is 6-2 in the Big Seven league, and the team will travel to Perry on Thursday with games starting at

Holton will then will host Sabetha on Thursday, which is also "Pink Out" night for the team to raise funds for cancer. More details will appear in Wednesday's Holton Recorder.

"This week is huge for us," she said. "Right now Perry is seated number one in the league and then there are four or five teams, like us, with just two losses. So Tuesday is going to be big match up and essentially could be a battle for first place in the league."

Wamego Tournament Scoring Pool A

Wamego def. Riley County: 28-26 and 25-19.

Riley County def. Mission Val-

ley: 25-20 and 25-22.

Nemaha Central def. Riley County: 21-25, 25-15 and 25-22.

Santa Fe Trail def. Riley County: 26-24, 16-25 and 25-21.

Wamego def. Mission Valley: 25-14 and 25-14.

Wamego def. Nemaha Central: 25-23 and 25-23. Santa Fe Trail def. Wamego: 25-

22 and 25-21. Nemaha Central def. Mission Valley: 27-25 and 25-11. Santa Fe Trail def. Mission Val-

lev: 25-17 and 25-13. Santa Fe Trail def. Nemaha Central 25-12, 21-25 and 25-15.

Holton def. Rock Creek: 25-15 Jeff West def. Holton 21-25, 27-

25 and 25-16. Holton def. William Chrisman:

18-25, 25-9 and 25-19. Holton def. Circle: 25-20 and 25-

Rock Creek def. Jeff West: 25-20

and 25-21. Rock Creek def. William Chrisman: 25-21 and 25-18.

Circle def. Rock Creek: 25-12 and 25-15. William Chrisman def. Jeff West:

25-19 ad 25-22. Jeff West def. Circle: 25-12 and 25-23. Circle def. William Chrisman:

Championship Bracket Santa Fe Trail def. Circle: 25-16

25-22 and 25-18.

and 25-18. Wamego def. Holton: 25-22 and

25-16. Santa Fe Trail def. Wamego to finish in first place: 26-24 and 25-

Holton def. Circle to finish in fourth place: 25-23 and 25-21. Consolation Bracket

Nemaha Central def. Rock Creek

to finish in sixth place: 25-15 and

Jeff West def. Riley County to finish in seventh place: 25-19, 15-25 and 25-18.

RV falls to unbeaten Sabetha

The Royal Valley Panthers football team found the going tough at undefeated Sabetha on Friday night, falling 48-0.

The Bluejays went up by a score of 14-0 with 10:08 left in the second quarter and six minutes later took a 21-0 lead.

By halftime, Sabetha led 28-0 and after three quarters the score was 42-0.

The Panthers fell to 1-3 with the loss while Big Seven League foe Bluejays improved to 4-0. The Panthers had 10 first downs and 200 yards of total of-

fense in the game while Sabetha had 16 first downs and 400 yards of total offense. For the Panthers, Garrett Rodewald rushed 16 times for

41 yards, Kyle Stithem rushed 15 times for 45 yards and Dillon Smith rushed five times for 25 yards. RV quarterback Stithem completed five of 10 passes for 50 yards and one interception.

Blake Chance made three catches for 32 yards. Leading tacklers for the Panthers were Ninahii Frisby with seven tackles, Garrett Rodewald with four and Kenny Aitkens

with four. "It was a tough game against a very good Sabetha team," said RV head coach Jake Lott afterwards. "Offensively, we moved the football against the Bluejays but failed to make the big plays against their defense, which could have helped to keep the game in a manageable position."

Defensively, coach Lott said, the Panthers struggled to stop the Sabetha rushing attack.

"We must constantly be working to achieve consistency in what we do," coach Lott said.
"We have really good plays followed by a mistake, so in practice we must work to keep playing at a high level instead of allowing our performance to go up and down."

Coach Lott said the Panthers have had good practices over the past couple of weeks but now must transfer that consistency in practice to the games on Friday night.

"If we do that, I think we'll see significant improvement,' he said.

The Panthers will travel to Holton on Friday of this week.

Holton calms Cyclones

■ Royal Valley to vist Friday

The Holton Wildcats scored 14 points in the first quarter at Wathena against the Riverside Cyclones on Friday night and added six more in the second quarter and 21 in the third to win their first game of the season, 41-7.

Riverside fell to 2-2 with the Big Seven League loss.

Holton's Spencer Baum scored two touchdowns in the game – one from eights yards out and the other totaling 68 yards.

Miles McClintock-Strozier also scored two touchdowns for the Wildcats - one totaling 68 yards and the other 10.

Tyler Price also scored a touchdown on a three-yard run. A.J. Haussler also scored from nine yards out.

Jackson Martin made four of five point after kicks for Holton while Mason Strader also made a PAT.

Riverside scored its lone touchdown in the fourth quarter on a 24-yard TD run by Dawson

Dick. Wendt kicked the PAT. More details about the game will be published in the Wednesday edition.

Other scores from around the Big Seven League on Friday were as follows:

*Nemaha Central 56-0 over Jeff West. *Troy 25-22 over Perry-

Lecompton. *Hiawatha 54, Atchison County 14

JH Cobras win Royal Valley Invitational CC By Michael Powls 17th place - Andrew Pino, ley said. "Also, we took three Holton.

The Jackson Heights Cobras girls and boys varsity cross country teams both claimed first place team finishes at the Royal Valley Invitational on Thursday, Sept. 22. Some middle schools participated at the cross country

First place – Jackson Heights,

42 points. Third place – Sabetha, 44

Varsity Girls 5K Run

34 Total Runners First place – Hannah Honeyman, Santa Fe Trail, 19:37.

Third place – Ally Holloway, Cornerstone, 20:57.

Royal Valley, 22:43.

Sixth place - Ceara Funk, McLouth, 23:05.

Eighth place – Reegan Sisson,

Santa Fe Trail, 23:46. Ninth place - Haley Henderson, Santa Fe Trail, 23:49.

11th place – Layne Cole, Kaw Valley, 24:15.

Holton, 24:24.

13th place – Bethany Marteney, Cornerstone, 24:49.

14th place – Madisen Cochran, Sabetha, 25:44. 15th place – Chloe Richter,

Other competitors were: 19th place – Jill Buck, Jackson

20th place – Trinity McMahon,

21st place - Alexis Rieschick,

27th place – Kayla Sedlakova, Jackson Heights.

28th place - Olivia Mulenga, Holton.

29th place - Lindsey Bowden, Royal Valley.

31st place - Mary Pritchett,

32nd place – Cally Rodriguez, Holton.

33rd place - Claire Mosier, Holton.

First place – Jackson Heights, 36 points.

Second place - McLouth, 80 Third place - St. Marys Acad-

emy, 95 points.

98 points. Fifth place – Royal Valley,

109 points. Sixth place - Sabetha, 120

Varsity Boys 5K Run

48 Total Runners

First place - Matthew Bomberger, St. Marys Academy,

Sabetha, 18:17. Fourth place - Dalton Chartier, Jackson Heights, 18:19.

Jackson Heights, 18:58. Seventh place - Mark Mavrovich, Jackson Heights, 19:00.

Jackson Heights, 19:17. 10th place – Xavier Fritz, Jack-

son Heights, 19:17. 11th place – Henry Glynn, Sa-

betha, 19:19.

barger, McLouth, 19:48.

14th place – Ethan Fund, Jackson Heights, 19:51. 15th place – Wyatt Marriott, Holton. 20:00.

Other competitors were:

Jackson Heights. 19th place – Nue Tinajero, Royal Valley.

22nd place – Garrett Pruyser, Royal Valley. 28th place – Thunder Knox-

shah, Royal Valley. 29th place – Eli Prine, Holton. 31st place – Ethan Ashley,

Royal Valley. - Skyler Weir, 34th place Holton.

36th place - Noah McAlister, Royal Valley. 37th place – Zach Wahweotten,

Royal Valley. 43rd place – Riley Althauser,

Holton.

47th place – Marshall Vandyke, Holton.

"This was a great meet to be at. Most all of the athletes ran personal best times. We were led once again by both Wyatt (Marriott) for the boys and Taygen (Altenburg) for the girls, Holton coach Darin Stous said. "We had a couple from both sides not able to participate due to illness. We will look to get everyone back for next week at Perry. Middle school runners were strong again with placers

in each of the grades. Middle

school season will be over next

week after the Perry meet." "The Panther cross country team has shown continued improvement at all levels as evidenced by our home meet this past Thursday," RV coach Keith Pelton said. "We saw both team and individual improvement across the board as we work to be running our best at the end of the season."

