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# Washington schemes dominate talk

#### By Sam Dieter

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Thomas County got an update on the state of affairs in Washington from our congressman Thursday, with voters grilling him on the issues they think have taken a wrong turn at the Capitol.

Colby Free Press constituents gathered in the Student morning, including state Sen. Ralph Os- taste very good." tmeyer, Mayor Gary Adrian and Police Chief Ron Alexander.

chicken, which the Interior Department of the public eye.

About 20 of Rep. Tim Huelskamp's listed as a threatened species in March. Union at Colby Community College that chicken," he joked. "I understand they

The bird is the first of 200 species, he said, which are being listed as threatened Huelskamp started his presentation as a result of a lawsuit by environmental with an update about the lesser prairie activists that the government settled out

Throughout his talk, Huelskamp and money. "I am not against the lesser prairie his constituents seemed to wonder what power Congress even had to fight bad law U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service would use the traditional way. Two-thirds of his time to enforce the prairie chicken regulations in Congress, he said, is spent trying to defeat unfavorable regulations.

> He offered the same solution to the prairie chicken problem he had for most unwanted regulations: pull the agency's See "WASHINGTON," Page 2

He said he hopes to take the money the away in the next budget cycle. Of course, that is assuming Speaker John Boehner and House Majority Leader Eric Can-







# Step out of class, into life



Hundreds of students left the Community Building as college graduates Friday evening (above) after Colby Community College held its graduation ceremony. President Stephen Vacik and several faculty members spoke, and other faculty received awards. An honorary degree was awarded posthumously to Lou Kersenbrock, a long-time employee. Her husband Bill and children Brad and Lesley accepted it. The graduates then marched on stage, recognized according to the degrees: associate of science or arts. and their certificates in different professions, which some of them chose to spell out on their mortarboards (below). Earlier in the day, the college had recognized nursing students at a pinning ceremony, also according to classes from the college's different campuses. The Colby class included Kayla Weber (top left), a Colby High graduate. Area high seniors who went to graduation ceremonies over the weekend included Heartland Christian School's small class. The seniors, (at left, from right) Kirsten Bandy, Brittany Bear, Amy Myers and Savanna Sullivant, walked down the aisle together. They thanked God and their family members and described their years at Heartland; most had been going to school together for years. The ceremony closed with a rendition of the popular song "NY2LA", by the graduates and their friends in the audience. Mark Gundlach (center) had his own solo in the song.

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## Patrol seeks help

The Kansas Highway Patrol is asking for help in the search for a car that struck and killed a Concordia woman walking on the west shoulder of U.S. 81 at Vale Road north of Concordia on May 3.

Troopers said debris at the scene suggests the car is a 1998-2002 Oldsmobile Intrigue or a 1997-2005 Buick Century or Regal.

The agency said troopers responded about 12:20 a.m. to a report of an injured woman on the west shoulder of U.S. 81 north of Concordia. The victim, Lisa McFarlane, 48, was rushed to Salina Regional Health Center, where she died.

If you have information, call the patrol at Troop C headquarters in Salina, (785) 827-3065.



Sarah Lamm

# One weekend, two diplomas

#### By Heather Alwin

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and Donna Lamm of Colby, tics and Space Administration, graduated from Colby Com- studying the makeup of planets. munity College on Friday with dual associate degrees in engi- at the college during the sumneering and political science. mer after her sophomore year of

from Colby High School.

The 18-year-old said she This weekend, Sarah Lamm plans to continue her education did something few area students at Kansas State University with have accomplished: she gradu- another dual degree in chemisated from college before gradu- try and geology. After college graduation, she hopes to work Sarah, daughter of Freddie with the National Aeronau-Lamm started taking classes

Then, on Sunday, she graduated high school and has been a full- 80 college credit hours already time student since she started her junior year, taking at least

12 credit hours per semester. She said she chose to attend the college so she could take more advanced classes than the high school could offer, including engineering physics, calculus and astronomy. She also wanted to take advantage of the tuition grant offered to Thomas County students until recently. Lamm graduated with over

completed and will be considered a junior this fall at K-State.

She said, to her knowledge, only one other student has graduated from the college before graduating at Colby High: her older sister Rachel, who graduated from University of Kansas Law School on Saturday.



## Area/State

## Weather



National Weather Service Tonight: Showers and thunderstorms likely, mainly between 10 p.m. and midnight. Some of the storms could be severe. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 57. East wind around 10 mph. Chance of precipitation is 70 percent.

Thursday: A 40 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms, mainly after 3 p.m. Some of the storms could be severe. Partly sunny, with a high near 82. Breezy; east wind 5 to 10 mph increasing to 15 to 20 mph in the afternoon. Winds could gust as high as 30 mph.

Thursday Night: Showers and thunderstorms likely between 7 p.m. and 3 a.m. Mostly cloudy; low around 56. Breezy; east wind 10 to 20 mph; gusts as high as 30 mph. Chance of precipitation is 60 percent.

Friday: Showers and thunderstorms likely after 1 p.m. Cloudy; high near 78. Northeast wind 5 to 15 mph. Chance of precipitation 60 percent.

Friday Night: Showers and thunderstorms likely, mainly before midnight. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 58. Chance of precipitation is 70 percent.

Saturday: A 40 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Partly sunny; high of 81.

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Sunday: A 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Partly sunny; high near 80.

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Memorial Day: A 40 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Partly sunny; high of 78.

Monday: High, 92; Low 56 Tuesday: High, 84; Low 54 Precip: Monday None Tuesday None Month: 0.53 inches 1.79 inches Year: Normal: 7.21 inches (K-State Experiment Station) Sunri Thursday 6:25 a.m. 8:57 p.m. Moon: waning, 37 percent (U.S. Naval Observatory) Colby Water Use Monday 2,497,000 gal. Tuesday 2,402,000 gal. (Colby Public Works)

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#### From "WASHINGTON," Page 1

tor let them debate the budget this year, he added.

On Monday, federal rules protecting the prairie chickens went into effect, much to the chagrin of farmers, ranchers and oil men in southwest Kansas and adjoining states. They now must conduct their operations so as to not disturb the birds' habitat.

Oil crews reported stopping their rigs for a time being so the companies could find the chicken nests and mating grounds and drive their vehicles around them. Steep fines and jail time await the driver that runs over a prairie chicken site, he said.

Huelskamp said he has his sights set on other regulations he thinks Kansans would be better off without. Recently, the Environmental Protection Agency has been planning to regulate non-navigable waterways, he said. The Clean Water Act of 1970 gave the agency authority only over streams, rivers and lakes which you could put a boat on, but the agency plans to take control over dry stream beds found in this part of the state, not to mention ponds and water storage tanks.

"Very specifically, Congress said you can't do that," Huelskamp said. "They're going to do it anyway.'

Other regulations would keep most kids from working on farms and forcing farmers to cut down on the dust kicked up from their vehicles. The agency would even force farmers to cut back on flatulence "emissions" from their cattle by 15 percent. The only way he could see farmers doing that,

Huelskamp said, is to cut the size of their in my way," Deibert said. herds.

"To me, at the end of the day, all we can do is cut their budget," the representative said.

He went on to describe his experiences on the Veteran's Affairs Committee, overseeing a department and a health-care system he feels has no accountability. One Veteran's Affairs employee was drinking and driving on the job and killed a co-worker who was in the car with him. That employee was fired, but rehired a week later, Huelskamp said. Even upper-level employees seem to be shuffled around to avoid accountability.

"Every time we have a hearing, they have a brand new undersecretary to come over and say 'we don't know," Huelskamp said.

Jim Deibert, who runs a custom combine crew that cuts wheat across the U.S., mainly with help from outside the country, showed up to the meeting with Robert Turkington. After coming here from England, Turkington is working for Deibert for what is now his third year, and has risen from being Deibert's employee to his partner. He now owns one of the combines the crew uses.

Deibert said he needs to hire foreign workers. For example, he said, just recently three Americans quit his crew without even telling him they would not show up to work. He said he has put ads in the paper for \$15-per-hour jobs with no response from the locals. But every year, when he tries to bring in foreign youths, he faces a new set of regulations he has to go through.

"They want to come, I want to hire them, but they're (the government) just standing

Huelskamp responded that he has tried to get bills on immigration law divided into separate parts, but to no avail. Congress has been working on wide-ranging bills to give amnesty to illegal immigrants, and the administration has released thousands of them from prison recently, including dangerous criminals.

"I think it's going to be a political football issue," he said.

Deibert pointed out that many American citizens do not have to work because they get Food Stamps. Huelskamp agreed with him and many others in the audience that Food Stamps should be more tightly regulated, at least enough to require the recipients to work for them.

Mike Schultz, the city superintendent of Brewster, asked Huelskamp what he has done to support the Country of Origin Labeling Act, which would require meat and other products to the labeled with the country they were produced in. Schultz said the World Trade Organization has been using the United States as a "dumping ground" for inferior products from other countries. He pointed out that meat from Brazil was recently found to be diseased.

"We've got bad policy, bad people in leadership," Schultz said. "This trade war is killing us.<sup>2</sup>

Huelskamp said that he had initially supported provisions in the 2008 Farm Bill to implement the act, but eventually decided he did not like the language, and decided not to support it.

