

Some Hansen scholarships not being utilized, speaker says

Gerry Anschutz of Colby was the guest program speaker at the April 9 meeting of the Colby Shakespeare Club. As a member of the scholarship committee for the Dane G. Hansen Foundation, Gerry talked about the foundation and gave some history about the man himself.

Joyce Hansen, Shakespeare Club member introduced Gerry following adjournment of the regular meeting.

Dane Gray Hansen, born in 1883 in Logan, was the son of immigrant parents who located to western Kansas from Denmark in 1872.

He had five siblings (two died very young), leaving a brother George and two sisters, Kate and Alpha. Alpha and George both mar-

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ried and had families, but Kate and Dane never married. Dane followed in his father's footsteps and was a successful businessman at every endeavor.

"He was sincere and industrious and knew the value of a dollar and insisted on honest workmanship," Gerry said.

There is a book out about his life entitled *Dane Gray Hansen, Titan of Northwest Kansas*, if you would like to read more about the man.

Mrs. Anshutz has been a member of the scholarship committee since being appointed in 2001. It is lots of work, but a very exciting opportu-

ity. Since Mr. Hansen's wealth was made in Kansas, he wanted to leave a legacy to the people here. The scholarships are set up for students who have graduated in the 26 counties of western Kansas, which involves some 60 high schools. There are basically four types of scholarships available for seniors; Vocational Education(80), \$1,500, Leaders of Tomorrow(8), \$5,000 annually, Hansen Scholars (30), \$3,000 annually, and Hansen Students (60), \$20,00. Students applying for these scholarships took a three hour objective test last fall. Approximately 700 students took the objective tests in the areas of Science, Math, Vocabulary, Social Studies, and general information.

They also wrote two essays; an autobiography and a two-page essay on a topic chosen by the Committee that day. Committee members then read and rate the essays while Foundation staff grade the tests. Some 150 to 160 hours of time is needed to complete the grading for each committee member. From this process, 130 students are selected for interview held in Logan in early February.

"This is the thrilling part of serving to be able to meet with such bright high school students who are enthusiastic and motivated and ready to conquer the world," she said. The scholarship committee also offers Community College Scholarships to students attending

who have graduated from the 26 high school area. They are \$2,000 and renewable for one additional year.

"This year nine scholarships were awarded to students attending Colby College, and with more publicity, we should have more," she said. Mrs. Anschutz concluded her program by encouraging Shakespeare members to share pamphlets and information with grandchildren and neighbors, as some of the scholarships are not utilized as they should be.

Mr. Hansen wanted to share his money with western Kansas, and she enjoys being in a position to "spend someone else's money in such a wise and wonderful way."

Among many items discussed at the recent Shakespeare Club meeting held April 9 at Ruth Lowenthal's home, the members decided on April 12 as the scheduled highway cleanup day.

Pi Gamma members said they would also be available that day as well.

Seven members of Colby Shakespeare Club attended with President Kathy Calliham opening the meeting with the reciting of the Collect and the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll call was answered with members' knowledge of a scholarship program. Minutes were approved as read and there was no correspondence. Kathy then read the poem entitled, "He Grew the Tree," which explained Christ's crucifixion and Easter.

New business was the May 14 traditional salad luncheon meeting. Joyce Hansen presented an option after reviewing the cost for lunch at Bourquin's.

Phyllis Elliott offered to have the luncheon at her home with salads or lunch brought by members or officers. The April 23 meeting will be at the Methodist Church parlor with Jane Bandy as hostess and co-hostess. Kathy then thanked Ruth for hosting and co-hosting the meeting and meeting was adjourned.

The preceding column was written by Amie Kendrick, Shakespeare Club secretary.

Attorney general files charges in medicaid billing scheme

TOPEKA — Attorney General Phill Kline's Medicaid Fraud and Abuse Division has charged two sisters with allegedly defrauding the Medicaid program out of about \$132,000.

Rameshia Spears of Kansas City, Mo., and Benita Givhan of Leawood, have each been charged in Johnson County District Court with

three felony counts of making a false claim to the Medicaid Program and three felony counts of conspiracy to make a false claim to the Medicaid Program, Kline said.

The two are alleged to have made the claims between July 1, 1999 and Dec. 31, 2003 while Givhan was an approved Medicaid patient and had hired her sister as her "personal care

attendant."

Spears allegedly submitted false time sheets claiming to have cared for her sister on the same days she was working at her fulltime job with the Missouri court system, he said, which caused the Kansas Medicaid Program to pay for services that were never provided.

