

400 mile treasure hunt is successful

The first annual Great U. S. Highway 36 Treasure Hunt, — 400 miles of garage sales in the 13 counties on the U. S. 36 corridor in Kansas — is now history. There have been many positive and complimentary things said about the event and the majority of people indicated they had a great time.

Of course, there were a few problems but that was to be anticipated since it was the U.S. 36 Highway Association's first time to sponsor such an event. Vendors report doing very well, motels and restaurants were busy and all-in-all, the Treasure Hunt was deemed a huge success.

During the Sept. 15 through 17 weekend, there were many visitors from Colorado and Nebraska, as well as California, Iowa, Kentucky, Illinois, Wyoming, Oklahoma, Texas, Tennessee to name a few.

"It was a wonderful opportunity for people from other states and other areas of Kansas to get acquainted with this beautiful historic east-west route across Kansas and its small towns with friendly, hospitable residents," said Bonnie Youngquist, associate secretary and office manager of the Association. "The travelers were impressed and are looking forward to coming back again next year."

The Treasure Hunt was a cooperative effort. The Treasure Hunt Committee was James Erickson, Paul Kallman and Jane Ann Carlgren, all of Scandia, and Carl Bray of Atwood.

"They deserve much praise for the many hours they spent working on the project in order to get it up and running," she said.

Many coordinators in the counties helped in their own towns to do advertising and promote the event.

Some of the Association members are already discussing ideas (some of which have come directly from the visitors) which will be incorporated next time to make the Treasure Hunt even bigger, better and more enjoyable.

On the Home Page of the Association website (www.ushwy36.com) there is a

comment section where anyone can e-mail their thoughts about the Treasure Hunt. The Association is anxious to learn what people have to say (whether an out-of-state visitor or local individual). It will be valuable input and helpful in improving the event.

Those who do not have e-mail may write to U. S. 36 Highway Association, PO Box 366, Smith Center, KS 66967.

Book Review

Book review from
Bird City Public Library
The Revelation
By Beverly Lewis

The Abram's Daughters saga, begun in *The Covenant*, reaches its soaring conclusion in *The Revelation*. Three generations of Ebersols have enjoyed the love of a close-knit family, while also enduring heartache in Lancaster County, Pa. Here, at last, the choices they've made, and the secrets they've carefully guarded, are about to be revealed...for better or for worse.

Six endless days have come and gone since that wonderful-good crimson-and-gold-speckled day when Jonas returned to Lancaster County to declare his fondest affection for me. Yet I've had no word since, not even following his important meeting with the bishop. And as each day passes, I am mindful not to given into fretting, losing myself in endless worry.

Honestly, though, there are times when I am nearly giddy with anticipation, knowing Jonas is only 30 minutes away. What I thought had died in me has sprung to vibrant life. Once again I carry within my heart the hope of one day being reunited with my darling beau, if God should see fit.

Secretly, though, I fear something will yet keep us apart. Ever since the advent of winter with its dearth of light, I have been aware of a sense of foreboding.



DANIELLE FRINK has everyone's attention during her flag football game. The teams play at the Cheylin Football Field on Sunday evenings.

Times staff photo by Casey McCormick

4-H'ers participate in the Kansas State Fair

There were 24 Cheyenne County 4-H'ers participating in the Kansas State Fair activities. Chelsey Weeden's breeding gilt was the AOB grand champion. In the York division, Levi Weeden placed fourth and Chelsey was fifth.

Trevor Reed placed ninth in his class of Hampshire hogs. Levi placed 10th in his class of market hogs, crossbreds.

A.J. McAtee placed third in his class of Maine-Anjou market steers.

Allison Grice's photo was chosen as Cheyenne County's photo for the Kansas 4-H Centennial display. Kattie Ford's art display was chosen as the 2006 State Fair-Rock Springs selection.

Scott Ford, three-years-or-less-in-project, received a blue on his color photo.

Jandy Dunn received a purple

ribbon on her clothing item in the 10-to-11 age division. She also participated in horse events including pole bending, barrel racing and flag racing.

Mikaela Grace received a blue on her clothing item in the 12-to-14 age division. She competed in the horse events receiving a fifth in English equitation; ninth in horsemanship; 10th in English pleasure; and participated in showmanship and trail.

Allison Grice, in the fourth-through-seventh year participation in the project, received a Centennial and a blue on her items entered.

Jodie Hilt received a purple on her clothing item in the 10-to-11 age division.

Amy Hilt, participated in 4-H Arts or Crafts.

Katelyn Jones, in the 15-to-18 age division, received a purple in

the food item she entered and a red on the clothing item. She also had an art/craft item entered.

Logan Lampe received a purple on this pullet.

Allyson Northrup, 10-to-11 age division, received a purple on her food item and a red on her wood-working item.

Caitlin Northrup, 10-to-11 year division, received a blue on her food item.

Dale Northrup, 12-to-14 years, received a red on her food item.