## Briefly

The deadline for Briefly is noon the day before. Items submitted in the morning will be set up for the following day, space available. The deadline for Monday's paper is noon Friday.

#### Sen. Dole to speak next week in Colby

Former Sen. Bob Dole will be speaking from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. next Wednesday at Room 106 of the Colby Community College Student Union. For information, call Josh Faber at 460-6548.

#### Blood drive to be at Community Building

The American Red Cross is holding a blood drive from noon to 6 p.m. today and from 7:45 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Thursday at the Colby Community Building. Come give blood and snack on a ham sandwich. You can make an appointment online at www.redcrossblood.org or call 1-800-RED-CROSS.

#### Free sports physicals available Thursday

Students can get free physicals for summer and fall sports from 5 to 7 p.m. Thursday at Colby Medical Services, 1005 S. Range Ave. No appointment necessary. For information, call the clinic at 462-3332.

#### No trash pickup on Memorial Dav

The City of Colby Public Works Department will take the day off next Monday for Memorial Day. The Monday residential sanitation route will be picked up on Tuesday, May 27. Have your grass and trash tippers to the curb by 8 a.m. For questions, call Director Omar Weber at the department, 460 4420.

#### Berean church plans school for "agents"

The Berean Bible Fellowship is recruiting special agents for "Agency D3," a free Vacation Bible School from 6 to 8:30 p.m. Sunday through Thursday, June 1 to 5, at the church, 1000 S. Franklin. Kids from age 4 through seventh grade are eligible. For information or to register, go to www.colbyberean. com or call Tammy Higerd at 460-2763.

#### Food for Kids program needs support

For the fifth year, Genesis-Thomas County food bank will sponsor the Summer Food for Kids program. About 400 bags packed with ready-to-eat items will be needed. Drop donations of money, fruit or pudding cups, granola or cereal bars, fruit snacks, raisins, cracker packs and Pop Tarts off from 10 a.m. to noon and 1 to 4 p.m. at the Genesis office in the Thomas County Office Complex, 350 S. Range, or at your church. Checks can be mailed to Genesis at Box 214, Colby, Kan., 67701. For questions, call Leisa Hansen at 460-2710.

## College looks at dorm occupancy

#### By Heather Alwin

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Colby Community College's residence halls are an incomeproducing asset, and the college board wants to maximize occupancy. At their meeting Monday, trustees discussed ways to increase occupancy but did not make any decisions.

Trustee Linda Vaughn began the discussion by asking administrators whether the dorms were at full capacity this year.

Dr. George McNulty, vice president of student affairs, said they started in the 280-student range and ended with about 270. Full capacity is 326, he said, but that's if every single bed is used, and that is not always practical.

300 to 310 would be a more reasonable number to use as full capacity.

Vaughn said she wanted the school to look at ways to fill up the dorms to bring in more money. Some colleges require firstyear students to stay on campus, she noted.

Athletic Director Ryan Sturdy said his department strongly encourages student athletes to stay on campus, but some students and parents like the option to live off-campus and some may not come to the college without that flexibility.

Vaughn said she has heard international students complain that they do not know anyone here and don't know what is going on around the school. The students could make better con-President Stephen Vacik said nections, she said, if they are re- for increasing numbers in the

quired to live on campus.

to require on-campus living for this fall because it is too close to the start of the school year. He voiced concern that making all freshmen live on campus might not leave room for sophomores who would like to live in the dorms.

He said he would not want to require area students to live on campus but would not be opposed to such a rule for students who come from farther away. Whatever rule the school develops, he said, the trustees would have to stand behind their policy and not make exceptions.

Chairman Arlen Leiker said he was not in favor of forcing students to live on campus but thinks there are other options

dorms. For example, he said, Vacik said he did not want once the "double-decker" dorm is remodeled, the school could make it exclusive for students who earn a certain grade average.

Vacik mentioned that the school will need to look at remodeling the other dorms when that one is finished.

Requiring occupancy, Leiker said, would be difficult because the school would always be fighting about exceptions.

Vaughn again encouraged the board to consider maximizing the opportunity to bring in money with the school's existing assets.

Vacik said the group should start talking about this now so a rule can be put in place well before next fall.

Grant helps sheriff's office fingerprint

The Thomas County Sheriff's Office has said, nursing students, teachers and truck funds to assist local law enforcement agenwon a \$14,000 state grant to help buy better drivers all get fingerprinted by the sheriff's cies," Schmidt said. "Digital fingerprinting office when they get their licenses, as well will allow the sheriff's office to process carfinger-printing equipment. ry applicants in a more efficient manner." The department already has the equipas applicants for concealed carry permits. In announcing the grant, Schmidt's office ment, Undersheriff Marc Finley said. It re-Last year, the attorney general's licensplaced older digital equipment on which the said the money comes from a one-time sur- ing unit got 24,181 applications, the most in warranty was soon to expire. plus in money from concealed-carry license any one year since 2006 when the program The office uses it to fingerprint inmates at fees. started. The next highest number of license the jail, as well to print officers and others "Last year's record number of concealedapplications, 15,707, came in 2012.

for identification purposes. In fact, Finley

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Sing out the school year

#### Deaths

### James Austerman

Clayton, died Sunday, May 18, 2014, at his home.

He was born March 25, 1959, in Norton, the son of Reynold "Rex" and Caroline (Gasper) Austerman. He grew up on the family farm near New Almelo and attended Lenora High School and North Central Kansas Technical College in Beloit.

On July 29, 2003, he married Dellene Van Waning in New Almelo.

A member of the St. Joseph Catholic Church and the Knights of Columbus in New Almelo, he worked for Nex-Tech in Lenora.

His father preceded him in death.

Clayton; his mother, of Norton; Walk Foundation or in his name in two sons, Nicholas Austerman, care of Pauls Funeral Home, 121 Hoxie, and Miles Austerman, N. Penn, Oberlin, Kan., 67749. Lawrence; a stepson, Scott (Kim-

May 18, 2014, at his home.

served in the Air Force.

Selden.

He was born May 1, 1941, in

Rural High School in 1959, and

Following his military ser-

vice, he was a Kansas Highway

Patrol motor carrier inspector, a

Decatur County Sheriff's deputy

lived in Hays, Colby, McCracken

and Oberlin before returning to

James 'Jim' Austerman, 55, berly) Brown, Sklatook, Okla.; a stepdaughter, Kelly Brown (James Fawcett), Norton; a sister, Letha Austerman, San Diego; two stepsisters, Ruth (Dan) Greenwood, Waukesha, Wis., and Viola Hamilton, Lawrence; and seven step-grandchildren.

Services will be at 1 p.m. Friday, May 23, 2014, at the St. Joseph Catholic Church in New Almelo, with Father Vincent Thu the animal's strengths Laing officiating and burial in the church's cemetery.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Thursday and from 9 a.m. to service time Friday at the church's parish hall, with a vigil service at 8 p.m. Thursday.

The family suggests memorials Survivors include his wife, of to the Sheridan County Benefit

### Ronnie G. Cooper

Ronnie G. Cooper, 73, Selden, ald "Punk" Cooper. formerly of Colby, died Sunday,

Survivors include two sons, Rocky Cooper and Kevin Cooper (Lauren Willis), all of Oberlin; Selden, the son of John and Rosa two sisters, Norma Brainard, Denver, and Rose Ann Chance, Colby; (Zimmer) Cooper. He grew up in Selden, graduating from Selden and four grandchildren.

Services will be at 11 a.m. Thursday, May 22, 2014, at Pauls Funeral Home in Oberlin, with Pastor Deb Harvey officiating and burial in the Selden Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 8 a.m. to and a Selden police officer. He 8 p.m. today and from 8 a.m. to service time Thursday at the funeral home in Oberlin.

The family suggests memori-Preceding him in death were his als in his name in care of the fuparents and three brothers, John neral home, 121 N. Penn, Oberlin, Cooper, Hubert Cooper and Don- Kan., 67749.



show ring and whoever is near.

Dress appropriately. Always choose clothes that are neat and professional, but comfortable in the show ring. This tells the judge the exhibitor is in the ring to get the job done and present the animal to the best of its ability. Hats, caps and tattered and worn-out clothes have no place in the show ring; they can say the exhibitor does not care. An exhibitor that presents his or herself to the best of their ability that day will have the best chance to be successful.

Attitudes and emotions. A good showman should always be mentally prepared before entering the ring. If an exhibitor's animal begins to misbehave, the showman must stay composed and not become irritated. This will only make things worse, and can lead to a battle that cannot be won. A cool, calm, composed showman that has an uncooperative animal can still do well in a showmanship class.

Keep in mind that the livestock program is designed to be a tool and a learning experience for youth to become the leaders of tomorrow. Inexperienced or experienced showmen can benefit from learning everything possible about being a good showman in the ring.

Helping others succeed is a direct reflection of personal success, and many will look for help in others that have these qualities. Great showmen understand that there will only be one winner. Showman should always enter the ring to do the best job possible, and not get discouraged if not placed towards the top of the class.

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the Extension office, 460-4582.



Graduates

renditions of popular songs.