"One count of making false

claims against the Medicaid program is a severity level seven nonperson felony punishable by a sentence of 11 to 34 months in prison," Kline said. The other false claim counts and one count of conspiracy are severity level nine nonperson felonies punishable by a sentence of five to 17 months in prison on each count.

St. Francis man gets help selling his home on Internet's e-bay

There are changes of all kinds in today's world of technology. Recently, a Kansas school house was sold over the Internet and, who would have guessed that St. Francis would be able to tout the same sort of sale.

However, Scott Jordan reported last week that he had sold his St. Francis home located on 116 River Street on ebay. Jordan's house has been listed for sale by a realtor for a year and a half without any success.



Scott Jordan's home in St. Francis sold on e-bay to New York man.

He said he had been contacted by Jami Moutray who offered her ser-

vices to sell his house on ebay. Ms. Moutray specializes in creating

Internet ads to place on ebay for auctions and ads.

Jordan said he moved to St. Francis five years ago to be close to his children. He was able to work out of his house utilizing his home computer and the Internet.

"Now in February of 2004, I utilized the Internet and ebay to sell my home." Moutray helped Jordan sell his property using a reserve auction format in which he set a minimum bid and ran the auction for 10 days.

He received bids from all over the U.S. and generated quite a bit of interest. In the end, Jordan sold his house to Jay Befferman from the Bronx, N.Y., who has never been to Kansas.

"Jay wanted to move to a safe, clean community where he could own his own home and enjoy the second half of his life," Jordan said.

They completed the transaction within a few weeks and Jordan said it was very easy.

Motorists urged to use caution on rural highways as planting nears

MANHATTAN — Collisions between farm machinery and passenger vehicles on rural highways are a serious problem, often with deadly consequences. Spring is a particularly risky time in Kansas as the push to get crops in the ground hits full speed, according to John

Slocombe, Extension farm safety specialist at Kansas State University. As planting season progresses

into haying season, more tractors and farm machinery will show up on public roads. One key to rural highway safety, is drivers' deliberate plan to share the road, said Slocombe, who encourages all drivers to exercise caution while practicing courtesy.

"Sharing the road is a challenge as farm equipment gets bigger and rural roads become more crowded,"

said Slocombe, who reminds drivers that farm equipment has two major limitations compared to passenger vehicles — speed and maneuverability. "Farm equipment is designed to move slower than normal traffic. It is also designed to be most responsive when traveling over rough ground, not pavement. Common sense and courtesy can go a long way toward keeping roads safe

for farm equipment and passenger vehicles."

Before hitting the highway, make sure farm vehicles are equipped with appropriate warning equipment — flashers, reflectors, and a Slow Moving Vehicle (SMV) emblem, and that all warning equipment is in working condition. In Kansas, tractors and slow moving vehicles are required to have amber

warning lights on the front and red warning lights on the rear, Slocombe said.

Passenger drivers, too, can exercise caution by practicing safety and patience.

"It is important to be alert and understand that cars traveling at road speed will close in quickly on a slower-moving tractor or implement," he said.

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WEEKDAYS APRIL 27 - MAY 3

| | 6 AM | 6:30 | 7 AM | 7:30 | 8 AM | 8:30 | 9 AM | 9:30 | 10 AM | 10:30 | 11 AM | 11:30 |
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| KLBY/ABC 4 (6) | News | | Good Morning America | | | | Mak-over | Mak-over | The View | Hollywood | News | |
| KSNK/NBC 3 (9) | News Cont'd | | Today | | | | | | Live With Regis and Kelly | Martha Stewart Living | | |
| KBSL/CBS 12 (11) | News | | The Early Show | | | The 700 Club | | | The Price Is Right | The Young and the Restless | | |
| K15CG (3) | World News | Priscilla-Yoga | Body Electric | Caillou | Boohbah | Barney-Friends | Dragon Tales | Lions | Sesame Street | Clifford-Red | Teletubbies | |
| WGN (13) | Chang-ing | Believer Voice | Celebrity Justice | Hillbilities | Hillbilities | Happy Days | Matlock | | In the Heat of the Night | Rockford Files | | |
| NICK (29) | Oddparents | Rocket Power | Rugrats | SpongeBob | Max & Ruby | Rubbadubbers | Dora the Explorer | Blue's Clues | Dora the Explorer | Blue's Clues | Little Bill | Maggie-Beast |
| FAM (30) | Digimon-Digital | Bey-blade | Power Rangers | Digimon-Digital | Growing Pains | Living the Life | The 700 Club | | 7th Heaven | Full House | Growing Pains | |
| USA (31) | Varied Programs | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TBS (37) | Saved by Bell | Saved by Bell | Movie | | | | Dawson's Creek | | Dawson's Creek | | Saved by Bell | Saved by Bell |
| TNT (38) | The Lost World | | The Pretender | | | Charmed | ER | | ER | | Judging Amy | |
| DSC (42) | Paid Program | Paid Program | Paid Program | Paid Program | Assignment Discovery | | Monster House | | Designer Guys | Designer Guys | Rally Round the House | |
| A&E (47) | New Explorers | | Movie | | | | Murder, She Wrote | | Murder, She Wrote | | City Confidential | |
| ESPN (49) | SportsCenter | | SportsCenter | | Sports-Center | Varied | SportsCenter | | SportsCenter | | Outside-Lines | Baseball Tonight |
| HBO (7) | Movie Cont'd | | Varied Programs | | | Movie | Varied Programs | | | | | |
| DISN (17) | JoJo's Circus | Stanley | The Wiggles | JoJo's Circus | The Wiggles | Stanley | Rolie Polie | Rolie Polie | Out of the Box | PB&J Otter | Koala Brothers | The Wiggles |
| MAX (21) | Movie | | Varied | Movie | Varied Programs | | | | | | | |

