

weather report

44°
10 a.m.
Monday



Today

• Sunset, 5:12 p.m.

Saturday

• Sunrise, 6:50 a.m.

• Sunset, 5:13 p.m.

Middy Conditions

- Soil temperature 33 degrees
- Humidity 38 percent
- Sky sunny
- Winds west 3 mph
- Barometer 29.98 inches and falling
- Record High today 74° (1963)
- Record Low today -22° (1982)

Last 24 Hours*

High Sunday 52°
Low Sunday 17°
Precipitation none
This month none
Year to date 0.07
Below normal 0.07 inches

The Topside Forecast

Today: Sunny with a high near 55, winds out of the northwest at 5 to 10 mph switching to the south and a low around 26. Wednesday: Mostly sunny with a high near 59, winds out of the west at 10 to 15 mph switching to the north and a low around 25.

Extended Forecast

Thursday: Sunny with a high near 50 and a low around 28. Friday: Mostly sunny with a high near 53, winds breezy and a low around 33. Saturday: Partly sunny with a 20 percent chance of rain and snow, a high near 49 and a low around 23.

(National Weather Service)

Sheriff will not enforce new gun regs

Sherman County Sheriff Burton Pianalto is joining other sheriffs around the United States in saying he will not enforce federal regulations or executive orders that infringe on constitutional rights.

Pianalto issued a release Thursday, saying that he does not believe the recent incidents of gun violence should be used to advance gun control actions that infringe on the rights of law-abiding citizens.

"First of all, I believe we need to refer to all of these events by what they are," he said. "They are not school shootings or church shootings. They are massacres.

"The term shooter refers to individuals like me that legally shoot at targets or go hunting. These tragedies need to be called what they are, the massacres of unarmed innocent citizens."

Pianalto said he takes his oath to protect and serve the Constitution and Sherman County seriously.

"My oath to protect does not only pertain to the Second Amendment,

but all the Constitutional rights belonging to American citizens," he said. "Any federal regulation or executive order of the U.S. President offending the Constitutional rights of Sherman County citizens will not be enforced by my office. I will not permit the enforcement of any unconstitutional regulations or orders within the borders of Sherman County."

Pianalto said he welcomes dialogue on any public safety issues.

"With that said, I will not stand by and allow unconstitutional actions punish law abiding citizens when it will do little to reduce violent crimes," he said.

While gun control debates rage on in Washington and around the country, dozens of sheriffs in states including Colorado, California, Kentucky, Texas, Utah, Oregon, New Mexico, Minnesota, Missouri, Florida and West Virginia have publicly said they will not enforce gun control laws handed down by the federal government.

Postal Service to meet with Kanorado citizens

By Kevin Bottrell

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The U.S. Postal Service is planning another round public meetings, this time to discuss reducing the business hours at Sherman County's smaller post offices.

The Kanorado meeting will be held at 1 p.m. next Tuesday at the Kanorado Senior Citizen Center, 212 Main. Edson is also on the list of affected post offices, but a meeting date has not been scheduled. Both offices are currently open six hours a day. The service's proposal would reduce this to four.

The proposed hour reductions are the latest in a series of moves designed to combat the Postal Service's financial difficulties. First class mail is down 60 percent over the last six years, costing the service about \$16 billion. Over the past several years, the Postal Service has come up with several plans to try and reverse its fiscal problems, with the initial plan being to close more than 3,700 post offices nationwide, including Kanorado and Edson.

Brian Sperry, spokesperson for the Postal Service, said that when the service held community meetings in these towns, citizens said

they would rather keep their post offices at reduced hours than see them close.

"So we plan to realign hours," he said. "Two to six hours depending on workload at each office."

More than 13,000 post offices are being reviewed, he said. In addition to Kanorado and Edson, the list of post offices up for review includes: Bird City, Brewster, Gove, Grainfield, Grinnell, Herndon, Rexford, Selden, Weskan, Jennings, Lenora, McDonald and Winona.

Sperry said residents in these cities will get a survey where they can state their preference for one of four options: reduce the post office's hours; close the office completely and provide curbside delivery; contract with a local business to offer some postal services; or close the office and provide box service at a nearby post office.

The survey will be due two weeks before each meeting. At the public meetings, a local postal service manager will share the survey results and take questions and comments.

Sperry said unless more than 60

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The walls and display area at the Carnegie Arts Center are filled with art projects done by Goodland elementary students. Projects included different snowmen, elephants, zebras and bears with hearts. An elementary student showed off her work to her mother and siblings on Sunday afternoon.

Photos by Pat Schiefen/The Goodland Star-News

Arts center showcases kids

By Pat Schiefen

The Goodland Star-News

The Carnegie Arts Center was bursting at the seams as parents came to see the first and second graders of West Elementary School sing and move under the direction of Linda Lucas on Sunday afternoon. The youngsters helped open the annual elementary school art exhibit.

On display were snowmen done several ways, a story about an elephant, zebras, cardinals, sunflowers and many other projects. After singing many of the kids were especially eager to show their families their artwork.

The first grade sang "Uno Dos Tres," "Months of the Year," "Mail myself to You," "Who is on the Dollar Bill?" and "Skinnamarink." Members of the first grade class were L.J. Purvis, Evanie Conde, Manuel Gonzales, Hayden Arnold, Kiara Bohannon, Braden Bergsma, Kristina Dees, Ellie Goodwin, Jaxi Mitchek, Witton Peter, Haley Biermann, Kerrek Lockhart, Avery Aguilar, Grace Anderson, Vanessa Ayers, Hannah Coumerilh, Cole Linton, Briella Rubio, Taryn Shaw, Jaron Nothdurft, Aspen Knapp, Beau Warden, Natalie Salmans, Brayden Smith and Lily Porter.