Area students are as follows:

of General Studies in history, Master of Accounting. minor in communication studies; Nicholas Howard, Bachelor of Science in architectural engineer-

Cory Alan Sager of Colby was a candidate for undergraduate graduation from Emporia State University during commencement exercises Saturday.

ence degree in mathematics.

candidates for undergraduate de- mencement/videos.html. grees.

Candidates for degrees from ing; Rachel Lamm, Juris Doctor; the University of Kansas this Rochelle Shoemaker, Doctor of spring include several from Colby Pharmacy; Torey Taylor, Bachelor and the surrounding area. Nearly of Science in business in finance.

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Oakley: Brandon Basgall, Bachelor of Science in aerospace engineering.

Hoxie: Carissa Heim, Juris Colby: Cole Finley, Bachelor Doctor; Katelin Neuenschwander,

KU's 142nd commencement was Sunday.

### **Emporia State University**

Seventh-grader Nicolette Stapp took the stage Thursday

during the middle school vocal concert at the Grade School

Auditorium. She was one of several soloists with their own

University of Kansas

Commencement speakers included Helen Van Etten of the Kansas Board of Regents. The commencement address was delivered by Ed O'Malley, president Sager earned a bachelor of sci- of the Kansas Leadership Center.

Video of commencement can be More than 600 students were found at www.emporia.edu/com-

**Brewster Prairie Gem 4-H Club** 

The regular monthly meeting of the Brewster Prairie Gem 4-H Club was May 13 at Hunter Hall. Acting President Layton Werth called the meeting to order.

Kayson Coullier led the flag salute. Roll call was answered by "Your favorite tongue twister" by 11 members and one guest. Brett Roulier, Madison Schroeder and Charley Barrett, song leaders, led the club in the ABC song.

Committee reports were given by Blayne Reid, Easter egg hunt co-chair and reunion committee member, and Kelly Palmgren, rabies clinic committee co-chair.

Parent leader Kathy Baird an-

summer calendars.

There was no new business. The program included a project talk by Dara Roulier on her welding project. Madison Schroeder gave a project talk on her bucket calf. A demonstration was given by Kelly Palmgren on how to finger knit a scarf. Emeline Hutton demonstrated the four shooting positions for BB gun.

Club members played the game back to back, led by Reid, and Werth hid eggs for a club egg hunt in the park.

Werth reminded members that the fair booth committee needs to begin planning; sewing meetings work on the historian book. The ing Vice-President Dara Roulier. The 4-H Pledge was led by Reid. Hosts were the Palmgren and Schroeder families.

## Top showmanship takes lots of practice

Showmanship may be the single most important quality of success in the show ring. A showman is in

the ring to present his or her animal to the judge and to show and disguise its weak-

nesses. Many times, show animals of poorer quality place higher just because they are being shown by an excellent showman who understands how to promote the animal

Focusing on showmanship skills will improve your chance for success in the show ring. Combining a high-quality showman and high-quality livestock makes a very competitive team in the ring.

Some kids have a natural talent for showing and some develop the skill by watching and practicing. Showmanship cannot be learned overnight and time must be spent at home with the animal to learn its strengths and weaknesses and to have it properly trained come fair time.

Showmanship classes should always be fun and exciting for exhibitors. If not, exhibitors' minds will be in a different place and things can go wrong.

Being in a showmanship class is an opportunity to do everything possible to make the animal look its best while being evaluated. An exceptional showman is aware of everything pertaining to the animal, the judge, other showmen and their animals and areas outside the ring.

Furthermore, the showman needs to be ready for anything to develop unexpectedly. Preparation and execution at the highest level every time you enter the ring will most likely make everything else fall into place.

Practice at home. As the exhibitor's animals begin to master the training, the showman should be mastering the training as well. Good practice at home can be to ask parents, siblings, and friends to act as "judges." This allows exhibitors and livestock to get accustomed to showing in front of a judge. This also allows animals to be handled or felt just like a judge would do. An exhibitor's animal should be comfortable around the

## nounced the Thomas County Fair theme and reported on the vari-theme and reported on the vari-

Kurt Sexton

ous camp registration deadlines approaching. She reminded club June program was read by actmembers that the 4-H meetings will start at 8 p.m. beginning in June. In unfinished business, the club delayed a vote on serving a family reunion meal until the next meeting when members have their

– Emeline Hutton, Reporter

## Medical administrators attend association conference

Scott Focke, Andra Allen and group on the latest federal health-Koleen Barrett from the Family Center for Health Care recently attended the Kansas Medical Group Management Association Conference in Wichita.

More than 130 managers from medical practices in the state participated in the conference.

representative, who updated the and university medical groups.

care laws and discussed issues affecting medical practice management. Dr. Paul White's presentation, "Five Languages of Appreciation," closed the conference.

The association is the state affiliate of Medical Group Management Association. Its members are The conference opened with administrators of clinics, group Allison Brennan, an association practices, and hospital affiliated

## Business research on display

ate Research Symposium, highlighting 15 research proposals and two completed projects.

The symposium represents the culmination of a semester-long effort by the students. Those who

The Kansas State University presented proposals will go on to College of Business Administra- complete their research over the tion recently held its Undergradu- course of their time as undergraduates

> Students presenting their research included Robert Schroeder, senior in marketing, Colby, "Creativity in Decision Making,'

## for ag in class award

ment agriculture into their nonvocational classroom have an opportunity to become the 2015 Janet Sims Memorial Teacher of the Year from Kansas Foundation for Agriculture in the Classroom or to receive a regional award from Kansas Farm Bureau Foundation for Agriculture.

Those organizations will select five regional winners to represent the Kansas Farm Bureau Excellence in Teaching Awards and an overall winner to represent the Janet Sims Teacher of the Year award.

The Janet Sims Memorial Teacher of the Year and the regional awards recognize Kansas teachers for efforts to incorporate agriculture into the classroom.

Any district certified Kansas teacher integrating agricultural concepts into a non-vocational classroom setting, kindergarten through high school, is encouraged to apply by Wednesday, June 18

The overall winner will be fully sponsored by *High Plains Journal* to attend the 2015 National Agriculture in the Classroom Conference in Louisville, Ky. If the winner can't attend the national

Kansas teachers who imple- conference, a \$250 gift certificate will be issued for the teacher to purchase agriculture education supplies for his or her classroom. The recipient will be honored at the 2015 Ag Day event.

The Excellence in Teaching Regional Awards will be an opportunity for more teachers to be recognized around the state.

Each of the five regional winners of the Farm Bureau Foundation regional awards will be recognized at the 2015 Ag Day festivities and will each be awarded a \$600 scholarship to apply toward attending the 2015 National Agriculture in the Classroom Conference in Louisville, Ky., or a \$200 gift certificate to purchase agriculture education supplies for the classroom.

Interested teachers are encouraged to view the guidelines and rules and application documents at www.ksagclassroom. org/. There is one application for all awards. Entries are judged on creativity and utilization of agricultural information, interdisciplinary approaches, advancement of educational standards and student impact. Applications must be postmarked by Wednesday, June 18.

### Washburn University

received a Juris Doctor degree at the spring commencement of Washburn University Saturday. The ceremonies was at Lee Arena, Petro Allied Health Center.

programs leading to certification, U.S. News and World Report. associate, bachelor, master, doctor

### Meadow Lake Bridge Club

for May 13 were: first, Elaine Pta- Koenig; fifth, Billie Keck; sixth, cek; second, Pat Erickson; third, Bob Renner.

### Corrections

The Colby Free Press wants to maintain an accurate record of our town. Please report any error or lack of clarity in a news story to us at 462-3963.

#### Markets

Quotes as of close of previous business day **Hi-Plains Co-op** \$7.43 Wheat (bushel) \$4.63 Corn (bushel) Milo (hundredweight) \$4.64 Soybeans (bushel) \$13.79

Christopher Rohr of Colby of nursing practice and juris doctor degrees through the College of Arts and Sciences and the schools of Applied Studies, Business, Law and Nursing. The University is consistently ranked as one of the Washburn offers more than 200 best colleges in the Midwest by

Meadow Lake Bridge winners Sarah Jane Barrett; fourth, Alvin

### Thank You

for your love, kindness, prayers, food, yardwork, phone calls and visits for Lyle with his surgery. It's nice to have great friends. Lyle Gillispie



Thank you is not nearly enough to express our gratitude to Dr. Dygert, Citizens Medical Center and its staff, family and friends during our loss of mom and dad. The care that

mom received while she was a patient was wonderful. The thoughtfulness of each one, not only caring for her physically, but trying to help her through the grieving and her loss of dad after 65 1/2 years of marriage. Thanks to all who sent food, cards, calls, and the ladies who served the dinner. We appreciate all the thoughts and prayers for our family during this extremely difficult time the last five weeks. Please know that without faith, family, and friends by our side, it would have been much harder to endure. Thanks again to each one, we are so thankful for all of you.

> Family of Duane and Jean Dawes Mike and Teresa Dawes and Family Rod and Terri Arnberger and Families

ongratulations

**Thomas County** Learning Center Graduate

**DEBRA KOEL** 



# Opinion



## Constant renewal keeps events fresh

If you want to create an event or program to serve your community, the first rule is that successful organizations thrive only when they constantly recruit new workers, members and volunteers.