WEEKDAYS APRIL 27 - MAY 3

| | 12 PM | 12:30 | 1 PM | 1:30 | 2 PM | 2:30 | 3 PM | 3:30 | 4 PM | 4:30 | 5 PM | 5:30 | |
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| KLBY/ABC 4 6 | All My Children | | One Life to Live | | General Hospital | | Dr. Phil | | Judge Judy | Judge Judy | News | ABC Wild News | |
| KSNK/NBC 8 9 | News | Family Feud | Days of Our Lives | | Passions | | Inside Edition | Family Feud | Millionaire | Jeopardy! | News | NBC News | |
| KBSL/CBS 12 11 | News | Bold, Beautiful | As the World Turns | | Guiding Light | | The People's Court | | Oprah Winfrey | | News | CBS News | |
| K15CG 3 | Reading Rainbow | Mister Rogers | Varied Programs | | | George Shrinks | Beren Bears | Liberty's Kids | Cyberchase | Arthur | Zoom | Business | |
| WGN 13 | News | | In the Heat of the Night | | Street Smarts | Street Smarts | Cosby Show | Cosby Show | Fresh Prince | Fresh Prince | Home Improve. | Will & Grace | |
| NICK 29 | Max & Ruby | Dora the Explorer | Rugrats | Rugrats | Varied Programs | | | | SpongeBob! | Amanda | U-Pick | Hey Arnold! | |
| FAM 30 | Family Matters | Family Matters | Step by Step | Step by Step | So Little Time | Full House | 7th Heaven | | Switched! | Knock First | Full House | Full House | |
| USA 31 | Varied Programs | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TBS 37 | Cosby | Cosby Show | Cosby Show | Fresh Prince | Fresh Prince | Steve Harvey | Steve Harvey | Drew Carey | Drew Carey | Home Improve. | Home Improve. | Seinfeld | |
| TNT 38 | Law & Order | | NYPD Blue | | NYPD Blue | | Judging Amy | | Angel | | Charmed | | |
| DSC 42 | Surprise by Design | | Surprise by Design | | Rally Round the House | | Double Agents | | Varied Programs | | | | |
| A&E 47 | American Justice | | Movie | | | | Murder, She Wrote | | Murder, She Wrote | | City Confidential | | |
| ESPN 49 | Varied Programs | | | | | | | | Around the Horn | | Interruption | SportsCenter | |
| HBO 7 | Movie Cont'd | Varied Programs | | | | | | | | Movie | | Varied Programs | |
| DISN 17 | JoJo's Circus | Stanley | Winnie-Pooh | House of Mouse | House of Mouse | Recess | Lilo & Stitch | Recess | Kim Possible | Proud Family | Even Stevens | Sister, Sister | |
| MAX 21 | Movie Cont'd | | Varied | Movie | Varied Programs | | Movie | Varied Programs | | | | Movie | |