Royal Valley will compete again on Thursday, Sept. 29, at Perry-Lecompton.

"Our focus leading up to this meet was the best it's been all year," said Jackson Heights head coach Brad Alley. easily had our best practice this week on Tuesday. Dalton Chartier ran the smartest race he has all year. We've struggled with his first mile being too fast, and I feel that he really controlled himself early which allowed him to finish strong later. "

Coach Alley was happy to see the Cobras putting six runners in the top 14, and five n the top

"That's a winning formula at any meet," coach Alley said. Lane Thomas was important for us. He pushed the pace for our middle group, which was really strong (Mark, Drew, Xavier). I hope the boys can use this as a springboard into the next two weeks. We have maybe our hardest two meets of the year

coming up."
Coach Alley said he was also happy about the girls' team.

"I couldn't be happier for our girls team," he said. "Faith Little ran a tremendous race. The girl from Sante Fe Trail is an awesome runner, and Faith really went after her. Skyla Howe just keeps getting better every meet. She has a great attitude about the sport and that will allow her to continue to experience success throughout the year.'

As a team, he said, The JH girls won on a tie. That means that every place counted, even our sixth runner.

"I was proud of how they competed and finished," he said. "They earned it and it's fun to see that payoff."

Coach Alley said it was a good day to be a Cobra, but the Cobras have a lot of work left to do.

"We are young, and there is a lot of room for improvement,' he said. "With that said, if we can give the focus and commitment to every race that we did at Royal Valley, we will be a tough team down the stretch.'

Coach Alley said the Cobra middle school runners ran great,

"Jaci Davison won the seventh grade girls race and Shelby Phillips won the eighth grade girls race. Garrett continued his solid year taking third in the 8th grade boys race," coach Alof the five medals given to the JV boys. Kolten Brenner won and continues to compete for a varsity spot. Steven Marshall got second and Evan Fox got

Jackson Heights will compete again on Thursday, Sept. 29, at

Horton Middle school results are giv-

en below: **Seventh Grade Girls 1600 Meter Run**

18 Total Runners First place - Jaci Davison, Jackson Heights, 6:13.

Second place - Kristin Biltoft, Jeff West, 6:13.

Third place – Alayna Clayton, Holton, 6:32. Fourth place - Catrina Smith,

Royal Valley, 6:35. Fifth place – Gracie Gallagh-

er, Holton, 6:53. Other competitors were: Ninth place - Lilly Cannon,

Royal Valley. 12th place – Jayana Carlson, Holton.

14th place – Lillian Mulenga,

Holton. 16th place – Sydney Althauser, Holton.

17th place – Haley Mendez, Holton. 18th place - Gabriella Cortez,

Holton. Seventh Grade Girls Team Scores

First place – Holton Middle School, 15 points. **Seventh Grade Boys 1600** Meter Run

61 Total Runners First place - Conner Collins, Royal Valley, 5:33.

Second place -Stumpff, Santa Fe Trail, 5:39. Third place - Jared Plake, McLouth, 5:57.

Fourth place - Cannon Cramer, McLouth, 5:59. Fifth place – Dalton Ashcraft, Holton, 6:01.

Other competitors were: Sixth place - Colby Carreno,

Royal Valley. Seventh place - Antonio Hopkins, Royal Valley.

Ninth place - Calvin Ogden, Royal Valley. 10th place - Corwin Marten,

Holton. 13th place - Corbin Jamison, lackson Heights.

14th place - Cooper Sheldon, Holton. 22^{nd} place – James Segenhagen, Holton.

23rd place – Ruben Tinajero, Royal Valley. 29th place – Parker Long, Roy-

al Valley. 32nd place – Riley Mulroy, Holton.

40th place 0 Swede Wahwassuck, Royal Valley. 42nd place – Curtis Hundley,

Jackson Heights. 45th place - Carson Adkins,

Holton. 51st place – Jake McGrath,

Holton. **Seventh Grade Boys Team**

Scores First place - Royal Valley Middle School, 44 points. Second place – Santa Fe Trail Middle School, 63 points.

Third place – Holton Middle School, 78 points. Fourth place – Jeff West Mid-

dle School, 107 points. Fifth place – McLouth Middle School, 111 points.

Sixth place – Wamego Middle School, 120 points. Seventh place - Seaman Middle School, 152 points.

Eighth place - Rossville/St. Marys Middle School, 185

Eighth Grade Girls 3200 **Meter Run** 23 Total Runners

First place - Shelby Phillips, Jackson Heights, 13:29. Second place - Baylee Wolfe, McLouth, 14:06.

Third place - Gracie Reid, McLouth, 14:34. Fourth place - Paige Paxton, Holton, 14:42. Fifth place - Mally Nowlin,

Wamego, 14:44. Other competitors were: Sixth place - Hanna Ent,

Eighth place - Clairissa Bottom, Jackson Heights. Ninth place - Linda Sower,

Royal Valley. 12th place – Mae Joslin, Royal Valley.

14th place – Haley Harman, Royal Valley.

18th place – Stella Rector, Royal Valley. 20th place - Star Hale, Royal Valley.

22nd place – Gloria Organista, Royal Valley.

Eighth Grade Girls Team Scores First Place – Royal Valley Middle School, 15 points.

Eighth Grade Boys 3200 Meter Run 34 Total Runners

First place - Antwone White, Santa Fe Trail, 11:51. Second place - Caleb Shea, Wamego, 12:19.

Third place - Garrett Klahr, Jackson Heights, 12:21. Fourth place - Eli Artzer, Wamego, 12:28.

Fifth place - Parker Roberts, Santa Fe Trail, 12:39. Other competitors were:

Seventh place - Preston Torres, Royal Valley. Eighth place - Isaac Hale,

Royal Valley. 12th place - Marquez Conley, Holton.

13th place - Quo-Jon Tye, Royal Valley. 14th place – Nathan DeCoteau,

Royal Valley. 16th place – Dagan Ruckman,

18th place - Kaden Woltje, Holton. place - Therron Fox, Holton.

21st place – Joel Hill, Holton. **Eighth Grade Boys Team** Scores

First place – Wamego Middle School, 30 points. Second place – Santa Fe Trail Middle School, 34 points. Third place - Holton Middle

School, 58 points. Junior Varsity Boys 5K Run 41 Total Runners

First place - Kolten Brenner, Jackson Heights, 20:24. Second place – Steven Marshall, Jackson Heights, 20:56.

Third place - James Jones, Kaw Valley, 20:59. Fourth place - Evan Fox,

Jackson Heights, 21:31. Fifth place – Lucas Broxterman, Royal Valley, 21:50. Other competitors were:

Seventh place – Trey Binkley, Jackson Heights. Eighth place - August Delin, Royal Valley.

Ninth place - Devon Hale, Royal Valley. 12th place - Holden Mundy,

Royal Valley. 17th place – Jackson Ahlgren,

Jackson Heights. 18th place – Ty Binkley, Jackson Heights. 20th place - Masen Spoon-

hunter, Royal Valley. 23rd place – Rhett Kennedy, Jackson Heights.

24th place – Kain Fink, Royal 26th place – Christian McAlister, Royal Valley.

32nd place – Chris Roush, Holton. 34th place – Wyatt Nightingale,

Holton. 35th place - Zach Binkley, Holton.

36th place – Izzac Pritchett, Holton. 41st place - Kyle Figge, Holton.

Junior Varsity Boys Team Scores First place - Rossville/St.

Marys, 22 points. Second place – Santa Fe Trail, 52 points. Third place - McLouth, 56

points. **Junior Varsity Girls 5K**

Run Three Total Runners First place - Kaylee Sund, Santa Fe Trail, 31:23

son, Holton, 33:54. Third place - Bridget Kucan, Holton, 34:27.

Second place - Ashlyn Carl-

Cards compete at tough Axtell tourney

By Ali Holcomb Wetmore's varsity volleyball team faced several tough challenges at a tournament in Axtell Saturday that included four other Twin Valley league teams and three teams from Nebraska.

The competitive tournament included Axtell, Valley Heights, Diller-Odell, Linn, Frankfort, Lourdes Central Catholic, Fall City Sacred Heart and Wetmore.

The Lady Cardinals opened the tournament by falling to Diller-Odell in two straight games, 25-11 and 25-12, and the team continued to struggle throughout the day by losing to Linn, Frankfort, Valley Heights and Frankfort.

