Help Wanted

Registered nurse and surgery tech. Full time positions, experience rewarded, new graduates welcome to join our caring, dedicated team. Competitive salary, outstanding benefits. Community Hospital, 1301 East H Street, McCook, NE. 308-345-8307, fax 308-345-8358, communityhospital@navix.net -3/27 & 3/28-

100 workers needed. Assemble crafts, wood items. Materials provided. To \$480+ week. Free information pkg. 24 hr. 801-428-4717. -3/27

The Northwest Kansas Planning & Development Commission is requesting résumés for a newly created position of Administrative Assistant. The employee will be responsible for special projects, grant writing and administration, and filing reports as directed by the Executive Director. This person will work out of the Hill City office. Résumés will be accepted until the position is filled. NWKP&DC, PO Box 248, Hill City, Kan-67642 sas or email nwkpdc@ruraltel.net. EOE.

-3/25-4/3

Notice

Notice to Robert A. Dutiel of 752 Cherokee Drive. Past due rent + late charge due in 72 hours or owner will take possession of said property, or call Betty Behring, 462-3285, 462-5185.

• NOW HIRING • **ALL SHIFTS**

Full-time and Part-time shifts available! 2000 S. Range



Apply online @ www.mckansas.com

HELP WANTED

Thomas County Health Department has an opening for a Registered Nurse, three days a week. For more information, call 785-462-4596. Applications may be picked up at the Health Department, 350 S. Range, Suite 2, Colby, Kansas.

HEAD START Paraprofessional/ Case Manager

The Northwest Kansas Educational Service Center is accepting applications for a Thomas County Head Start Paraprofessional/Case Manager for the 2002-2003 school year. This is a 9-month, 40-hour per week position. Qualifications: High school diploma or equivalent. Experience in early childhood preferred. Contact Person: Keva Scheib, Head Start Director, 785-672-3125, Ext. 144. To receive an application, contact Leslie Herl, Head Start Administrative Assistant, 785-672-3125, Ext. 145. Application Deadline: Applications will be accepted until position is filled.

Equal Opportunity Employer

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Notices

tunity to become Miss Kansas. Six age divisions. For free information and highlight video call 800-655-9390 or visit www.smiles2u.com.

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-3/1--3/29-

Apartments for Rent

Newly decorated 1 bedroom studio apartment. All utilities paid. Call 462-3285 or 462-5185.

Newly decorated 2 & 3 bedroom brick apartments. Stove, refrigerator, and dishwasher furnished, W/D hookups, off street parking, patio. Call 462-3285 or

-3/22--3/29----

Condo: 2 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, washer and dryer. 785-462-3939.

-2/25-tfn-

1 or 2 bedroom apartments. Available now. Call 462-2331. -- 1/24---tfn-

2 bedroom apartment in Colby. Utili-

ties paid, no pets. Call 785-672-3516 in -1/16-tfn-

NOW TAKING APPLICATIONS

Housekeepers and P/T Night Auditor

Apply in person.



1925 S. Range • Colby 462-8691

Secondary **Spanish Teacher**

The Northwest Kansas Educational Service Center has an opening for a Secondary Spanish Teacher for the 2002-2003 school year. Qualifications: Candidate must be certiied to teach in Kansas or be eligible to obtain a certificate to teach in Kansas, a Spanish Endorsement is preferred. This position will teach over the Interactive Network, training will be provided. For position details and application information, contact Jan Schartz, ITV Coordinator or Dan Thorton, Executive Director at 785-672-3125. Application Deadline: Position is opened until

Equal Opportunity Employer

Marketing/Research

S&T Communications has a Marketing Assistant position open. This position will be responsible for developing strategic growth plans and implementation of marketing programs related to the company's Internet, cable television, and telephone businesses. Requirements for the

- Knowledge or experience in successfully developing strategic marketing
- · Strong interpersonal and communication skills,
- College level course work in marketing or equivalent experience preferred. Interested candidates should submit a resume to:

S&T Communications Inc

Marketing Manager 320 Kansas Ave., P.O. Box 99, Brewster, Ks 67732



LANTERN PARK **MANOR**

Are you looking for a rewarding career in

Long Term Care? CURRENTLY AVAILABLE POSITIONS:

• LPN or RN - FT Position (40 hrs. per week), Excellent Salary, \$2,000 Sign-on Bonus

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EOE/M/F/D/V 785-462-6721

Apartments for Rent

Spacious two bedrooms, large kitchen fully furnished. Also available: nice rooms with a community kitchen, utilities and cable paid. Rent as low as \$225 per month. 785-462-3251. -12/10-tfn-

Sunflower Apartments of Colby offers affordable housing. 1 and 2 bedroom apartments. Stove, refrigerator, and garbage disposal furnished. Water, trash and sewer paid, utility allowance. Apply at 1170 S. Franklin Ave., or call Lynn Cameron at 462-6349 for application. TDD 1-800-766-3777. Equal Housing Opportunity.