Christina Schoenrogge, entered a rug and received a blue.

Aryn Sturgeon entered a color photo in the three-years-or-less-in-project division and received a blue.

Teri Walters, 15-to-18 age divi-

sion, received a blue for the food item she entered.

Heidi Yonkey, 15-to-18 age division, received a red on her clothing item.

Courtney Douthit, 14-to-18 age division, participated in the horse division, western pleasure, and horsemanship.

Margo Douthit, 14-to-18 age division, was a finalist in barrel racing.

Alecia Zimelman, 14-to-18 age division, received a sixth place in horsemanship; 10th in showmanship; and participated in English

pleasure, western pleasure, barrel racing and flag racing

Pleasant Hill 4-H Club entered a banner.

Interesting Facts

How can you live without knowing these facts?

- Coca-Cola was originally green.
- Every day more money is printed for Monopoly than the U.S. Treasury.
- Men can read smaller print than women can; women can hear better.
- The state with the highest percentage of people who walk to work: Alaska

- The percentage of Africa that is wilderness: 28 percent (now gets this...)
- The percentage of North America that is wilderness: 38 percent.
- The cost of raising a medium-size dog to the age of 11: \$6,400
- The average number of people airborne over the U.S. any given hour: 61,000
- Intelligent people have more zinc and copper in their hair.

Petition filed to settle the Underwood estate

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CHEYENNE COUNTY, KANSAS In the Matter of the Estate of MARGIE UNDERWOOD, a/k/a MARGIE L. UNDERWOOD, Deceased.

Case No. 05-PR-08
NOTICE OF HEARING
PURSUANT TO K.S.A. CHAPTER 59

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a Petition has been filed in this Court by John G. Kite and Vickie Thomas, a/k/a Vickie M. Thomas, duly appointed, qualified and acting Co-Executors of the Estate of Margie Underwood, a/k/a Margie L. Underwood, deceased, praying that their acts be approved; that their account be settled and allowed; that the

Estate be assigned to the persons entitled thereto; that fees and expenses be allowed; that costs be determined and ordered paid; that the administration of the Estate be closed; that the Co-Executors be discharged and that they be released from further liability.

You are required to file your written defenses thereto on or before the 10th day of October, 2006, at 10:00 o'clock A.M. of said day, in said Court in the City of St. Francis, Kansas, in Cheyenne County, Kansas, at which time and place said cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the Petition.

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Petition filed in court for the Cardwell estate

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CHEYENNE COUNTY, KANSAS In the Matter of the Estate of

Case No. 06-PR-16
Jean Francis Cardwell, a/k/a Jean F. Cardwell, Deceased
PURSUANT TO K.S.A. CHAPTER 59

NOTICE OF HEARING
THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a Petition has been filed in this Court by William D. E. Cardwell, spouse and one of the heirs of Jean Francis Cardwell, a/k/a Jean F. Cardwell, deceased, praying:

Descent be determined of the following described real estate situated in Cheyenne County, Kansas: An undivided one-half (1/2) interest in the West Half of the Southwest Quarter (W1/2SW1/4) of Section Twenty-eight (28), Township Four (4) South, Range Forty-two (42), West of the 6th P.M. in Cheyenne County, Kansas, and

An undivided one-half (1/2) interest in the Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (NW1/4NW1/4) of Section Thirty-three (33), Town-

ship Four (4) South, Range Forty-two (42), West of the 6th P.M. in Cheyenne County, Kansas.

and all personal property and other Kansas real estate, real and personal, or interests therein, owned by the decedent at the time of death and that such property be assigned pursuant to the laws of intestate succession; and you are hereby required to file your written defenses thereto on or before October 20, 2006, at 10:30 a.m. of said day, in said court, in the City of St. Francis, in Cheyenne County, Kansas, at which time and place said cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon said petition.

William D.E. Cardwell, Petitioner
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Notice of hearing for will to be settled

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CHEYENNE COUNTY, KANSAS IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Case No. 05-PR-21
W. E. HEMPLER, A/K/A
WALDEMAR HEMPLER, DECEASED
PURSUANT TO K.S.A. CHAPTER 59

NOTICE OF HEARING
THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a petition was filed in this Court by Marsha A. Batt, duly appointed, qualified and acting Executor of the Estate of W. E. Hempler, deceased, praying Petitioner's acts be approved; account be settled and allowed; the heirs be determined; the Will be construed and the Estate be assigned to the persons entitled thereto; the Court find the allow-

ances requested for attorneys, fees and expenses are reasonable and should be allowed; the costs be determined and ordered paid; the administration of the Estate be closed; upon the filing of receipts the Petitioner be finally discharged as the Executor of the Estate of W. E. Hempler, deceased, and the Petitioner be released from further liability.

You are required to file your written defenses thereto on or before October 13, 2006, at 10:00 P.M. in the District Court, St. Francis, Cheyenne County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the petition.

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