Diller-Odell won the tournament by besting Linn, 26-16

and 25-17. The Lady Cardinals are now 1-7 in the Twin Valley league and 3-17 overall this season.

The team will head to Centralia on Tuesday to compete in a triangular that will also include Onaga. The games begin at 5

Tournament Scoring Diller-Odell def. Wetmore: 25-11 and 25-12. Linn def. Wetmore: 25-9 and

25-10. Frankfort def. Wetmore: 25-22 and 25-14.

Valley Heights def. Wetmore: 25-12 and 25-11. Frankfort def. Wetmore: 25-17 and 25-23.

Wetmore's Marta (McKee) McClung named to HCC **Athletic Hall of Fame**

On Sept. 17, an award ceremony was held at Highland Community College (HCC) to introduce the 2016 Athletic Hall of Fame honorees.

The three honorees this year were Roger Gormley, Darla Ann Tract and Marta Rene' (McKee) McClung.

Marta Rene (McKee) McClung, is a 1992 Wetmore High School graduate. She chose HCC to continue her academic/ athletic career at Highland, where she participated in cross country, indoor/outdoor track and field and marathon.

Team accomplishments include a third place finish at the 1993 NJCAA national cross country meet, followed by a second place finish at the NJCAA national marathon meet in the spring of 1994. Individually she was crowned the 1994 NJCAA marathon women's champion.

Academically, she was recognized as a Distinguished Academic All-American in 1993-1994 for cross country, indoor/ outdoor track and mara-

thon teams.

Both her academic and athletic abilities continued with success at Truman State University where she won the 1996 MIAA 3,000 Meter Championship. She was also a member of the 1995-1996 Women's Cross Country All-Academic Team.

graduated McClung from Summa Cum Laude from Truman State University in 1996 and then received a Master of Arts degree in special education. She was named an outstanding student in special education among graduate students that year.

McClung has taught special education for 20 years and has also received Teacher of the Year recognition. She teaches at Glendale Elementary School in Independence,

She and her husband Nathan have two children Molly (12) and Miles

She is the daughter of Charles and Anita McKee.





Mason Hamilton, a senior at Jackson Heights, picked up three touchdowns in the team's win over Oskaloosa, three touchdowns in the win over Pleasant Ridge and rushed for 103 yards this past Friday in the win over Maur Hill.

Dalton Chartier, a cross country runner at Jackson Heights, placed fourth at Royal Valley out of 48 runners, 13th at Onaga out of 95 runners and ninth at Holton out of 70 runners.

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Perry-Lecompton – 5 p.m. @ Perry THURSDAY, SEPT. 29: JHHS Cross Country - Horton Invitational - 4 p.m. @ Horton; RVHS Cross Country -Perry Invitational - 4 p.m. @ Lake Perry; RVHS Volleyball vs. Jeff West - 5 p.m. @ Hoyt; HHS Cross Country -Perry Invitational – 4 p.m. @ Lake Perry; HHS 9th Football vs. Santa Fe Trail - 4:30 p.m. @ Santa Fe Trl.; HHS 9/JV/V Volleyball vs. Sabetha - 5 p.m. @ Holton

FRIDAY, SEPT. 30: JHHS Football vs. Washington – 7 p.m.

@ Washington; RVHS Football vs. Holton - 7 p.m. @

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meet, also.

Varsity Girls Team Scores

Second place – Santa Fe Trail,

Fourth place - Holton, 86

Second place - Faith Little, Jackson Heights, 19:49.

Fourth place - Megan Meyer, Sabetha, 22:12. Fifth place - Katie Hanshaw,

Seventh place – Skyla Howe, Jackson Heights, 23:09.

10th place – Mahalie Allen, Sabetha, 24:04.

12th place – Taygen Altenburg,

Royal Valley, 25:47.

Jackson Heights. Jackson Heights.

Varsity Boys Team Scores

Fouth place – Santa Fe Trail,

Seventh place – Holton, 163

Second place - Ian Trego, Santa Fe Trail, 18:09. Third place - Keegan Cox,

Fifth place - Braeden Pfau, McLouth, 18:40. Sixth place - Lane Thomas,

Eighth place – Dakota Driskill, McLouth, 19:09. Ninth place - Drew Holiday,

12th place – Garrett Hicks, Royal Valley, 19:21. 13th place - Justin Shuffle-

LOCAL ROUNDUP

By Michael Powls The Holton Middle School football team traveled to Perry on Thursday, Sept. 22. The seventh grade team defeated Perry 28-6. They are doing a great job of improving week to week, Holton coach Tyler Ryan said.

The eighth grade team de-

feated Perry 54-30. They

Had a 40-6 lead at Halftime,

coach Ryan said.

The Holton Middle School volleyball team traveled to Riverside on Monday, Sept. 19. The eighth grade A team defeated Riverside 25-17, 13-25 and 25-13. Holton's record is 5-6.

The Holton Middle School

volleyball team traveled to Perry on Thursday, Sept. 22. The eighth grade A team was defeated by Perry 25-23, 24-26 and 15-13

The Wetmore Cardinal varsity volleyball team was in action on Tuesday, Sept. 20. Valley Heights defeated Wetmore 25-13 and 25-11. Onaga defeated Wetmore 25-21, 23-25 and 25-13.

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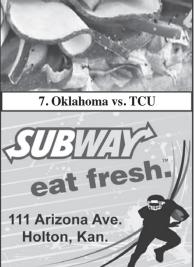




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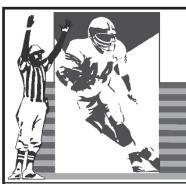




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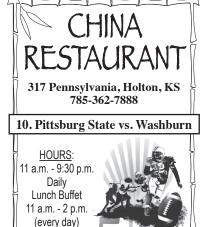
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For the tiebreaker game, write in your guess for the TOTAL POINTS SCORED in that contest. Do not write in the name of the winner for the tie-breaking game. The top 2 entrants with the most correct games each week will receive a gift certificate or prize from participating merchants. Also, all entries will be tabulated to determine the GRAND PRIZE WINNERS at the end of the 9-week contest. Return entries to The Holton Recorder by 5 p.m. on Fridays prior to Friday's High School games. Mail-In entries must be postmarked by 5 p.m. on Friday.



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The effects of a second cutting on brome

By David Hallauer Meadowlark Extension District Agent

Crops & Soils/Horticulture
Adequate fall moisture has resulted in a nice recovery to forage crops this fall. Forage growth in pastures has remained strong and hay fields have recovered nicely since harvest.

When we see such a nice recovery as this, there might be

covery as this, there might be the temptation to try and get a second harvest of forage – or some fall grazing – out of the hay field.

Can it be done? Sure! Should it be done? That depends! Since forage management is an art and a science, the best answer can be obtained only after asking some hard questions.

First, how did the stand actually respond/recover after harvest? There may be a lot of "forage" out there, but is it really anything good? Summer annual forages like foxtail, crabgrass and others also used the moisture to their advantage and responded very nicely as well. If they are the predominant species, is that what you want for hay? Weed pressure also seems to be high this fall.

Second, how healthy is the stand? Well, more than half of our brome hay fields are deficient in Phosphorous, according to soil test results. Low soil test levels can lead to less plants per square foot, decreased winter hardiness and slower spring green up. If that describes your stand, a harvest or heavy grazing at this point may only make that worse.

Why? During fall, forage regrowth is what produces energy to be stored in grass roots. If we cut again, we run the risk of depleting leaf area to a point that root reserves are being depleted to re-grow instead of being replenished for winter. If a

second cutting or heavy grazing pressure doesn't allow a second round of "replenishment" to occur, we can run in to trouble!

This fall has provided a great opportunity for our grass stands to go into winter with very nice growth. That can help with spring prescribed burns (but only if absolutely necessary on our cool season forage stands!) as well as giving us plenty of photosynthetic area with which we can replenish energy to root systems for next spring.

Some grazing pressure – so long as it leaves a four to five-inch stubble height by the time of a killing frost – might be acceptable. A second cutting of hay? Probably an idea you should reconsider.