It's true for an army, a business and most certainly for volunteer groups, from churches to civic organizations of all kinds.

If, however, you want to work real hard for a few years, do some good, then see your baby die, ignore this rule. Do everything yourselves. Don't worry about bringing in new people, because it'll take more time to teach them than it'll save.

A couple of examples from Oberlin come to mind. At the risk of hurting some feelings, because volunteers have worked well and hard on these tasks, we'll share them. It's because we've learned there is a way to avoid the situation where "everyone" is sick and tired of the job, and there's no one to take over.

The first came a few years ago, when the volunteers who had run the county Amusement Authority announced that they were tired and would all quit, leaving the Decatur County Home-owned Carnival without leadership or workers.

As it turned out, a couple of board members did stay on, and they helped guide new volunteers that winter and over the next summer. The first year was rough, since the people who know how to fix and run the rides had quit, but the new crew was tough and resilient. They learned, usually the hard way.

The county's carnival, the oldest in northwest Kansas, has survived and grown, but this crisis could have been averted by making sure to bring in a new person or two each year.

Today, the 10-year-old, highly successful High Plains Art-Fest faces a similar crisis. The organizers, members of the Oberlin Arts and Humanities Commission, say they are tired after 10 years of putting on the show and sale.

If another group will step forward, they say they'll share their knowledge, but otherwise, the ArtFest has seen its last exhibition.

That would be a shame. The founding volunteers, nearly all past retirement age now, have done an outstanding job. The event has grown and prospered, creating a market for area artists that didn't exist before and generating a little excitement at The Gateway each spring.

Perhaps others will step forward. Maybe the City Council can find some new members for the commission who will take the lead. That remains to be seen.

But one thing is for sure. It would have been easier to have a few new people coming on each year, teaching them the ropes a little at a time, so succession would not have to be painful.

Enduring organizations – churches, the Rotary and Lions clubs, many lodges, other successful civic groups, even city and county government boards - share one trait that less formally organized groups often lack. They rotate their leadership each year, building a cadre of experienced members without burning a few people out. They constantly recruit new members, at least the ones that make it, and they expect to replace a few now and then.

Most of these groups learned their lesson the same way everyone else has to: the hard way. But they did learn.



60 ATHEISTS IN SAN FRANCISCO WERE SQUISHED WHILE PROTESTING THE NEW GODZILLA FILM.

## Nicknames replace thoughtful monikers

It's hard enough to come up with good names for our children and pets. So, why do we immediately start calling them something else?

Our latest foray into naming are the two cats my sister-in-law gifted us. Well, she sorta spotted them at the shelter and talked us into them.

The first was a lovely flame-point Siamese that got caught up a tree in subfreezing weather for about three days. He had to be rescued with a bucket truck and lost about 3/4 of his tail, making him look like a strange-colored manx.

We thought about Bobcat or Lynx and finally settled on Larry after the lynx in the old Frontier Airline commercials - and on the tail of one of the company's airplanes. I added Longcat, because he will allow himself to be picked up and stretched out like a show cat and he's really, really long.

So Larry Longcat joined the family, then a young female flame-point ended up in the same shelter. My sister-in-law called and said she thought she might take her. Then she decided we should take her. We decided to stay with the theme, and named her Foxy after the only female in those Frontier commercials.

So after about a month of Larry and Foxy, Steve has given Larry a new nickname and is sure to stick. Larry has become Stubby. And he doesn't come to either name, any more than he responds to "No! Down!"

Call him Larry or Stubby, though, he seems siblings, I think.)



to always show up for dinner.

Foxy is mostly called Baby right now, probably because she's so much smaller and younger than Larry/Stubby. We once had a Siamese named Baby but hey, we liked that Baby and we like this one, too, so who cares? She likewise shows up for dinner and doesn't give a hoot what we call her.

If someone is scandalized that we would call our short-tailed cat Stubby, you should know that, when our children were little, we had a cat named Spazzo.

That wasn't a nickname. That's what my brother-in-law, the vet student, named a kitten with neurologic damage that he saved from being put to sleep. Spaz could do most anything other cats could do except run. His back and front halves didn't work together, and he would end up tumbling end over end.

When the vet graduated from K-State and moved to California, we got the cat with his odd name and even odder nickname. (We really should stop taking "gifts" from Steve's

I have to admit, we're just as bad about nicknames for our children.

While son Lacy seems to have mostly escaped the nickname fad, the girls are called by their given names only at work, and not always there, I'm told.

Oldest daughter is Felicia but when she became a ski instructor, her students couldn't say that. They called her Fish, and that just naturally migrated into Fisha. So for most of that last 40 years, Fish or Fisha she's been. (Oops, I let that cat out of the bag. Happy 40th, Fisha baby.)

For some reason, Lindsay has had more nicknames than the cats.

Somewhere along the line, her father started calling her Lindsay Lou, or Lindser Lou, or Lou, or Loodle Doodle, or Doodle Bug, and Lou (or Doodle) she remains to this day. She also used her initials for awhile in high school, and Lindsay Ellis Anne Haynes became Leah. Now, sometimes, she uses Leab, for Blake.

In the paper's graduation issue, her dad wrote "Congratulations Bean." I've no idea where that came from, but like Leah, it disappeared while Lou and Doodle have stuck around (for only a little less than 40 years).

Cynthia Haynes, co-owner and chief financial officer of Nor'West Newspapers, writes this column weekly. Her pets include cats, toads and a praying mantis. Contact her at c.haynes @ nwkansas.com

It's easy to say it can't be done, but if you create something and want it to be around after you're gone, it must be done. Let's hope it's not too late for the ArtFest, a wonderful program that fills a real need. - Steve Haynes

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## Education needs include language skills

If the last 50 years are anything to go by, predicting the skills that will be needed 10 years from now is a difficult task, so creating an education plan for the next 30 years or so must be nigh on impossible. But that's what education boards, government committees, and think tanks, amongst many others, are trying to do.

This helps to explain why many descriptions of "21st-century skills," which our schools are being asked to teach, sound vague - criticalthinking skills, higher-order thinking, and applying core knowledge, for example. However, there is one set of specific skills that will undoubtedly be valuable far into the foreseeable future - intercultural communication skills.

The ability to communicate effectively and empathetically across borders, be they international, social, or cultural, is already highly valued - the Great Schools Partnership lists "global and multicultural literacy" amongst its required 21st-century skills, and the Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development highlights the importance of "exhibiting positive interpersonal relationships that value multiple languages, cultures, and all persons." And as long as our thirst for faster and more vivid communication capabilities over greater distances continues, the demand for people with enhanced intercultural understanding will increase. But, how exactly are we going to meet this demand?

In an ideal scenario, every student would have the opportunity to benefit from duallanguage education starting in kindergarten or earlier, have access to a lightning-fast internet connection with which they could FaceTime and Skype with their peers worldwide, and spend their summers at international camps in preparation for the study abroad phase of communities from all corners of the globe.

## Other **Opinions**

#### Daniel Ward Language Magazine

their higher education, be it just a semester or a complete program.

Total immersion through a study-abroad program is the gold standard of intercultural education - a new report found that when asked to directly define the post-graduation value of study abroad, 90 percent of U.S. respondents and 88 percent of United Kingdom survey participants showed they connected this experience with attaining the edge they need to stand out when applying for jobs in the future.

But study abroad is still the privilege of the fortunate and will remain out of reach for most children, despite the launch of programs like 100,000 Strong in the Americas which aim to help open the experience up to minority and low-income students.

Although it will never compare to the experience of physically living and studying in another country, "virtual exchange" is now an economically viable way of helping students develop their intercultural communication skills, and it is receiving some government help. But it is our own natural resource of diversity that must be fully appreciated and utilized if we are to endow the majority of students with the capacity for cross-border comprehension.

Luckily, the U.S. has the asset of immigrant

Now, we need to fully recognize the benefit that this cosmopolitanism can bestow on the educational experience of all children by integrating minority language and culture classes into the mainstream curricula of our schools.

Reacting to local resources and incorporating them into the curriculum may fly in the face of the current obsession with standardization, but few can argue with the logic of making the most of what you have.

Daniel Ward is editor of Language Magazine, www.languagemagazine.com, in Los Angeles.

### Where to write, call

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State Sen. Ralph Ostmeyer, State Capitol Building, 300 SW 10th St., Room 136-E., Topeka, Kan. 66612, (785) 296-7399 Ralph.Ostmeyer@senate. ks.gov



Mallard Fillmore

Bruce Tinsley

## Mowing depends on grass

Ask anyone about their favorite smell associated with this time of year and chances are they'll say it's the smell of freshly-cut grass.

But just how much should you mow? It really depends on what sort of grass you have. While some warm-season grasses such as Bermuda and zoysia can be cut quite low (1.5 to 2 inches), buffalo grass and cool-season grasses such as tall fescue and Kentucky bluegrass should be cut higher, said Kansas State University horticulturist Ward Upham.

Bermuda and zoysia can be cut low because they creep rather than grow more upright, said Upham, who is the Horticulture Rapid Response coordinator with K-State Research and Extension. Actually, bermuda and zoysia can be cut lower than 1.5 inches if you have a reel-type mower.