TUESDAY APRIL 27

| | 6 PM | 6:30 | 7 PM | 7:30 | 8 PM | 8:30 | 9 PM | 9:30 | 10 PM | 10:30 | 11 PM | 11:30 |
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| KLBY/ABC 4 (6) | (5:59) News | Ent. Tonight | 8 Simple Rules | I'm With Her (CC) | According to Jim | Less-Perfect | NYPD Blue | Traylor Trash (N) (PA) (CC) | News (CC) | Nightline (CC) | Jimmy Kimmel Live (N) (CC) | |
| KSNK/NBC 3 (9) | News | Wheel of Fortune | Friends (CC) | Frasier Boo! | Frasier Detour | Scrubs (N) (CC) | Law & Order: Special Victims | | News | The Tonight Show (N) (CC) | Late Night (N) | |
| KBSL/CBS 12 (11) | News (CC) | Friends (CC) | Navy NCIS Dead Man Talking (CC) | The Guardian Blood In, Blood Out (CC) | Judging Amy | Slade's Chophouse | | News (CC) | Late Show (N) (CC) | Late Late | | |
| K15CG (3) | The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer | Nova Lost Treasures of Tibet | Innovation Light Speed (CC) (DVS) | Now With Bill Moyers (CC) | | | World News | That's My Boy | Charlie Rose (N) (CC) | | | |
| WGN (13) | Will & Grace | Home Improve. | Movie: Honey, We Shrunk Ourselves ★★ (1997, Fantasy) | Fresh Prince | | | WGN News at Nine (CC) | Becker (CC) | Becker (CC) | Elimi-date (N) | The 5th Wheel | |
| NICK (29) | Rugrats (CC) | SpongeBob | Oddparents | Sabrina-Witch | Full House | Full House | Cosby Show | Cosby Show | Rose-anne | Rose-anne | Cosby Show | Cosby Show |
| FAM (30) | 7th Heaven | Paranoia (CC) | Movie: The Facts of Life: Reunion ★★ (2001, Comedy) Lisa Whelchel (CC) | Full House | Full House | Full House | Whose Line? (CC) | Whose Line? (CC) | The 700 Club (CC) | America's Funniest Home Videos (CC) | Law & Order: Special Victims | |
| USA (31) | Law & Order: Special Victims | | Movie: Spartacus ★★ (2004, Historical Drama) Spartacus leads a slave revolt against ancient Rome. Goran Visnjic, Alan Bates. (CC) | | | | MLB Baseball: Atlanta Braves at San Francisco Giants. SBC Game 4 -- Timberwolves at Nuggets | | | | | |
| TBS (37) | Sci-fic:Id (CC) | Friends (CC) | Movie: The Quick and the Dead ★★½ (1995, Western) (PA) Sharon Stone. (CC) | | | | | | | | | |
| TNT (38) | Law & Order: Encore (CC) (DVS) | | NBA Basketball: Eastern Conference First Round Game 4 -- Miami Heat at New Orleans Hornets. (Live) | | | | NBA Basketball: Western Conference First Round Game 4 -- Miami Heat at New Orleans Hornets. (Live) | | | | | |
| DSC (42) | The FBI Files: A Model Killer (CC) | | The FBI Files: High Stakes (CC) | | Animal Face-Off (N) | | MythBusters:rs (CC) | | The FBI Files: High Stakes (CC) | | Animal Face-Off | |
| A&E (47) | American Justice: Sinatra | | Biography Julianne Moore (CC) | | Cold Case: Files Soft Kill; Unsolved; The Zodiac Killer (CC) | | Third Watch Men (CC) | | Biography Julianne Moore (CC) | | | |
| ESPN (49) | Sports-Cntr | NHL Hockey: Conference Semifinal Game 3 -- Teams To Be Announced. (Live) (CC) | | | | | Baseball Tonight (Live) (CC) | | SportsCenter (Live) (CC) | Outside-Lines | Baseball Tonight | |
| HBO (7) | (4:15) Movie: Harry Potter-Chamber of Secrets | | Movie: The Crow: City of Angels ★½ (1996, Drama) (CC) | | Movie: STRIP SEARCH (2004, Drama) Glenn Close. (CC) | | | | The Sopranos Marco Polo (CC) | Chris Rock: Never Scared (CC) | | |
| DISN (17) | Sister, Sister | Lizzie McGuire | Movie: Jumping Ship ★★ (2001) Andy Lawrence. (CC) | | Kim Possible | | Sister, Sister | Boy Mts. World | Kim Possible | Proud Family | Even Stevens | Sister, Sister |
| MAX (21) | (5:30) Movie: Substitute 4 | | Movie: Biker Boyz (2003) A young man joins the world of illegal motorcycle racing. | | | | Movie: Malibu's Most Wanted ★★ (2003) Jamie Kennedy. | | Movie: Married to a Single Sex: Urban Adultery (2002) | | | |