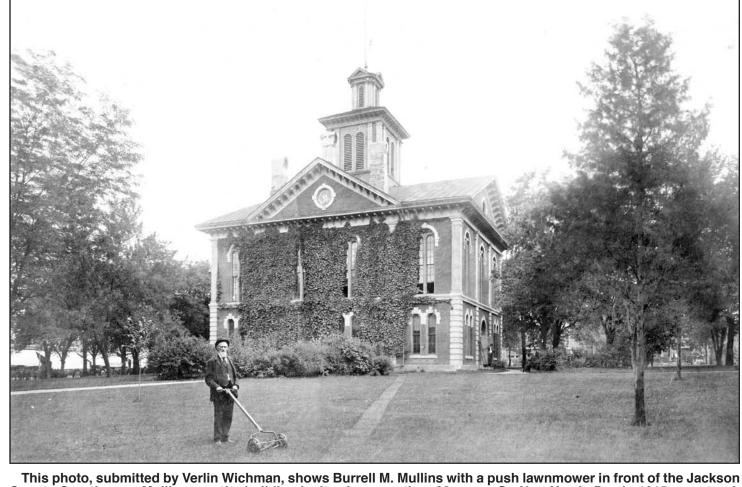
Conservation Tree Planting Program

If you've got your windbreak all ready to plant this spring, then didn't get it done, you've got a second chance!

Sure, a spring planting is yet again a possibility, but if you don't mind paying a little more for containerized tree species – and getting them planted here shortly – you can order conservation trees from the Kansas Forest Service's Conservation Tree Planting Program right now! The fall ordering season runs through Oct. 14.

Species available include containerized Black Hills Spruce, Bur Oak, Eastern Redcedar, Eastern White Pine, Fragrant Sumac, Pecan, Ponderosa Pine, Redbud, Southwestern White Pine and Swamp White Oak. All orders are in bundles of 25 trees for \$50.

Non-plant materials like rabbit protective tubes and weed barrier fabric and pins are also available. Pick up an order form and price list from your District Extension Office or visit www. kansasforests.org



This photo, submitted by Verlin Wichman, shows Burrell M. Mullins with a push lawnmower in front of the Jackson County Courthouse. Mullins was the building janitor for more than 22 years. On New Year's Day in 1915, county officers gave Mullins a lounging robe for his 78th birthday. He died one year later on Jan. 28, 1916, it was reported.

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Circleville News

By Jeannie Arnold

LeRoy and Marla Shupe and their granddaughter, Elaine, enjoyed a beautiful day at the Topeka Zoo on Sunday, Sept. 11. They met with family there and all had a wonderful time.

Tuesday, Sept. 13, was the first meeting of the new season for ALYI club. They met at the home of Thersa Wade with her sister, Thelma Dick, as host. Roll call was "What were you were doing during the recent earthquake tremors?"

They enjoyed a lemon cake and ice cream and then played bridge with Pat Hasenkamp getting the high and Thersa Wade getting the second high. The Oct. 11 meeting will be at the home of Evelyn Spencer.

On Wednesday, Sept. 14, the United Methodist Women met at the home of Barbara Hutchinson with Helen Farley as co-host. Helen served a delicious applesauce cake. They had a business meeting and the program was "Flowers of the Bible," with each one reading a passage about flowers that were grown in that part of the country. Bonnie Coverdale was a guest.

They shared ideas about the UMW group that Bonnie attends at Holton First UMC, especially the "Summer Feeding Program," and the group helps with sacking groceries from Harvesters to serve with the worthwhile project of the Book-Mobile.

The next meeting will be in the evening and will be at the home of David and Ev-

elyn Allen on Oct. 12. Several went over to Jack-

son Heights on Friday, Sept. 16, for the Homecoming game, where Jackson Heights beat Oskaloosa. The weather was wonderful and there was a large crowd. Kaleb Keehn was crowned king and Hannah Williams was crowned queen.

On Saturday, Sept. 17, Le-Roy and Marla Shupe and their granddaughter, Elaine, attended the 60th birthday party for Marla's sister, Sherry Edington. It was held at the Clubhouse Inn in To-

Guests of Dennis and Barbara Hutchinson on Saturday, Sept. 17, for the second annual "Tacos In Circleville" were Doug Brown of Olathe, Spencer Brown and Lauren and Zack Korte, all of Kansas City, Georgia Flood of Hesston, Marsha Morris of Topeka, Tim and Sandee Morris of Holton, Miranda Gilmore of Olathe, Kent and Diane Fry of Lawrence and Doug Hutchinson from Mission. It was a great evening of good Mexican food and visiting. It helped that the weather was so good too.

Sympathy goes out to Rosanna and Keith Wilson and Laura Ladusch of Circleville for the loss of Rosanna and Laura's father, Duane Hundley. Duane died on Sept. 17 at The Pines in Holton. His memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. on Monday, Sept. 26, at Mercer Funeral Home.

Public Notice

(Published in The Holton Recorder, Holton, Kan., on Monday, Sept. 26, 2016.)

JACKSON COUNTY

Community Improvement CDBG Application Public Hearing Notice

Jackson County, KS on behalf of the KANZA Mental Health and Guidance Center, will hold a public hearing on Monday, October 3rd, 2016, at 9:00am, in the county court house located at 400 New York, Holton, KS 66436 for the purpose of considering an application to be submitted to the Kansas Department of Commerce for Small Cities Community Development Grant funds under the Community Facilities Cat-

egory.

A specific project application to be discussed is a renovation of the Moser Building located at 510 Kansas Ave Holton, KS for a County Mental Health Facility Building Improvements Project. Improvements to the building will be undertaken for the purposes of housing the KANZA Mental Health and Guidance Center. Project improvements will include upgrades to the building's roof, soffits/facia HVAC, mechanical upgrades, exterior, doors, entry ways, interior remolding to allow for offices, meeting rooms, waiting rooms, ADA restrooms, ADA accessible kitchens and other miscellaneous appurtenances. The total estimated project cost is \$911,018 with a grant request of \$400,000. The remaining \$511,018 will be provided by the Kanza Mental Health Facility as a cash injection. All project improvements will occur at the Moser Building located at 510 Kansas Ave Holton, KS.

Other project proposals introduced at the hearing will be considered. Oral and written comments will be recorded and become part of Jackson County's CDBG Citizen Participation Plan.

Reasonable accommodations will be made available to persons with disabilities. Requests should be submitted to the county clerk (785) 364-2891 by September 30th, 2016.

Kientz Corner

On Sept. 18, the Pleasant Hill United Methodist Church congregation opened its worship service by singing "Grace Greater Than Our Sin."

A big thank you to all who helped in any way to make our "Taste of Chocolate" a big success. All the chocolate was wonderful.

Marguerite and Phil Pond are

proud to announce that they have a new great-granddaughter. This makes three great-granddaughters for them.

Greg Baldwin thanks those who set up the tables for the bell choir.

Prayers are needed for the family of Terry McDonald, who died.

The birthdays for Sept. 18 through Sept. 24: Brady Marteney, Sept. 19; Wayne DeBusk and Deb Mannell, Sept. 21; and Krista Savoie, Sept. 22.

The anniversaries for the week were Matt and Pam Walder, Sept. 20, and James and Brook Sexton, Sept. 21.

The children's story was given by Kevin McDowell. He asked the children if they knew who Theodore Roosevelt was. No one replied. Kevin told them that he was our 26th President of the United States, from 1901 to 1909. Everyone called him "Teddy" for a short name.

Roosevelt was an honest man. He told his hired hand on the ranch, "A man who will steal for me will steal from me." Teddy fired him. Let us be like Teddy and be honest in every situation.

For special music, the Pleasant Hill men's gospel choir sang "Sing The Wondrous Love Of Jesus." Those singing were Gary Domer, Ron Griffiths, Clifford Hurst, Bruce Lanning, David Link, Bruce Tomlinson and John Wilson. They were ac-

companied by Greg Baldwin at the piano.

Marguerite Pond read the scripture, Matthew 5:21-24, 27-28, 33-34a, 38-40 and 43-45a. The sermon "Not Any God But Jesus' God" was given by the Rev. Hyun-Jin Cho.

How can we understand God perfectly? It is impossible. The Bible is our resource to get to know God. We need to follow the word of God. We are all equal because we were all created by God.

Jesus came to save sinners. We are all sinners. Jesus taught us who God is. God is a loving and gracious God.

The closing hymn was "Take My Life And Let It Be." Those assisting with the service were Marguerite Pond, liturgist, Greg Baldwin, organist; Joy Jepson and Alfred Mannell, sound system; Brayden and Hailee Gower, acolytes; John Wilson, song leader; and Daryl Jepson, Kevin McDowell and John and Linda Reed, usher team.

On Sept. 11, Judy Glasgow, Jim Wright, Larry Miles, Gary and Barbara Slimmer, Pastor Jin Cho, Sun Kim and their children Grace, Andrew and Yul all enjoyed seeing the Bud and Shirley Stauffer Pedal Tractors and Toy Museum at Mayetta. After their tour, they all enjoyed eating supper at Gambino's Pizza in Topeka.