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Houses for Rent

2 bedroom, stove, refrigerator, W/D, large detached 2 car garage, fenced yard. Call 785-462-6662.

-3/25--3/29-

Large 3 bedroom, 2 bath home with finished basement, attached garage, large backyard. Call 462-3285 or 462-5185.

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For Rent - Mobile Homes

2 bedroom, 1 bath, reasonable rent and deposit. 785-462-7468. -3/26-4/4-

2 bedroom. Furnished washer/dryer, AC, water paid, near park. 785-462-2126.

Use the Classifieds!

HELP WANTED

~ Open to 1:00 pm Shift ~

Full Time or Part Time Salary based on experience.



900 E. 4th Colby 462-7879

WANTED

Practice Manager for busy veterinary clinic in Oakley, KS. We are looking for someone who wants a challenging career working with the public and professionals. Job duties include general office duties, supervision of employees, basic accounting including payable, receivable and payroll. Oakley Veterinary Clinic is a progressive mixed animal practice with a strong emphasis in livestock production. Knowledge in this area would be beneficial but not required. Interested persons should send a resume with references to the attention of Dr. Lavne Lunsway. 510 S. Freeman, Oakley, KS 67748. Applications will be accepted until March 31, 2002 or until a suitable candidate is found.

Corrosion Technician

Midwest Energy, a natural gas utility, has an opening in Scott City. This position is responsible for overseeing and protecting the gas system in relation to corrosion control activities and to ensure that Company & regulatory compliance is met. Three to five years experience in corrosion work or related field is preferred. Applicant must have NACE Certification or ability to achieve certification. Must be customer oriented and possess a valid Kansas Drivers License. Please apply before April 10, 2002. Applications are available at the Midwest Energy office at 1301 S. Main in Scott City, Kansas



Midwest Energy, Inc.

1330 Canterbury Hays, Kansas 67601 1-800-222-3121 Equal Opportunity Employer

House for Sale

Nice updated older home. 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 bath, new addition, small full service town (Selden). Asking \$45,000. 785-386-4225.

—3/19**—**4/1**—**—

Misc. for Sale

New steel doors, 32" and 36", \$25 each. Partial sheets plywood, 1/2", 10¢ foot. Free Breakfast Inn, Oakley. 785-672-3117. ext. 27. -3/25-3/27-

units with games, camera, printer, cable.

Electronic games. Two Gameboy color

Super Ninetendo with games. 785-462--3/25-3/29-

New Sundance hot tub. Delivery pos-

sible, good price. Call 785-443-1339. -3/27-3/29

One new Therapeutic massage chair with heater. Must sit in to believe the results. Call 785-443-1339 for a demon--3/27--3/29--

Farm Equipment

Flex King 7x6 sweep with squeeze pump and pull between tank frame extensions with 4 lift cylinders, new style pickers. 785-672-3730 or 785-672-7198. **—3/25—4/5-**

7100 IH drills. 10 ft., 12 inch with transports, \$8,500. 3 J.D. LZ812 drills with overhead carrier, \$1,500. 785-672-3730 or 785-672-7198. —3/25—4/5-

Boat for Sale

1984 Pontoon. 24 ft., 50 h.p. Mercury, power tilt and trim, loaded with extras, \$5,800. 785-672-3515. —3/25—4/5-

Vehicle for Sale

1994 Ford Ranger XL. 89,000 miles, 5 speed, AC, cruise, bed liner, nice, \$4,000. 785-694-2575. -3/27-4/9-

Announcements

Apartments for Rent Beautiful spacious 2 & 3 BR apartments available.

Complete with

Appliances ✓ Lawn Care

✓ Snow Removal Close to shopping,

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CALL 785-465-8113

INVITATION TO BID Colby Public Schools USD 315 is re-

questing bids for the district's property insurance. Bids must be submitted on district forms and placed in a sealed envelope to the USD 315 board clerk, Marilynn Reed, 210 S. Range, Colby, KS 67701-2934 by 11:00 a.m. on May 6, 2002. Bids will be opened in the board of the administration building at 2:00 p.m. on that

Please contact Jo DeYoung by phone 785-465-5003 or by fax at 785-465-5050 to request the bid specifications required to submit a proposal for the district property insurance.

Colby USD 315 reserves the right to reject any and all bids relative to this project.

Vehicles for Sale

1996 Sebring convertible. 60,000 miles, beautiful car. Must sell. \$8,500 O.B.O. Call 785-855-2303, leave message. -3/20-3/27-

1996 Chevy Ext. cab, 4x4, short box, 350

Vortech, 112,000 miles, great condition. 785-462-6853.