WEDNESDAY APRIL 28

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| KLBY/ABC (4) (6) | (5:59) News | Ent. Tonight | My Wife and Kids | My Wife and Kids | The Bachelor (N) (CC) | | Extreme Make-over (N) (CC) | | News (CC) | Nightline (CC) | Jimmy Kimmel Live! Jeff Gordon. (CC) | |
| KSNK/NBC (8) (9) | News | Wheel of Fortune | Life's Funniest Moments (N) (CC) | The West Wing No Exit (N) (CC) | | | Law & Order: Gaijin (N) (CC) | | News | The Tonight Show (N) (CC) | Late Night | |
| KBSL/CBS (12) (11) | News (CC) | Friends (CC) | 60 Minutes II (CC) | King of Queens | Still Standing | | 48 Hours Investigate:s (CC) | | News (CC) | Late Show (N) (CC) | Late Late | |
| K15CG (3) | The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer | Mark Russell Comedy | | American Masters: Henry Luce and Time-Life's | | | Matisse- Picasso | | World News | Two's Cmpny | Charic Rose (N) (CC) | |
| WGN (13) | Will & Grace | Home Improve. | Movie: Overboard ★★½ (1987, Comedy) Goldie Hawn, Kurt Russell. (CC) | | | | WGN News at Nine (CC) | Becker (CC) | Becker (CC) | Elimi-date (N) | The 5th Wheel | |
| NICK (29) | Rugrats (CC) | Sponge Bob | Oddparents | Sabrina-Witch | Full House | Full House | Cosby Show | Cosby Show | Rose-anne | Rose-anne | Cosby Show | Cosby Show |
| FAM (30) | 7th Heaven (CC) | | Movie: Dennis the Menace: ★★ (1993, Comedy) Walter Matthau, Mason Gamble. | | | | Whose Line? (CC) | Whose Line? (CC) | The 700 Club (CC) | Home Videos | Home Videos | |
| USA (31) | JAG Fortunate Son (CC) (DVS) | | Law & Order: Special Victims | | Law & Order: Special Victims | | L.A. Dragnet Frame of Mind (N) (CC) | | Law & Order: Special Victims | | The Dead Zone: Descent (Part 1 of 2) | |
| TBS (37) | Sci-fic:Id (CC) | Friends (CC) | Sci-fic:Id The Stall (CC) | Sci-fic:Id The Stall (CC) | Movie: Snake Eyes ★½ (1998) A local cop must solve a high-profile assassination. | | | | Movie: Rocky III ★★ (1982) A merciless contender forces Rocky into a title match. | | | |
| TNT (38) | Law & Order After Shock | | NBA Basketball: Conference Playoffs -- Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (CC) | | | | NBA Basketball: Conference Playoffs -- Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (CC) | | | | | |
| DSC (42) | Justice Files Innocence Lost (CC) | | Miracle Hunters (N) | | JFK Conspiracy | | Seven Wonders Of... Automobiles | | Miracle Hunters | | JFK Conspiracy (CC) | |
| A&E (47) | American Justice Lipstick Killer (CC) | | Biography Friends (N) (CC) | | American Justice (N) (CC) | | City Confidential (CC) | | Third Watch Spring Forward Fall Back (CC) | | Biography Friends (CC) | |
| ESPN (49) | NHL Hockey: Conference Semifinal Game 4 -- Teams To Be Announced. (Live) (CC) | | | | | Baseball Tonight | | MLB Baseball: Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (CC) | | | | |
| HBO (7) | (5:30) Movie: Star Wars: Episode II -- Attack of the Clones ★★½ (2002) (CC) | | | | The Sopranos Marco Polo (CC) | | On the Record Denzel Washington. | | Deadwood Plague (CC) | | Movie: Head of State ★★ (2003) | |
| DISN (17) | Sister, Sister | Lizzie McGuire | Movie: Pixel Perfect (2004, Comedy) Ricky Ullman. (CC) | | Kim Possible | | Sister, Sister | Boy Mts. World. | Kim Possible | Proud Family | Even Stevens | Sister, Sister |
| MAX (21) | Movie: Eyes Wide Shut ★★ (1999, Drama) A doctor embarks on a sexual odyssey through New York. Tom Cruise. (CC) | | | | | | Movie: Confidn:nce ★★ (2003) Edward Burns. (CC) | | Movie: Auto Focus ★★½ (2002, Drama) Greg Kinnear. | | | |