On Sept. 17, Vicki Gilliland and her daughter, Becky, and Traudi Lloyd enjoyed attending the "Taste of Chocolate" event at the Pleasant Hill United Methodist Church. All the chocolate was excellent!

On Sept. 19, Rick and Mary Colton, Dick and Beverly Newell, Nick and Karen Nicolay and Dennis and Kim Smerchek ate dinner at Annie's Place in Gage Center in Topeka.





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Land Transfers

The following land transfers have been filed in the Jackson County Register of Deeds office. *Ouit claim deed – Derek S. Roche, a single person, to Susan Roche, Brady Roche and Mary Melton, as joint tenants with full rights of survivorship and not

as tenants in common, Lots 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82 and 84, Jackson Street, town of Delia, Jackson County.

*Kansas warranty deed – Terry W. Jacobs, a single person, to Carl Surritt and Kimberly A. Surritt, as joint tenants with full rights of survivorship and not as tenants in common, two tracts of land in Section 14, Township 9 South, Range 16 East of the 6th P.M., Jackson County.

*Quit claim deed - Grace R. Dienstbier, a single person, and Carolyn S. Shankland and Kevin S. Shankland, wife and husband, to Kevin and Carol Shankland Enterprises, LLC. Lot 6, Smith's First Addition, city of Holton, Jackson County.

*Quit claim deed – John M. Ensley and Marcie A. Ensley, husband and wife, to John M.

Ensley and Marcie A. Ensley, as joint tenants with full rights of survivorship and not as tenants in common, a parcel of land in Section 34, Township 8 South, Range 15 East of the 6th P.M., Jackson County.

*Transfer on death deed - Gerald Gerhardt, a single person, aka Gerald Everett Gerhardt, to grantee beneficiaries, Rebecca Lynn Gerhardt, a married person, Michael David Gerhardt, a single person, and Sarah Elizabeth Gerhardt, a single person, all of Lot 33, except the north two feet thereof on Pennsylvania Avenue. city of Holton, Jackson County.

Quit claim deed - Robert E. VanDonge and Nancy L. Van-Donge, husband and wife, of Jackson County, to the same as trustees of the trust in their name, dated Sept. 9, 2016, three tracts of land – one tract in Section 18, Township 6 South and Range 14 East, one tract in Section 13, township 6 South and Range 13 and one tract in Section 13, Township 6 South, Range 13 of the 6th P.M., Jackson County.

*Quit claim deed - Ronald L. Hennis and Suzanne Hennis, husband and wife, as joint tenants with full rights of survivorship and not as tenants in common, to same as trustees of the Hennis Family Trust dated Nov. 11, 2004, all of Tracts 1, 2 and 15, Countryside Estate, Lutz's First Subdivision, commonly known as 16691 R Rd., Mayetta, Jackson County.

*Trustee's deed – Dorothy M. Porter, sole trustee of the John M. Porter and Dorothy M. Porter Trust, under the date of May 7, 1991, to Michael K. McKinley, Lot 2 and the south half of Lot 4, New York Avenue, city of Holton, commonly known as 100 New York Avenue, Holton, Jackson County.

*Quit claim deed – Brett Flecther and Carly Fletcher, husband and wife, quit claim to TayJay Properties, LLC, a Kansas limited liability company, Holton, a tract of land in the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of Section 15, Township 7 South, Range 15 East of the 6th P.M., Jackson County.

*Quit claim deed – Brett Fletcher and Carly Fletcher, husband and wife, to TayJay Properties, LLC, a Kansas limited liability company, Holton, a tract of land in Drake and Fenn's Addition to the city of Holton, Jackson County.

*General warranty joint tenancy deed – Ellen J. Nixon, a single person, to Terry L. Stevens and Marian F. Stevens, husband and wife, as joint tenants with full rights of survivorship and not as tenants in common, the north 20 feet of Lot 7 and south 50 feet of Lot 9 on Park Addition, Montana Avenue and adjacent portion of vacated alley, city of Holton, Jackson County.

*Corporation warranty deed -B&P Inc., a Kansas corporation, who acquired title as B&P Gas Company, Inc., to Prairie Hearth, L.L.C., a Kansas limited liability company, Lot 13 on Park Avenue, commonly known as West Fifth, and part of Lot 12, city of Holton, Jackson County.

*General warranty deed - Esther L. Beecham, as power of attorney for Harry Bradley Beecham and Nancy Beecham, husband and wife, Esther N. Newsom aka Eather N. Newsom and James Newsom, wife and husband, Gretchen L. Denman and James Denman, wife and

husband, Carole Ann Cave and Robert Cave, wife and husband, Steven B. Beecham, a single person, Robert L. Beecham and Diana Beecham, husband and wife, Preston D. Beecham and Loretta Beecham, husband and wife. Wilbur D. Beecham and Gail Beecham, husband and wife, and Esther L. Beecham, a single person, to Robert M. Grunert and Patricia A. Grunert, husband and wife, Lots 30 and 32 and the south half of Lot 34, Block C, University Addition, Kansas Avenue, city of Holton, Jackson

*General warranty deed – Robert M. Grunert Jr. aka Robert M. aka Patricia Grunert, both single persons, to Joseph P. Gilliland and Karrie R. Gilliland, husband and wife, as joint tenants with full rights of survivorship and not as tenants in common, Lots 30 and 32 and the south half of Lot 34, Block C, University Addition, Kansas Avenue, city of Holton, Jackson County.

*Quit claim deed – Judy Ste-phens fka Judy E. Williams, aka Judy Williams and Bradley R. Stephens, wife and husband, to Judy Stephens and Bradley R. Stephens, wife and husband, one tract of land in Section 10, Township 7 South, Range 14 East and one tract of land in Section 17,

*Transfer on death deed – Brad-P.M., Jackson County.

*Transfer on death deed - Bradley R. Stephens and Judy Stephens, husband and wife, transfer on death to Adam W. Williams and Philip E. Williams, the west half of the southwest quarter of Section 10, Township 7 South, Range 14 East of the 6th



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Grunert and Patricia A. Grunert,

Township 7 South, Range 14 East of the 6th P.M., Jackson County.

ley R. Stephens and Judy Stephens, husband and wife, transfer on death to Candius Ruth Hegemann and Charles Lee Elliott II, the west half of the northwest quarter of Section 17, Township South, Range 14 East of the 6th

P.M., Jackson County.

*Quit claim deed - Joshua Palmer and Mary Kate Palmer, husband and wife, to Marjorie L. Riccomini, land in Section 18, Township 9 South, Range 13 East of the 6th P.M., Jackson

*Transfer on death deed – Jerry A. Dickinson and Lynne Dickinson, husband and wife, to Jennifer L. Nezzer, a single person, Debortah K. Marszalek, a married person, Meghan E. Stockman, a married person, and Jeffrey A. Dickinson, a married person, land in Section 15, Township 7 South, Range 15 East of the 6th P.M., Jackson County.

*General warranty deed - Ashley Tyler, fka Ashley A. Phillips and Jonathan Z. Tyler, wife and husband, to Auston R. McKinnon, his heirs and assigns, land in Section 26, Township 9 South, Range 15 East of the 6th P.M., Jackson County.

*General warranty - Shawn D. Riley and Jennalee Sneden-Riley, husband and wife, to Arthur Roach and Kathryn Roach, as joint tenants and not as tenants in common, with full rights of survivorship, Lot 3, Pennsyvania Avenue, Jones Additon, city of Holton, Jackson

Five generations of the Pollock family gathered for a photo at the end of August. Those pictured include Edwina Pollock of Holton, seated at left with her great-greatgranddaughter, Leigha Weaton of Ludington, Mich., and Pollock's daughter, Janet Pollock Trainor of Santa Fe, Mo., seated at right. Standing at left is Trainor's daughter, Patty Knutson of Grand Rapids, Mich., and Knutson's daughter and Leigha's mother, Crystal Knutson of Ludington, Mich., is standing at right. Submitted photo

Public Notice

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> PRAIRIE BAND POTAWATOMI NATION

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation Planning Commission will hold a Public Hearing on Tuesday, October 11, 2016 in conjunction with the regular Potawatomi Plan Board meeting. The hearing will be held in the We-Ta-Se Building Conference Room, located at 15434 K Road (just south of Fire Station) at 6:00 P.M. on the Prairie Band Potawatomi Reservation.