"Tall fescue and Kentucky bluegrass will thin if it's mowed too short. They are upright growers and cutting short will cause the plant to shift energy from root growth to shoot growth. That can cause root systems to become shallow and weak," he said. "These weakened plants will often die out during the heat and drought of summer which means you'll have to overseed in the fall."

Upham recommends mowing heights based on the type of grass you're mowing.

- Tall fescue 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 inches • Kentucky bluegrass 2 to 3
- nches
- Buffalo grass 2 to 3 inches
- Bermuda grass 1 to 2 inches
- Zoysia grass 1 to 2 inches

### On the Beat

### **COLBY POLICE**

May 6 5:42 a.m. - Security check at Oasis.

7:48 a.m. – Caller reported semi blocking road at Country Club Dr. and Willow. Provided traffic control

10:23 a.m. - Caller reported vehicle hitting fire hydrant.

10:44 a.m. - Hit and run collision at Franklin and Pine.

1:50 p.m. - National Crime Information Center hit, recovered property: Apple Tablet stolen in October found by El Paso County, Colo.

5:13 p.m. – Welfare check. 6:49 p.m. - Collision at Wal-Mart.

Go fly a kite!

JUDY PARKER/Head Start

Head Start education program's family activity night brought Aiden Valencia and his grandma, Jennie Cersovsky, to the grade school playground to fly the kite Valencia got from Head Start. The parents, grandparents and kids put their kites together, then went outside to fly them.

## Safety video helps kids

who work around livestock is now to children each year. available at no cost.

and Extension and paid for by the U.S. Department of Agriculture. the K-State Research and Ex-The information is intended to in- tension bookstore (24 Umcrease safety for youth who raise berger Hall in Manhattan) or and show livestock competitively, can be ordered online at www. and the adults who guide them.

injury to youth, accounting for at Shipping costs will apply.

A video to help young people least one in five non-fatal injuries

More information about the vid-"Youth Livestock Safety" was eo is available at www.ksre.ksu. produced by K-State Research edu/bookstore/pubs/DVD582.pdf.

The video is available at ksre.ksu.edu/bookstore/Item. Livestock are a major source of aspx?catId=764&pubId=17619.

## Statewide association gives relief to fire fighters One of the most beneficial accolumn

tivities the Kansas Insurance Department is charged with is administering the statewide Firefighters Relief Association. It is truly an honor to directly help Kansans through the yearly distribution of the Firefighters Relief funds.

Once the money gets to the local Relief Association, it is used to purchase accident and health, disability, life insurance and annuities or pensions for local firefighters. Approximately 15,000 Kansas firefighters, both volunteer and salaried, receive benefits as a result of this funding. Each local association has a fair amount of leeway to do what they see fit to provide relief to its members from the day they are hired.

Not only does the funding help the firefighters, but it helps the families of firefighters who lose their lives in the performance of their duties, through death benefits and funeral expenses.

The money distributed to the 569 Kansas Firefighters Relief Associations comes from a two percent premium tax on fire and lightning insurance policies purchased throughout the state. The fund continues to grow, as the amount of fire and lightning insurance purchased in the state increases. In 2013, for example, a total of \$12.7 million was collected; in 2012 the amount was \$11.6 million.

Those Firefighters Relief Association premium tax funds are ulation and property valuation. collected by the insurance companies, then sent to the Insurance Department. The money is then distributed each summer to the qualifying relief associations. The



based on a formula that accounts for the population in the fire district and the property valuation there

The Firefighters Relief Fund Act was created by the Kansas Legislature in 1895, first as a reward for firefighting groups taking part in annual state tournaments of skill and efficiency. In 1909 the act was amended to provide pensions to member groups.

In later years money collected by the department has gone more toward paying for insurance and annuities for firefighters.

Of course, there are certain guidelines that each fire district must follow in order to be eligible for their annual distribution. Our department has a dedicated area, headed by Steve Lehwald, our firefighters relief administrator, that makes sure the guidelines are followed. Financial statements and verification documents are sent in to Lehwald for funding determination.

Each fire district has the ability to re-determine its eligibility for funds if there are changes to pop-That process was streamlined during the past few years. Also, rules are in place if fire districts disband or merge with other districts.

We keep firefighters aware of money each fire district receives is Firefighters Relief issues through

#### **Public Notice**

The Thomas County Landfill welcomes estimates to install a new metal roof and reposition oil drain area on Used Oil Storage Tank. Please submit estimates by May 23. Project needs to be completed this summer. For more information please stop by the Landfill or call 785-462-8139.

(Published in the Colby Free Press on May 9, 12, 14, 15, 16, 19, 21, 2014)

#### **Public Notice**

#### **Request for Bid**

The Thomas County Landfill is requesting bids on a new pickup. Bid specifications may be picked up at the Thomas County Clerks Ofice. Sealed bids will be opened Uhri Friday, May 30th at 10:15 a.m. during 222 the regular Thomas County Commission Oak meeting, 300 North Court Avenue Colby, (785 Ks. For more information, please call Larry Jumper 785-462-8139.

that Lehwald writes for the Firewire, the bimonthly publication of the Kansas State Firefighters Association. The information that he updates is also on our website, www.ksinsur-

ance.org. Lehwald also conducts training sessions during the year in many locations throughout Kansas.

As I said at the opening of this column, we at the department are honored to be able to assist firefighters and their families in providing benefits to them and their families. The heroic and, often, unnoticed work they do in each of our Kansas counties is a vital part of keeping our communities together.

#### **Public Notice**

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THOMAS COUNTY, KANSAS

In the Matter of the Estate of EDNA ALVENA HATCHER

(Petition Pursuant to K.S.A. Chapter 59)

Case. No. 14-PR-18

#### NOTICE OF HEARING AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are notified that on April 29, 2014 a Petition was filed in this Court by Kenton Krehbiel requesting that the "Last Will and Testament of Edna Alvena Hatcher," deceased, dated July 19, 2013, filed with the petition be admitted to probate and record; that Petitioner be appointed as executor, without bond; and that Petitioner be granted Letters Testamentary

You are required to file your written defenses to the Petition on or before June 2, 2014, at 9:00 a.m. in the District Court, in the City of Colby, Thomas County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail to file your written defenses, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the Petition

All creditors are notified to exhibit their demands against the Estate within the latter of four months from the date of first publication of notice under K.S.A. 59-2236 and amendments thereto, or if the identity of the creditor is known or reasonably ascertainable, 30 days after actual notice was given as provided by law, and if their demands are not thus exhibited, they shall be forever barred.

Kenton Krehbiel Petitioner

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Craig L. Uhrich	
Uhrich Law Firm P.A.	
222 Center Avenue	
Oakley Kansas 67748	
(785) 671-1237	
Attorney for Petitioner	

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May 7 Driving under the influence re- lice on S. Country Club Dr.

2:06 p.m. – Caller reported bike

3:58 p.m. – Accident.

hurt owl.

2:30 a.m. – Jon S. Strickland arrested on warrant in Sedgwick County.

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11:09 p.m. - Security check at tem in the 2500 block of County Rd. Q.

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Brewster School.

11:22 p.m. - Caller reported

THOMAS COUNTY SHERIFF

May 6

10:44 a.m. – Helped Highway Patrol at I-70 mile 49 eastbound. 10:23 a.m. - Helped Colby Po-2:39 p.m. - Civil forfeiture report filed.

10:06 p.m. - Caller reported fight. All OK, verbal.

9:28 a.m. – Caller reported theft of copper wire from irrigation sys-





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COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF KANSAS.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Plaintiff, v.

GRIGGS; BERNICE SKILES;

Trustees,

Administrators,

JPO

SKILES: GERALD GRIGGS:

JOAN GRIGGS (DECEASED); REBECCA

GRIGGS; EDWARD GRIGGS (DECEASED);

SHELLY LESTER; AMBER L. GRIGGS;