-3/18--3/28---

1996 Chrysler New Yorker. Black, beautiful car, good price. Call 785-443-1339. -3/27--3/29-

1998 Ford Supercab shortbed, stepside, Lariat, V-8, leather, 4x4, off-road pkg., CD changer, power, 72k miles. Immaculate. 785-443-1339.

-2/22-tfn-

Business Services

Lawn mowing services. Any size. Call Tim at 462-6388 days or 462-3190 after 7:00 p.m.

-3/22--3/29-----

Want your lawn in tip-top shape? Call Jay's Lawn Service for power raking, aerating, mowing, trimming, and many more services. Call Jay today. 785-443-3851, leave message

-3/19-4/1-

Wanted

Alfalfa hay, cane hay, and dry corn. Competitive bids. Please call Scott Foote at 785-386-4519. -2/1—tfn——



If you're fishin' for a good deal, call *785-462-3963*

• NOTICE • **AD RATES**

For Classified Word ads are as follows:

1-2 days 25¢*/word

10-14 days

3-4 days 18¢/word

5-9 days 17¢/word

Monthly (tfn) 15¢/word

(*Price reflects 15 word minimum ad. Ads must be in our office by 12:00 noon the day before. In case of error, call us the FIRST day your ad runs since we will not

16¢/word

be responsible for errors after the first **COUNTRY ADVOCATE** \$6.00/per week - 10 words

(additional 25¢ word thereafter) 13¢/word pick-up rate (with 3 consecutive day run in Free Press) ADS MUST BE IN THE OFFICE BY

12:00 NOON ON FRIDAY. DISPLAY (box) AD DEADLINE FOR FREE PRESS IS 3:00 P.M. TWO DAYS BEFORE AD RUNS.

Classified Display Rate: \$6.85 per column inch **COUNTRY ADVOCATE DEADLINE IS** 12:00 NOON ON FRIDAY.

Two lovable house cats. Must part with due to allergies. 785-462-7226. -3/25--3/29-

Farm cats. Male and female, all colors. Phone 785-586-2384 evenings.

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Legal Notice

To Give Away

GENERAL NOTICE TO CONTROL NOXIOUS The Kansas Noxious Weed Law K.S.A. 2-1314 et

seq requires all persons who own or supervise land in Kansas to control and eradicate all weeds declared noxious by legislative action. The weeds declared noxious are: field bindweed, musk thistle, sericea lespedeza, johnson grass, bur ragweed, Canada thistle, leafy spurge, hoary cress, quack grass, russian kriapweed, kudzu and pignut. Notice is hereby given pursuant to the Kansas Nox-

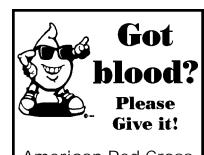
ious Weed Law to every person who owns or supervises land in Thomas County that noxious weeds growing or found on such land shall be controlled and eradicated. Control is defined as preventing the production of viable seed and the vegetative spread Failure to observe this notice may result in the

1. Serving a legal notice requiring control of the noxious weeds within a minimum of five days. Failure to control the noxious weeds within the time period allowed may result in the county treating the noxious weeds at the landowners expense and placing a lien on the property if the bill is not paid within 2. filing criminal charges for non compliance. Conviction for non compliance may result in a fine of

\$100 per day of non-compliance with a maximum The public is also hereby notified that it is a viola-

tion of the Kansas Noxious Weed Law to barter, sell or give away infested nursery stock or livestock feed unless the feed is fed on the farm where grown or sold to a commercial processor that will destroy the viability of the noxious weed seed. Custom harvesting machines must be labeled with a label provided by the Kansas Dept. of Agriculture and must be free of all weed seed and litter when entering the State and when leaving a field infested with noxious weeds. Additional information may be obtained from the Thomas County Noxious Weed Department, 785-462-4560, or by contacting the Kansas Dept. of Agriculture, 109 S.W. 9 th, Topeka, KS 66612. (Published in the Colby Free Press on March 20

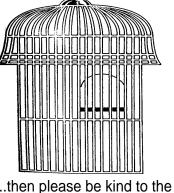
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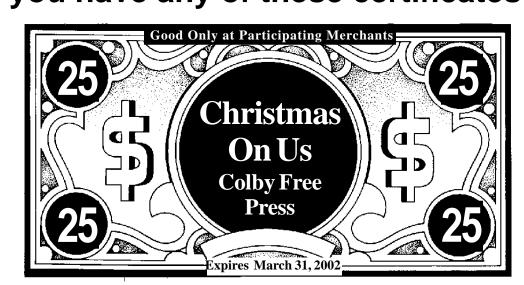
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...remember - they expire on March 31st!!

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