This hearing concerns a special use permit for both a modular housing unit at the address of 10670 166th Road, Mayetta, KS. The application is filed by Daniel and Tamara Rohrer for a tract of approximately 10 acres more or less as hereby described, situated in the County of Jackson, State of Kansas:

A tract of land located in the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 18, Township 8 South, Range 15 East of the 6th P.M., Jackson County, Kansas

All persons interested in the above premises, and all persons owning property in the neighborhood, who de-sire to be heard either in favor of or against said Special Use Permit are invited to appear either in person or to be represented by agent or at-

Please contact the Potawatomi Planning Office at 785-966-2946 for further informa-

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Please report any changes in service or personnel to the Recorder at 364-3141. Thank You.

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Friday: 7 a.m. Women's Breakfast

First Christian Church 5th and Wisconsin • 364-2545 Dr. Jim McCollough, Pastor Sunday: 9:45 a.m. Sunday School 10:45 a.m. Worship

First United Methodist Church Pastor Nancy Crowl • 1401 W. 4th • 364-3275 Sunday Schedule: 9:00 a.m. Sunday School 10:15 a.m. Worship firstumc@giantcomm.net

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10 a.m. Adult Bible Class Lakeview Faith Chapel Pentecostal Church 3.5 miles south of Holton on U.S. 75 Pastor Steve Cappleman • 364-2416 Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school

10:15 a.m. Worship service **Larkinburg Christian Church** Rev. Mark Armstrong Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school 10:30 a.m. Church service Mayetta Christian Church Ernest Coleman - Pastor

Sunday: Fellowship & Waffles: 8:15 a.m.-8:45 a.m. Sunday school: 8:45 a.m.-9:30 a.m. Prayer Circle: 9:30 a.m.-9:50 a.m. Worship service - 10 a.m.-11:15 a.m. Wednesday: Bible Study - 6 p.m.-7 p.m. Mayetta United Methodist Rev. Howard Sudduth

Sunday: 9 a.m. Morning worship service and Sunday school Netawaka United Methodist Rev. Youngwan Won Sunday: 8:15 a.m. Worship Onaga New Hope Lutheran Church, ELCA Rev. Charlene Banes, Pastor

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St. Thomas Episcopal Church 512 Wisconsin, Holton • Rev. Ray Hartjen Services on 2nd & 4th Sunday Sunday Services: 9 a.m. Post Service Fellowship Breakfast

785-224-8798 stthomasholton@holtomail.com **Soldier Christian Church**

834-5750 Ron Ahlgren, Minister Luke Schreiber: Youth Minister Sunday: Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Church Services: 10:30 a.m. Jr. & Sr. High Youth Group: 5 p.m.

St. James Catholic Church 306 5th St., Wetmore • Pastor Father Hammes Saturday Mass: 6:30 p.m. Confessions: 30 min. prior to mass Trinity Lutheran Church

401 Cheyenne Pastor Brian Stark 364-2206/364-2029 Sunday School: 9 a.m. Worship: 10 a.m.

Wetmore Bible Church 217 Iowa St., Wetmore Pastor Gary Heitz • 866-2444 Sunday: 10 a.m. Sunday school (for all ages) 11 a.m. Worship Hour

11:30 a.m. Children's Church 7 p.m. Adult Bible Study Tuesday: 1:30 p.m. Women's Bible Study Wednesday: 7 p.m. Youth Group (Jr. High & HS Ages) 8 p.m. Bible Study

Wetmore United Methodist Pastor Seong Lee (785) 866-2512 Parsonage 866-5556 Church Sunday: 9 a.m. Sunday school

9:40 a.m. Worship service Whiting Baptist Church Dan Burns, Pastor Sunday: 9 a.m. Sun. school 10 a.m. Worship service

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515 Iowa, Holton Pastor: Sterling Hudgins Wednesday Meal: 6:30 p.m. Wednesday Service: 7:15 p.m. Sunday Worship: 8:30 a.m.

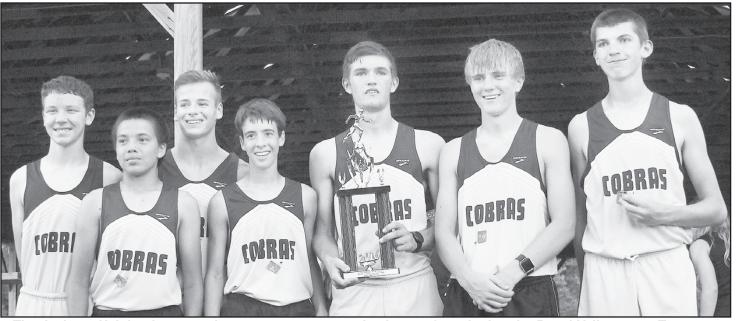


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The Jackson Heights boys varsity cross country team is shown after winning the Royal Valley meet. Team members are, left to right, Mark Mavrovich, Andrew Pino, Ethan Fund, Drew Holliday, Dalton Chartier, Lane Thomas and Ethan Fox. Photo by Michael Powls



The Jackson Heights girls varsity cross country team is shown above after winning the Royal Valley meet. Team members are, left tto right, Kaya Sedlakova, Jill Buck, Trinity McMahon, Faith Little, Alexis Rieschick and Skyla Howe. Photo by Michael Powls

Wildcats fifth in golf at Council Grove

By Brian Sanders Holton High School's girls varsity golf team putted its way to a fifth-place finish at the Council Grove Invitational, held Thursday at the Council Grove Country Club after a seventhplace finish at a Spring Hillhosted match the day before. Wednesday's

held Paola the Country Club, saw Taylor Stevens leadthe ing Lady Cats with a score



invitational,

of 49 and a 10th-place finish in a field of 36. Sarah Holaday finished in 15th place with a score of 52. The team from Kansas City-Piper won the day.

Also on Wednesday, only one junior varsity golfer from HHS
— Michaela Adcock — participated in that day's Topeka High School JV invitational at the North Topeka Golf Center, but Adcock's score of 48 was good enough for a seventh-place finish in a field of 29.

The Lady Cat golfers were anchored on Thursday by Holaday, who shot a 49 over nine holes to place eighth in Thursday's 55-player field, it was reported. Also placing in the top 15 was Stevens, whose 52 score earned her a 13th-place finish. The top overall team on the day was Anderson County.

"We played better on Thursday," Head Coach Dennis Tegethoff said of the varsity team. "Not that I was disappointed with how we did on Wednesday, but we had a course on Thursday that was a little hot-

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ter, a lot windier and a lot hillier, and I was pleased that we were able to toughen up for it.'

Two trips to the Village Greens golf course near Oza-wkie for Jefferson West-hosted matches are planned this week for the Lady Cat golfers — a varsity match held this morning and a junior varsity match set for Thursday.

Scoring Spring Hill Invitational Paola Country Club Sept. 21, 2016

Team scores: 1. Piper 187, 2. Anderson County 192, 3. Jefferson West 195, 4. Spring Hill 210, 5. Gardner 218, 6. Basehor 220, 7. Holton 231.

Individual scores: Taylor Stevens 49 (10), Sarah Holaday 52 (15), Abbigail Hundley 61, Faith Holaday 69.

Topeka High Invitational North Topeka Golf Center Sept. 21, 2016

Team scores: 1. Washburn Rural 159, 2. Shawnee Heights 214, 3. Mill Valley 222, 4. Emporia 225, 5. Topeka West 254. Individual scores: Michaela

Adcock 48 (7). **Council Grove Invitational Council Grove Country**

Sept. 22, 2016

Team scores: 1. Anderson County 197, 2. Clay Center 202, 3. Council Grove 208, 4. Rossville 215, 5. Holton 217, 6. St. Marys 225, 7. West Franklin 263, 8. Osage City 271, 9. Council Grove JV 321.

Individual scores: Sarah Holaday 49 (8), Taylor Stevens 52 (13), Cali Smith 57, Abbigail Hundley 59, Faith Holaday 62.

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How to save for retirement

Meadowlark Extension District Agent Foods/Nutrition & Money Management

Recently I participated in a webinar where saving for retirement was the main topic. Many people wonder if they have or will have enough money saved to be able to retire comfortably.

When thinking about your retirement savings, there are a number of things to consider, according to the webinar presenters from the University of Florida Extension:

• How far in the future do you intend to retire?

• How many years do you anticipate your retirement will

• What lifestyle do you intend to maintain during retirement?

• How will you cover rising health care costs?