ANDREW L. GRIGGS and the Unknown

Heirs, Executors, Administrators, Devisees,

Assignees of such of the defendants as may

be deceased; the Unknown Spouses of the

defendants; the Unknown Stockholders,

Officers, Successors, Trustees, Creditors

and Assignees of such defendants

as are existing, dissolved or dormant

corporations; the Unknown Executors,

Creditors, Successors and Assignees of

such defendants as are or were partners

or in partnership; and the Unknown

Guardians, Conservators and Trustees of

such of the defendants as are minors or are

in any way under legal disability; and the

Unknown Heirs, Executors, Administrators,

Devisees, Legatees, Trustees, Creditors

and Assignees of any Person alleged to be

deceased and made defendants as such,

Defendants. Civil Case No. 13-4115-CM-

MARSHAL'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE By

virtue of an Order Of Sale Of Real Estate

issued out of the United States District

Court for the District of Kansas, at Topeka,

Kansas, in the above entitled case, I will, on Monday, the 9th day of June, 2014, at 11:00

o'clock A.M., at the front door of the Thomas

County Courthouse, Colby, Kansas, offer

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Devisees,

Legatees, Creditors, and

FRANK

WILLIAM

Trustees,

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#### **Public Notice**

for sale at public auction and sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all of the right, title and interest of Defendants abovenamed and to the following described real estate, located in Thomas County, Kansas, to-wit:\_East Half (E/2) of Lot Thirteen (13), All of Lot Fourteen (14), and the West Half (W/2) of Lot Fifteen (15), Block Thirteen (13), Gilmore & Larson's Addition to the City of Colby, Thomas County, Kansas. Payment must be in the form of Cash, Cashier's Check, Money Order or Certified Check made payable to the United States District Court and will be accepted as follows: Less than \$25,000 Entire amount due at conclusion of sale; \$25,000 - \$100,000 10% down with the remainder delivered to the United States Marshal's Service Office by close of the business day; More than \$100,000 10% down with the remainder delivered to the United States Marshal's Service Office within five (5) working days The contact person regarding inquiries about the above-property is Kent Colwell, United States Department of Agriculture, Rural Development, (785) 628-3081. Said real property is levied on as the property of Defendants above-named and will be sold without appraisal, subject to any unpaid real property taxes or special assessments and with a three (3) month right of redemption, pursuant to the provisions of K.S.A. § 60-2414, to satisfy said Order of Sale. United States Marshal's Office, Topeka, Kansas, this 24th day of April, 2014. CRAIG BEAM Acting United States Marshal District of Kansas /s/ Craig Beam

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#### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED REZONING IN THE CITY OF COLBY, KANSAS

#### TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You and each of you are hereby notified that the Colby/Thomas County Metropolitan Area Planning Commission will hold a Public Hearing in the Council Chambers of City Hall, 585 N. Franklin Avenue, Colby, Kansas, at 9:30 A.M. on Thursday, June 12, 2014, to hear a request for a zoning change from Edward G. and Kathryn Currier, Perry Lynn Stover, Michael J. and Cindy M. Hake, Steven E. and Marilyn L. Friesen, William D. and Deann K. Shields, and Travis L. Branum, owners, from PUD (Planned Unit Development District) to R-1 (Single Family Dwelling District) on property more particularly described as follows:

Tract 4, Tract 5, Tract 6, Tract 7, and Tract 8, Block Four (4) of the Lunsway Subdivision of the Copeland and VanPetten Addition to the City of Colby, Thomas County, Kansas.

According to Statutes, all property owners in a radius of 200 feet will be notified of this request.

/s/ Joni L. Ketchum, City Clerk (Published in the Colby Free Press on Wednesday, May 21, 2014)

(Published in the Colby Free Press on May 19, 21, 22, 23, 28, 29, 30, 2014)

#### **Public Notice**

#### IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THOMAS COUNTY, KANSAS

In the Matter of the Estate of CLINTON EARL GRIFFIN, Deceased

Case No. 2014-PR-19

#### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

#### THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED.

You are notified that on May 7, 2014, a Petition for Probate of Will and Issuance of Letters Testamentary" was filed in this Court by Bruce Earl Griffin, and Connie L. Towey, co-executors named in the "Last Will and Testament of Clinton Earl Griffin, deceased

All creditors of the decedent are notified to exhibit their demands against the Estate within the latter of four months from the date of first publication of notice under K.S.A. 59-2236 and amendments thereto, or if the identity of the creditor is known or reasonably ascertainable, 30 days after actual notice was given as provided by law, and if their demands are not thus exhibited. they shall be forever barred. Bruce Earl Griffin, Petitioner Connie L. Towey, Petitioner

FLIPSE LAW OFFICE Bruce Flipse #10897 385 North Chickamauga Avenue P.O. Box 606 Colby, Kansas 67701 (785) 460-3365 Office (785) 443-2330 Cell Attorney for Petitioners

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### **Public Notice**



May 21, 23 and 30, 2014)



#### **Public Notice**

#### NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to K.S.A. 8-1102, the following abandoned motor vehicles which have been impounded by the Thomas County Sheriffs Office. These vehicles will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder after July 2014 on Purple Wave Auction.

If a vehicle was previously titled by a state other than Kansas, or as a non-highway vehicle, a Motor Vehicle Identification Number Verification Form will also be required to obtain title of any vehicle purchased and will be the responsibility of the buyer to request the verification and pay the costs involved.

The Thomas County Sheriffs Office reserves the right to withdraw any or all of the described vehicles prior to the time of the sale. No implied warranty of condition shall be understood by such sales.

Owners, if any, have failed to claim impounded vehicles. The owners thereof may claim their vehicles and contents within ten days of the date of the second publication of this notice by paying the removal and storage charges incurred

All sales shall be made under conditions imposed by the auctioneer representing the Thomas County Sheriffs Office and all sales must be settled at the time of the sale. Titles will be transferred to buyers, if available, Requirements of the state regarding titles to abandoned or unclaimed vehicles will be met by furnishing an Affidavit of Sale and Proof of Publication

#### Vehicles to be sold:

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1998 GMC Sonoma Pickup VIN - 1GTCS19X8W8528912 Registered Owner - Andreas Flores Jr.

1996 Dodge Neon 4D VIN - 393ES47C1TT203574 **Registered Owner - Melvin Stein** 

1999 Subaru Forrester 4D VIN - JF1SF6555XH705330 Registered Owner - Cha Dona Billy

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## Heloise • Hints from Heloise Why cool off cooked meat?

Dear Heloise: In several recipes, it says to let the meat sit for 10 to 20 minutes before carving or serving. My question is: Before serving, are you supposed to once again put the meat back in the oven to warm up, or serve it at room temperature? — Linda S., via email

No, you do not put the meat back in the oven or on the grill after it has rested, because it stays warm during this time as long as you don't cut into it.

Cooking meat causes the juices to go toward the center. By resting the meat, you are letting the juices redistribute throughout the meat again. It's the juices that make the meat more tender and juicy when you eat it. Cutting into meat right after cooking causes all the juices to run out onto the plate, resulting in the meat being tougher when eating. — Heloise

SEND A GREAT HINT TO:

Heloise P.O. Box 795000 San Antonio, TX 78279-5000 Fax: 210-HELOISE Email: Heloise@Heloise.com

CLEAN HANDS

Dear Heloise: When I pack a lunch for my daughter to take to school each day, along with utensils, a napkin or paper towel, I include an individually wrapped, moist towelette. This way, I can be sure she has washed her hands before eating, because there is not always time for her to run to the bathroom. — Lauren H., via email

#### LEFTOVER SEAFOOD

Dear Heloise: I have always been afraid to take home leftovers from a seafood restaurant. And I won't save seafood dishes that I have cooked in my own home, either. Can you safely keep leftover fish and shellfish dishes, and if so, for how long? — Linda W. in New York

You sure can, Linda, so start taking home those leftovers for the next day! The U.S. Department of Agriculture states that fish and shellfish leftovers can be kept in the refrigerator for three to four days, or stored in the freezer for up to three months. As always, though, make sure the food smells good and not "fishy" before reheating and eating. — Heloise

#### EXTRA EGGS

Dear Heloise: When we buy a new carton of eggs, we usually have a few left from the old carton. We have tried to precariously balance them on top of the new carton, with predictable, messy results.

I finally had the idea of cutting an empty egg carton apart and saving a portion of the end that can securely hold our leftover eggs. There is no room in the space in the refrigerator door where the egg carton fits, but there is extra room in the butter drawer. We know to use any eggs stored here first, as they are older, and we haven't had any breakage yet. — Jason S. in Ohio

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**Bridge** • Steve Becker



"Which way am I s'posed to face when I'm looking forward?"

#### Conceptis Sudoku • Dave Green

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Difficulty Level ★★★

This is a logic-based number placement puzzle. The goal is to enter a number, 1-9, in each cell in which each row, column and 3x3 region must contain only one instance of each numeral. The solution to the last Sudoku puzzle is at right.

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#### The Delicate Art of Defense

In the same way as declarer can utilize information gleaned from the defenders' bidding, they in turn can profit from declarer's bidding. For example, take this case where South got to four spades as shown.

West's jack of hearts won the first trick, and East's A-Q the next two. East now had to try to figure out where a fourth trick might come from.

It did not take him long to conclude that South had to have the A-K of spades and ace of clubs for his opening bid. This in turn meant that declarer would inevitably come to 10 tricks with the aid of a trump finesse unless East could find a way to derail him.

The only hope East could see was the possibility of manufacturing a trump trick for the defense that did not exist naturally. So at trick four, he returned the nine of hearts, intentionally presenting declarer with a ruff-and-discard.

South had no real choice but to discard one of his clubs on the heart return, whereupon West contributed his share to the deadly defense by ruffing with the spade nine. Declarer overruffed with dummy's ten, but East now had a sure trump trick.

In practice, South cashed the A-K of spades, hoping to drop the queen, but had he chosen to lead the jack from dummy instead, East would have covered with the queen to make certain his eight would ultimately score the setting trick.

The deal demonstrates that a defender should never concede defeat without exhausting every conceivable possibility. East was somewhat lucky to find his partner with the nine of spades — assuming South and West each had two small cards in the suit, there was a 50-50 chance that West had the nine — but that's the kind of luck that accrues to good bridge players.