• What sources of income will you have during retirement? • Do you intend to supplement

your retirement income by continuing to work? A 2014 article in USA Today

stated, "About 36 percent of workers have less than \$1,000 in savings and investments that could be used for retirement, not counting their primary residence or defined benefits plans such as traditional pensions.'

Further, "Only 44 percent say they or their spouses have tried to calculate how much money they'll need to save by the time they retire so that they can live comfortably in their golden

When looking at the statistics for only women, the website of the U.S. Department of Labor tells us the results are even grimmer. This is because:

• Women are more likely to work in part-time jobs that don't offer a retirement plan.

• Women are more likely to interrupt careers to care for family members.

 Women invest more conservatively than men.

If you are not among the 44 percent who have calculated your needs for retirement, try using one of these online tools. provided in the University of Florida Extension webinar:

• The Longevity Game (www. northwesternmutual.com/learning-center/the-longevity-game. aspx).

• Úniversity of Rhode Island Center for Personal Financial Education Retirement Estimator (http://duval.ifas.ufl.edu/Get-FiscallyFit.shtml).

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etosave.org). Do you think your savings are on track right now for your retirement? If you have already retired, or planned for a future retirement, you can validate your position by using one of the calculators above.

Remember to include your Social Security in your retirement income planning. The Social Security Administration has several benefits and retirement calculators at www.ssa.gov. Set up your "My Social Security" account (https://www.ssa.gov/ myaccount?) on their website if you haven't already.

After using the calculators, if you determine you actually do not have enough resources to retire comfortably, the University of Florida Extension webinar presenters offer these strate-

· Consider delaying retire-

• Work part-time in retirement or phase into retirement.

 Increase your savings with catch up provisions in your employer provided retirement plans or IRAs.

· Examine and change the asset allocation of your savings and investments.

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• Charge rent to an adult child if they live at home.

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Grazing school considered a success

By Jody G. Holthaus Meadowlark Extension District Agent

Livestock-Natural Resources
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workshop at the Highland Community

were met with such great hospitality and cooperation. That is a great resource for the city We did our pasture allocation exercise at Barrett Cattle Company. Gene was most accommodating! The farm tour at Mel and Joyce Williams' was very interesting, looking at their various water systems.

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Of course, the most sought-

out resource on the tour was

we had last week. Especially black hided cattle; their temperature at hide level can be 10 to 15 degrees warmer than a cow with red or white hide.

A quick review of research on pasture shade in Arkansas, Florida, Kentucky and Missouri showed these advan-

 Arkansas: 20 percent higher gains for stocker cattle with shade than for those without.

• Florida: Cows with shade had conception rates of 44.4 percent, compared with 25.3 percent for cattle without shade.

Kentucky: Animals with adequate shade gained at these rates over those without: cows 1.2 pounds per day, calves 0.4 pounds per day, steers 0.9 pounds per day.

Two single-year studies of shade at University of Missouri's Southwest Research Center in Mt. Vernon suggest better values. Eldon Cole, University of Missouri animal scientist, conducted this

In 2000, Cole tested a group of spring-calving cows, comparing some with access to portable manmade, metalroof shade measuring eight feet by 12 feet with no shade.

The trial was done on both endophyte-infected and endophyte-free fescue.

In his comments, Cole did not mention that endophytefree fescue as a high-nitrogen, cool-season grass can still leave cattle in a state of alkalosis, which aggravates heat stress.

He said the greatest difference showed up on the infected fescue where the shaded cows outgained the others by 0.72 pound per day for 84 days. The calves nursing the shaded cows also made slightly better gains, 0.17 lb. per day, but that was not sig-

The trial ran from July 3 to Sept. 25 and the animals were all black. He added that the overall pregnancy rate was 87.5 percent for the cows given shade, versus only 50 percent for cows with no shade.

In 2001, the same trial was conducted at the Southwest Center using 550-pound steers. The shaded steers gained 0.2 pound more per day for 84 days than the unshaded ones. Like with the cows, when the comparison was made on the "hot" fescue pasture, the difference increased up to 0.35 pound per day.

Get the jump on seasonal cleaning

didn't take a vacation. They

By Nancy C. Nelson Meadowlark Extension District Agent Family Life

Summer has officially ended... so how about marking it with a bout of spring cleaning? While that may sound like a contradiction in terms, stop



and think about it. Warm summer months means vacations away from home and more time spent outdoors.

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sat around the house, accumulating and multiplying. And now, with the winter months ahead and the holiday seasons rushing in upon us, it's an ideal time to get a thorough house cleaning under way.

Take stock. Before you begin, take inventory of your cleaning supplies, recommends the American Cleaning Institute. Make sure you have the products you need for the surfaces you plan on cleaning. Review the information on the product labels to make sure you are using them properly.

As you clean, pay attention to where your products are stored. You may decide that future cleaning will be more efficient if you keep sets of supplies in different parts of the house – for example, one set on each floor, or an extra set in the laundry room.

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Expand your reach. Go beyond the usual vacuuming, mopping and dusting. Look up and get rid of the cobwebs that have accumulated in the corners and around the light fixtures and ceiling fans. If necessary, invest in a telescoping extension pole so you can adjust it to the length you need for dusting those high-up places. Move the furniture and send dust bunnies scurrying. Wipe down the baseboards.

Tackle the refrigerator. Check its contents for expiration dates. Discard anything that has overstaved its welcome. Then remove and clean each shelf. Work one shelf at a time so that food won't have to stand out at room tempera-

Once the inside is clean, take a look at the outside. Dust and lint buildup can reduce the cooling performance of your refrigerator. Remove the grille and vacuum the coils or clean them with a long-handled brush. If it's not a built-in model, pull it away from the wall and vacuum or sweep be-

hind it. Launder all washable comforters, mattress covers, pillows, bed skirts, curtains, blankets, throws and slipcovers. Turn mattresses and vac-

uum them thoroughly.
Refurbish the furniture and care for the carpet. Take a close look at your upholstery. Remove the cushions and vacuum thoroughly, using the crevice tool to get into those hard-to-reach places. Check the carpet for spots and stains. This may be the time for deep cleaning all these surfaces.

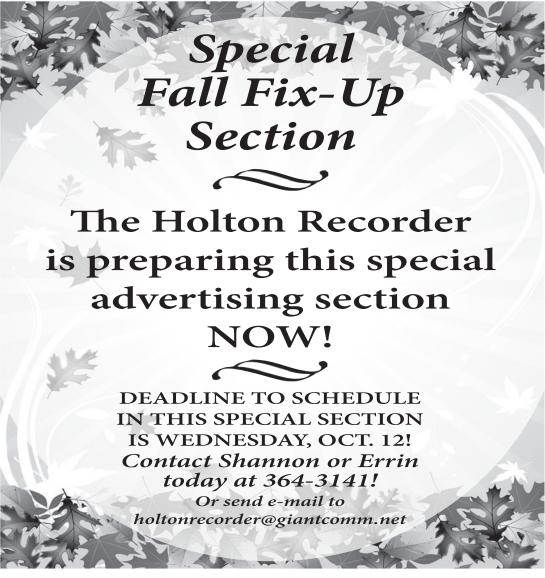
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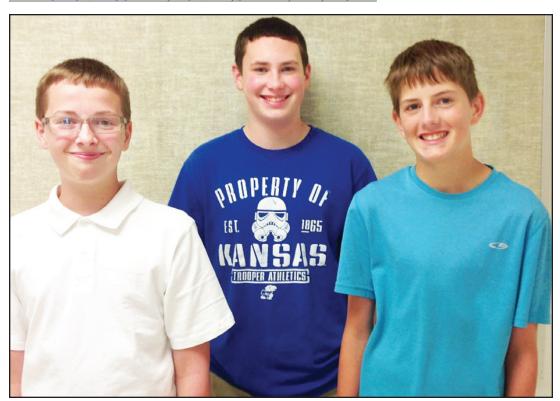
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Royal Valley Middle School students (from left) Colin Caviness, Luke Boyden and Colin Everts have won the Lowell Milken Center for Unsung Heroes' 2016 Discovery Award for a documentary they created about Emma Darling Cushman, an American nurse who saved thousands of Armenian children during the Armenian genocide.

Documentary...

Continued from Page 1 Allies and Neutral Nations, overseeing millions of dollars in relief funds and prisoner exchanges.

The Lowell Milken Center defines an unsung hero as someone who created a positive change in history by improving the lives of others and has yet to be recognized for his or her ac-

In the 10-minute video, the students interviewed a relative of Cushman, a descendant of an

priest, a UCLA professor and

Because of their discovery of — and robust research on - Cushman, the students have been given the honor of inscribing her headstone at the American cemetery in Cairo, Egypt. Cushman was buried in an unmarked grave upon her death in 1930 due to blackwater fever, it

A total of \$14,500 in prize money was given by the Low-

Armenian orphan, an Armenian ell Milken Center to students who discovered Unsung Heroes whose actions positively changed the course of history and improved the lives of others, it was reported.

An awards ceremony for the students is being held at 11:30 a.m. on Wednesday at Royal Valley Middle School in May-

The documentary can be viewed at lowellmilkencenter. org/2016-discovery-award-win-

Purple Heart...

Continued from Page 1 High School in 1920, the same year that the school's basket-

ball team won a state basketball championship, Roy Hale said. He also attended the Haskell Institute in Lawrence prior to the Hale worked as a tractor op-

erator prior to the war, according to his military records. He married Jane Blandin, and they had two sons, Roy and Lawrence, before divorcing.

Hale would be inducted into the Army on Aug. 5, 1942, at Fort Leavenworth, and his primary duties with the 559th's medical detail included assisting "medical technicians in a battalion aid station administering first aid to minor cases of sick and wounded military personnel," his military record stated.



Joseph Hale

stated that Hale "occasionally in carrying wounded men from

combat area to collection point for conveyance by vehicle to aid station." He also "applied splints, gave blood plasma and bandaged wounds.

Hale served with the 559th in northern and southern France and also in "Rhineland" (western Germany), in the region where he was wounded by enemy fire on April 10, 1945.

He was given his honorable discharge from the Army three months to the day after he was wounded, and he returned to northeastern Kansas.

Both of his sons were drafted into the Army during the Korean War, it was noted, and both are still alive today, helping out at We-Ta-Se American Legion Post 410 in Mayetta.

Hale would live out the rest of his life in Mayetta as a farm-The military record also performed duties of litter bearer er. He died Aug. 19, 1978, at the age of 75.

Rebar...

Continued from Page 1 those individuals have been co-

Members of the public are under no legal obligation to take a lie detector test, and the results of such a test are not admissible in court in Kansas, it was reported.

Members of Rebar's family claim on social media that a person refusing to take the polygraph test is a male associate of Rebar's who knew her through the VFW

Morse said that Rebar's disappearance is being investigated as a homicide.

"There's no indication that she wrecked her vehicle, and there's no indication from any of the people that we've interviewed that she had any intention of doing anything but going home that

After searching her home, Morse said that investigators determined that she had not been there since that Friday and that she was planning to return there that evening.

'There wasn't any activity on her banking account, and we really believe that this fits the criteria for police to investigate it as a homicide," he said.

From the beginning of the investigation, Morse said area and state agencies have conducted extensive searches utilizing horses, UTVs, aircrafts, watercrafts and search dogs. Lakes, ponds and rivers have been searched using

Private individuals have also formed search parties on their own and offered up their time and resources to locate Rebar.

Utilizing cell phone towers, Morse said that the last known cell phone "ping" from Rebar's phone came from a tower in Meriden around 4 a.m. that Saturday.

Within three and a half hours of her disappearance, her cell phone was no longer operating," he said.

The phone may have been within a seven-mile radius of the tower when it was "pinged," and Morse said that investigators believe her cell phone was somewhere southwest of Meriden between 70th Street south near 46th Street in Jefferson and Shawnee counties.

"We've done some analytics and narrowed it down that the phone was somewhere in this Morse said. "It appears that she or her phone were headed south from Meriden and wasn't headed back home."

Even though it's believed that Rebar went missing in Jefferson County, Jackson County has been the base of operation for the investigation.

"She lives on the reservation so the Tribal Police and the sheriff's office began the investigation when she was initially reported missing," Morse said. "As more information developed, we got Jefferson County involved, and we've assembled a task force from different agencies, and we've been working on this ever

A multi-jurisdiction task force

was assembled, and its members continue to meet regularly to discuss the case and combine resources regarding the investigation, Morse said. The task force includes investigators from the Jackson County Sheriff's Office, the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office, Potawatomi Tribal Police and the Kansas Bureau of Investigations.

There have been several "persons of interest" regarding the disappearance of Rebar, Morse

"Most of those people have been cleared at this point," he said. "We haven't labeled anyone as a suspect. We don't have any real viable suspects at this time."

Even with widespread media coverage on Rebar's disappearance, Morse said that very few leads have come from the public.

"Most of the leads that we've had have been self generated by the task force," he said. "We've looked at this from different angles, and we've searched parking lots and airports and Amtrak sta-

Morse said the task force is still actively engaged in the investigation and are not considering it a 'cold case." A variety of inquisitions and subpoenas have been issued for phone records, banking records and rental vehicles.

'We haven't come up with a lot of new leads at this point, but we are continually trying to find other areas to look into and answer other questions," he said. "It's disappointing, and it's very frustrating for law enforcement. I know, nationally, there are missing people all over the country, but it's just something that doesn't happen too often here in rural Kansas."

Salvage yards continue to be searched, but Rebar's Pacifica has still not been found, either.

"Any time there is an unidentified body that is found somewhere, we're involved with that determining if it could be related to this case," Morse said.

While Morse said the lack of

an explanation for Rebar's disappearance is frustrating for police, 's even more so for her family.

"The worst thing is that we don't have any answers for her family," he said. "That's the most disappointing thing. It would mean a lot to the family if they knew. It would provide some clo-

Rebar is the daughter of the late John and Marjorie "Ki gon" Abney, formerly of Mayetta. Rebar is retired and has a daughter, Twen Barton, and grandchildren.

Family members have reported that Rebar suffers from asthma, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (C.O.P.D.) and high blood pressure.

Rebar is described as a Native American female, who is five feet, six inches tall and weighing 230 pounds. She has blue eyes and brown hair.

She was last seen wearing jeans and a t-shirt and was carrying a turquoise purse. Her right leg is amputated below the knee, and she wears a prosthesis. She also has a scar above her right eye and a tattoo of a feather on her left shoulder She has pierced ears.

Updated search information is posted in a Facebook group page Joanie Rebar - Missing/Search

Rebar is an enrolled citizen of the Sac and Fox Nation in Kansas and has previously served on tribal council as secretary and chairman during the 1990s. She has resided on the Prairie Band Potawatomi Reservation since

Anyone with any information regarding her disappearance are asked to call the sheriff's office at 785-364-2251 or the Prairie Band Potawatomi Tribe Police Department at 785-966-3024.

"We want to solve it, but we really haven't found an answer yet," Morse said. "We're hoping this anniversary will bring attention back to the case. I have to believe there's someone out there that knows something or hasn't told us the whole story.'



Employment

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By Michael Powls

The results from week four of The Holton Recorder's Football Pick 'Em contest are in.

Ron Jessepe won this week's Pick'Em contest out of 44 total participants. Jessepe got 16 right out of 18 and was closest to the tiebreaker score of 27 by guessing 48 total points would be scored. Duane Bissitt came in a close second place with 16 correct and the second closest tiebreaker score by guessing 51 total points would be scored.

Other competitors for the top placing included Julie Bahret, who had 16 correct and the third

closest to the tiebreaker score by guessing 51 total points would be scored. Gary Schlaegel got fourth place with 16 correct, and he was the fourth closest to the tiebreaker score with his guess that 52 total points would be scored.

The two winners will need to contact The Holton Recorder to claim their prizes.

The games' scores are as fol-

Holton 41, Riverside 7 Jackson Heights 59, Maur Hill 27

Sabetha 48, Royal Valley 0 Frankfort 62, Valley Falls 12 Centralia 49, Doniphan West

JCN 54, Oskaloosa 6

Nemaha Central 56, Jefferson Troy 25, Perry-Lecompton

Horton 64, Immaculata 12 Washburn 47, University of

Nebraska-Kearney 44 Buffalo 23. Army 20 K-State 35, Missouri State 0 Nebraska 24, Northwestern

Green Bay 34, Detroit 27 Dallas 31, Chicago 17 Denver 29, Cincinnati 17 LA Rams 37, Tampa Bay 32 Kansas City 24, NY Jets 3

Tiebreaker game Oakland 17, Tennessee 10 Editor's note: See page 8 of today's Recorder for this week's Pick 'Em contest.

Information sought for Purple Heart **Profiles**

The Holton Recorder plans to publish more profiles of Purple Heart Medal recipients from Jackson County and welcomes information about the county's military veterans who have received the medal but have not yet been profiled in this special

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