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FREE PRESS Sports

# Cowgirl catch ends Colby's season

### Eagle rally falls one run short By R.B. Headley

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If only Colby High's final fast drive had been equipped with a tiny steering wheel Tuesday night. Everything else appeared possible during a magical last-inning rally

Suddenly, a 5-1 deficit was 5-4 and Colby seemed destined to steal the 4A regional title from No. 1-seed Goodland Tuesday night.

"We tatered the ball," Colby coach Jeff Krzycki said.

The final "hot potato" sizzled off sophomore Elisa Zerr's bat as she brilliantly smoked a twostrike pitch.

While Eagle teammates donned "rally gloves" on their heads, Goodland might have enjoyed better luck fielding with hats. At least three of Colby's seventhinning hits bounced off Cowgirl infielders.

Yet senior third baseman Gabby Rangel didn't have time to think about this last shot. Her hot-corner instincts worked as shegrabbed this bases-loaded blast.

And just like that, Colby High's state tournament hopes were finished.

"We had chances to move runners along and didn't get it done. There were a lot of little things that cost us," Krzycki said about his team falling short 5-4. "But this is a resilient group who never gave up. There are a lot of disappointed girls right now, but we came a long ways.'

The senior-dominated Cowgirls (17-3 record) can get ready for a road trip to next week's 4A Division II state tourney at Pratt.

Meanwhile, Colby's young squad will try to build on a 15-7





R.B. HEADLEY/Colby Free Press Goodland senior third baseman Gabby Rangel still held the ball while leaping and celebrating her catch that secured a 4A regional championship.

ishes in both the region and Great West Activities Conference races.

"Honestly, I was thinking we'd be somewhere around .500 record-wise," Krzycki said. "We had a lot of holes to fill coming into this year."

It's still a tough finale for seniors Haileigh Shull, Andrea Barton, Tatym Rundel, Haley Mengel and Abby Friesen.

Mengel took over the pitcher's circle and threw three scoreless innings to keep Colby within striking range.

Shortstop Shull batted better than .400 all season as Colby's leadoff igniter. Sure enough, she walked and stole a base on her way to scoring the first Eagle run in Tuesday's title game.

Catcher Barton corraled every pitch for 14 innings (counting the 4-2 semifinal win over Hugoton) in warm starting-to-feel-like-sum-

focus to reach base safely during that crucial three-run, last-inning

Goodland infielders bumped and dropped junior Danielle Foster's

R.B. HEADLEY/Colby Free Press Colby High sophomore Elisa Zerr (right) ripped a two-strike pitch that could have tied or put the Eagles ahead in their final at-bat this season against Goodland Tuesday evening. However, third baseman Gabby Rangel made the catch and leaped into a Cowgirl celebration (above) of their regional

After one out, sophomore Kylee Martin reached safely on a Cowgirl bumble of her ground ball.

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Krzycki walked away. The Ea-

gles finished 15-7 this season.

Now it was time for junior Darby Sager to unleash her usual power. Sager slapped one back at pitcher Hope Cochran, but it was so fast that it bounced off Cochran while Foster motored home.

Martin reached third base, then also scored when a pickoff throw skipped past Rangel. Barton and junior Brooklyn Bange both reached safely to load the bases with Colby trailing 5-3.

Rundel had already ripped the only regional pitch she'd seen sophomore starter Tessa Krzycki and popped out.



injured her hand while swinging. No swings were needed this time as Rundel patiently drew a walk to force in Colby's fourth run of the contest. The bases were still loaded and Goodland now desperately needed two outs.

Unfortunately for Eagle fans, thown a few innings earlier. She strong-hitting sophomore Desi

Zerr who returned from breaking her finger less than two weeks ago — then ripped that 0-2pitch which just need to twist a few inches away from Rangel.

Game, comeback and season over for Colby.

"They (Goodland) made three phenomenal defensive plays in the stepped into the action because Schippers just got under a pitch game," Krzycki said. "Give them call, ground-rule double and Eacredit for that."



ROD HAXTON/Scott City Record Colby High runner Tate Carney dove back into the base safely during Tuesday's 4A regional baseball tourney at Scott City.

## Cowboys hang on to victory

Goodland 4-3 win eliminates Colby By R.B. Headley

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Oh no! Not here also?!

Unfortunately, Tuesday's theme of Goodland one-run regional elimination wins over Colby High started in Scott City.

Just like the softball girls a few hours later, Colby's baseball team rallied and put its game-tying run on base against Goodland during regional semifinal action.

And yes - just like softball the Cowboys were finally able to get that last out to secure a onerun victory.

Pitcher Kelbey Smith got hothitting Colby junior Caleb Mazanec out on a called third strike. Senior Luke Cox was left sranded with the tying run at third base in this 4-3 contest.

"I guess it was fitting to end this way because we had guys on base all game, but couldn't get the big hit," Colby coach Rick Williams said about his second-seeded Eagles (10-11 final record). "We had the right guys up in the right spots. We just couldn't seem to get anything to fall."

An early catcher's interference gles eror helped Goodland build its 3-0 lead. Also just like last year, the Eagles gained playoff revenge for two regular-season losses to Colby.

Senior Marc Bremenkamp dou-





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Colby High junior David Browne set this tee shot soaring during the recent Colby Invitational at Meadow Lake Golf Course. Browne will advance to next week's 4A state tournament.

## Brewster, Golden take second Triplains, 155'1".

Leading team scores and all 5:44.73. top six area placers from Friday's middle school meet in Goodland. Free Press sports page later this week.

#### **Eighth grade**

Top five teams: 1. Grinnell-Wheatland 108, 2. Brewster 73, 3. Damar 70, 4. Northern Val-34 points) and Triplains (11th, seven).

**100-dash:** 1. D. Thompson, Damar, 12.88; 2. A. Mercado, Brewster, 12.92; 5. Verlin Plummer, Triplains, 14.18. 200-dash: 1. D. Thompson, Damar, 26.21; Jacob Benham, Brewster, 26.26; 6. Austin Bear, Brewster, 28.74. 400-dash: 1. C. Ostmeyer,

800-relay: 1. Brewster, Western Kansas Liberty league 1:54.47 (Jacob Benham, Weston Schmidt, Austin Bear, Adrian ley 129, 2. Golden Plains 54, 3. Girls' results will appear on the Mercado); 2. Northern Valley, Logan 48, 4. Wheatland-Grinnell 2:04.42; 5. Golden Plains, 2:12.9 42, 5. Cheylin 34. Other area Dylan Spresser, Dylan Carter). **Split medley:** 1. Logan, 2:05.01; 4. Golden Plains, 2:11.1 (Dylan Golden Plains, 12.5; 2. Jess Spresser, Jacob Ritter, Colby Schertz, Triplains, 13.63. 100-hurley 67, 5. Logan 38. Other area Lathrop, Devin Carter); 6. Brew- dles: 1. R. Sides, Northern Valley, teams were Golden Plains (sixth, ster, 2:27.62 (Desmond Purvis, 18.28; 2. Jacob Ritter, Golden Jacson Clymer, Brett Roulier, Plains, 18.61; 6. Brett Roulier, Hunter House).

Shot put: 1. J. Showalter, Western Plains, 37'6"; 4. Jeron 26.81; 2. Jess Schertz, Triplains, Schutte, Golden Plains, 30'11"; 6. Austin Bear, Brewster, 28'9 1/2". High jump: 1. Ostmeyer, 5'6"; 2. Jacob Benham, Brewster, 5'2". Long jump: 1. Ostmeyer, 16'8 3/4"; 2. Adrian Mercado, Brews- ster, 6:12.99. 3200-run: 1. Illo, Grinnell-Wheatland, ter, 16'7 3/4"; 6. Jason Mackley, 12:37.82; 2. Austin Bear, Brews-1:04.49; 4. Devin Carter, Golden Triplains, 10'6 3/4". Triple jump: ter, 13:00.69. Plains, 1:08.08; 5. Verlin Plum- 1. Jess Schertz, Triplains, 33' mer, Triplains, 1:12.28. 800-run: 1/4"; 2. B. LeRoux, Logan, 31'6"; 1. Adrian Mercado, Brews- 3. Dylan Spresser, Golden Plains, Brewster, 24'5 1/2". Long jump: ter, 2:34.31; 2. J. Illo, Grinnell- 31'4 3/4". 35-pound weight 1.A.J. Camacho, Golden Plains, Wheatland, 2:35.47. 1600-run: 1. throw: 1. D. Thompson, Damar, 16'7 3/4"; 2. C. Brown, Logan, Jacob Benham, Brewster, 5:22.08; 205'10"; 4. Jeron Schutte, Golden 13'8"; 4. Weston Schmidt, Brew-2. Clayton Bange, Golden Plains, Plains, 162'; 5. Verlin Plummer, ster, 12'11".

#### By R.B. Headley

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Super clutch shots during his final nine regional holes will send Colby High junior David Browne on a well-earned first trip to next week's 4A state golf tournament.

Browne was struggling with a 47 through the first nine at Goodland on Monday – certainly not good enough to finish among those state-qualifying individuals.

"The chances looked very slim," Colby High coach Matt Sims confirmed. "However, David showed great mental toughness on the back nine, forgetting about his struggles to turn in a score of 40 on the back nine."

provement earned him a tie for 52-94), Ian Koerperich (48-48-

ninth place and a state tournament spot. A round of 88 was the statequalifying cutoff score.

Browne will travel to the Firekeeper Golf Course at Topeka on Tuesday to play against 4A's other best golfers.

"David started playing golf during his freshman year and has worked very hard to get to this point," Sims said. "We are excited for him and his achievement."

Meanwhile, Colby's varsity team took fifth overall (368) among the 10 competing. Only the top two at each regional advance their full lineups to state.

Sophomore Tanner Lee delivered Colby's next best score (44-47-91) that finished 14th overall.

Other Eagles competing were Browne's seven-stroke im- sophomore Bryce Arnberger (42-

96). Jaden Morrison (45-54-99) and Gage James (53-60-113) in their golf season finales.

Teams: 1. Goodland 320, 2. Larned 347, 3. Concordia 352, 4. Ulysses 357, 5. Colby 368, 6. Scott City 414, 7. Russell 430, 8. Pratt 445, 9. Nickerson 457, 10. Hugoton did not finish.

Top 10: 1. Gage Ihrig, Goodland, 70; 2. Colton Massey, Larned, 78; 3. Michael Reece, Larned, 80; 4. Austin Cantrell, Ulysses, 80; 5. Gannon Ihrig, Goodland, 81; 6. Dillon Gillming, Goodland, 83: 7. Christian Wetter. Concordia, 84; 8. Taitem Jones, Goodland, 86; 9. David Browne, Colby, 87; 10. Jake Epperson, Ulysses, 87.

bled and Mazanec singled to set up sophomore Austin Hart, who brought home Colby's first run while making it 3-1.

Sophomore Ben Matchell who delivered another three hits to cap his excellent season -later scored without needing the help of another Colby hit.

He singled, stole second, stole third and dashed home on an errant Cowboy fifth-inning pitch.

Yet the fourth inning featured both Ben and junior big brother Josh Matchell (who doubled) reaching base - only to both be stranded. Colby left two runners on base in its sixth inning as well.

Goodland went on to upset Hugoton, 4-3, for the regional title.

## Area golf tourneys close to teeing off

An Atwood Two-Lady Scramble will be played on Saturday, May 31, at the Atwood Country Club course.

Registration begins at 8 a.m. with opening tee time set for 9 a.m

can be reserved by calling (785) 626-9542 or e-mailing lovesgolf@ruraltel.net.

#### **Norton Scramble**

A Norton 3-Lady Scramble at the Prairie Dog Course is set for Saturday, June 7.

Registration starts at 8:30 a.m with fees being \$105 per team or \$35 a person. Mulligans will be included.

Besides 18 holes of golf, the tourney features cash flight prices and carts if needed. Lunch will follow play.

To register or receive information, contact Megan Walter at (785) 871-0965 or e-mailing meganw2@gmail.com. The Prairie Dog Clubhouse number is (785) 877-3643.

#### Meadow Lake tourneys

Just a reminder that the KSU Catbackers Tournament takes place on Thursday at Meadow Lake Golf Course in Colby. Reservations were due by Thursday, May 15.

A Men's Memoral Day Tourna-Entry fee is \$70 per team and ment is being planned for Sunday. Contact Meadow Lake at (785) 460-6443 for details.

There will also be a Seniors Tournament 2-Man Scramble on Thursday, May 29. Entry fee is \$30 per team.

#### **Recent league results**

Ladies' Night at Meadow Lake featured a 1-Lady Scramble on Tuesday, May 13. Audrey Hines took first followed by Wendy Weishaar and Susan Wark.

Men's Night played a 2-Man Blind Draw on Wednesday, May 14 with 30 participating and these results:

Flight one: 1. Otten/Harper, 2. Stomberg/Fabrizious, 3. K. Molstad/Yergey.

Flight two: 1. Blake/McLaughlin, 2. Strutt/S. Molstad, 3. Beedy/ Wade



Golden Plains High School Golden Plains seventhgrader A.J. Camacho ran to three Western Kansas Liberty League championships at Goodland on Friday. He won the 100, 200 and 400-meter races along with leaping to a long jump conference title.

## Seventh grade Top five teams: 1. Northern Val-

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100-dash: 1. A.J. Camacho, Brewster, 20.43. 200-dash: 1. A.J. Camacho, Golden Plains, 28.44; 400-dash: 1. A.J. Camacho, Golden Plains, 1:02.6; 2. J. Saenz, Northern Valley, 1:05.09. 1600-run: 1. L. Brown, Cheylin, 5:41.96; 6. Hunter House, Brew-

Shot put: 1. M. Daniels, Logan, 34'8 1/2"; 4. Hunter House,





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Colby High sophomore Kylee Martin dove back into third base safely while a pickoff throw eludes Goodland's Gabby Rangel in the 4A regional softball final at Goodland Tuesday evening. Martin regained her footing and raced home, but Colby fell short 5-4 to the rivals.

## Eagles knock out Hugoton

By R.B. Headley

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So cool perfectly describes how Colby High sophomore Kylee Martin "froze" Hugoton's best and final hitter Tuesday afternoon. Seeded third in this 4A regional softball tourney at Goodland, the Hugoton Eagles were one out from elimination when they suddenly ripped a pair of two-out hits. Senior Taryn Garza then brought the potential go-ahead run to bat against Martin, who knew her 4-2 lead could disappear with one swing

Martin and senior catcher Andrea Barton made sure Garza didn't swing.

"I let those two call the game when it comes to pitching," Colby High coach Jeff Kryzcki said. "And they called a change-up right there.'

Garza, also an all-league pitcher, was good at throwing changeups or a "drop ball" against Colby batters through most of Tuesday's game.

Yet she still wasn't quite ready for this final offering from Martin, and the called third ended Hugoton's season.



R.B. HEADLEY/Colby Free Press Juniors Brooklyn Bange (right) and Danielle Foster (34) were among all the Colby Eagles who exchanged high fives afte ra 4-2 regional semifinal win over Hugoton on Tuesday.

The second-seeded Colby Eagles (15-6 record) advanced into Tuesday night's region title game against No. 1 Goodland, while singled and stole a base for Colby, Hugoton suffered its second close loss to Colby in less than two

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Colby needed extra innings to edge Hugoton on May 8 at Colby.

"Defense is what wins championships, and that definitely made a difference today," Kryzcki said. Martin also struck out 10 to help secure his seventh win as a firstyear varsity starting pitcher.

Her single helped spark Colby's three-run first inning, which turned out to be just enough runs.

Senior Andrea Barton walked and then junior Brooklyn Bange was nipped in the foot by an inside pitch. Another wild one allowed Martin to make her way home. Moments later, sophomore Tessa Kryzcki singled and rove into another pair for a 3-0 advantage.

Colby had one rough defensive fourth inning where Hugoton plated both its runs. However, the Eagles regained their defense - including first baseman Darby Sager scooping two low throws for crucial outs. Sophomore Elisa Zerr made it 4-2 when she walked, stole second and scored when Hugoton dropped senior Haileigh Shull's pop fly.

Junior Courtney Reilley earlier but the Eagles didn't this opportunity into another run.

## Trojan baseball team puts six on all-Jayhawk team

selected from Colby Community College for this year's Kansas Jayhawk Community College All-Conference baseball team.

Opposing coaches vote for players, and Colby earned recognition after finishing fourth in the Jayhawk West division with a 17-15 record (29-24 overall). The Trojans swept a four-game series with Dodge City, took three of four from Seward County and achieved that same feat at Garden City to highlight their conference season.

Leading the Trojans were allconference second-team selections Grant Buchanan and Jorge Cruz.

Buchanan, batted a team-best 388 with 78 hits and 37 runs batted in while also anchoring Colby's infield defense at second base. The sophomore from Greeley, Colo., started all 53 games this season.

Cruz pitched five of Colby's 15



DENVER (AP) - Nolan Arenado thought for sure his liner to left field was gone.

Nope, hit off the top of the wall and bounced back onto the warning track.

Walkoff double. Walkoff homer. Doesn't really matter -- it was still a walkoff win for the Colorado Rockies.

Arenado hit a two-out, two-run double in the ninth inning, lifting the Rockies to a 5-4 win over the San Francisco Giants on Tuesday night. It's the second straight game the Rockies have won in walkoff fashion, with Justin Morneau hitting a two-run homer Sunday.

A pitcher, catcher, two infield- complete games this season and catcher Jeremy Stidham (.276, ers and two outfielders have been also saved four. No Trojan could three home runs, 10 doubles, 24 top the Stratton, Colo., sophomores excellent strikeout-to-walk nings.

> Another four Trojans earned all-Jayhawk Conference honorable District Region VI playoffs but mention: freshman outfielder David Nelson (.333 batting average, home series to Kansas City Kanthree triples, 27 RBIs), freshman sas College May 3-4.

> RBIs), sophomore shortstop Ryan Ihle (.397, team-high four homers, ratio, fanning 59 and allowing just 30 RBIs, 16 doubles) and sopho-14 free passes during his 67 in- more third baseman Nolan Carter (.301, 12 doubles, 28 RBIs).

Colby advanced into the Central lost a three-game season-ending





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