Their teachers are Janice Pearson, Katie Fulwider, Kara Smith, Denise White, and Sandy Timm.

The second grade sang "Painted Rooster," "Best Friend Forever," "A Little Bit More of Love," "I Like my Feet" and "Yankee Doodle."

The members of the second grade are Makenna Hovis, Strid Loudon, Reagan Frandy, Jason Colby, Gentry Deeds, Damion



The West Elementary second graders and first graders provided the entertainment for the opening of the elementary art exhibit at the Carnegie Arts Center. The second graders sang five songs for the audience. The exhibit lasts until the end of February.

Taylor, John Coumerilh, Jordan Owens, Lexi Rubio, Sebastian Musgrave, Zoey Porter, Harrison Bhend, Lindsey Cure, Peyton Finley, Chism Goodwin, Josie Hill, Colin Showalter, Mya Nemechek, Claire Scheopner, Kari Snethen and Jerek Crow.

The teachers are Julie Dautel, Amy Cebula, Debbie Bantam, Cassandra Laughlin and Pat Pickett.

The elementary art exhibit will run until the end of January.

Snoball royalty crowned



Last years Snoball Queen Cassie Battistoni crowned Lacie Cowan as this year's Snoball Queen between the girls and boys basketball games on Friday night against Holcomb at the Max Jones Fieldhouse. The king was Gage Owens. The first attendants were Courtney Cowan and Cody Gorostiza and the second attendants were Carly McCracken and Tanner Jones. The queen and king are voted on by the student body. Also running were Jeff House, Jed Gray and Sheldon Nelson, Rachel Hageman, Chantel Coates and Trace Waugh.

Photo by Kevin Bottrell/The Goodland Star-News

Scholars Bowl team places at regionals

The Goodland High School Scholars Bowl team came in fourth at the Class 4A Regional Competition on Thursday in Abilene.

In the preliminaries, Goodland went 4-2. The team beat Colby 20-5, Wamego 80-20, McPherson 60-40 and Clay Center 60-10, but lost to Hesston 40-30 and Buhler 60-30. This landed them in

third place from Pool A going into the finals. In the finals, Goodland beat Rock Creek 50-30 and Buhler 50-35, but lost to Concordia 50-40, Lindsborg-Smoky Valley 70-15 and Hesston 50-30 to take fourth place.

Hesston came in first; Concordia, second; and Lindsborg-Smoky Valley, third.

Foundation preps for event

The Northwest Kansas Technical College Endowment will hold its annual fund raiser at 4:30 p.m. Saturday, March 2, at the Goodland Elks Lodge. The event will start with a social hour and will include dinner, dancing and live and silent auctions.

Tickets are \$25 and can be bought at <http://www.nwkte.edu/endowment>. VIP tickets are also available.

For information, call Tiffini Unger at 890-1517.

local markets

10 a.m.

- Wheat — \$7.59 bushel
- Posted county price — \$7.71
- Corn — \$7.42 bushel
- Posted county price — \$7.45
- Milo — \$6.97 bushel
- Soybeans — \$14.17 bushel
- Posted county price — \$14.33
- Millet — no bid
- Sunflowers
- Oil current crop — \$23.95 cwt.
- Confection — no bid
- Pinto beans — \$28

(Markets by Scouler Grain, Sun Opta, Frontier Ag and 21st Century Bean. These may not be closing figures.)

inside today

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Wrestlers beat Atwood

The Goodland High School wrestling team beat Rawlins County High School at home on Thursday.

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genesis and salvation army

Genesis and Salvation Army are available year round to help those in need. Please call 785-890-2299 to speak to a volunteer.

activities

Tours of the 1907 Victorian House at 202 W. 13th are from 1 to 5 p.m. **Wednesday through Monday.** Closed on Tuesday.

The High Plains Museum, 1717 Cherry Ave., is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. **Monday, Wednesday through Saturday and from 1 to 5 p.m. Sunday.** Closed Tuesdays.

The Carnegie Arts Center is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. **Tuesday through Saturday, 1 to 4 p.m. on Sunday and 1 to 6 p.m. on Monday** at 120 W. 12th. The center is always in need of hosts and hostesses on Sundays. New monthly exhibits and you are invited to visit the gift shop.

The Goodland Public Library is open from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. **Monday through Thursday and from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday.** For information call (785) 899-5461 or stop by the library.

Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Sherman County is seeking mentors and children to mentor. Call 890-3665.

The Good Sam Family Support Council meets at 7 p.m. the second Thursday of every month at the Goodland Elks Lodge. Meetings are open to all interested people. For information call 890-3117 or 890-5936.

Breast Cancer Support Group meets at 5:30 p.m. the second Monday of the month. Any woman with cancer is welcome. Call Norma at 890-6629 for more information.

The Goodland Activities Center has the daily activities. For information call 890-7242. Memberships options for everyone including day passes for \$5. Visit goodland-gac.com or stop by 808 Main.

Aerobics with Tena Thompkins at 5:30 a.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Fridays. **Aerobics** with Lisa Malsom at 5:30 p.m. on Monday and Wednesday. **High Impact Workouts** with Grady Bonsall at 5:30 a.m. on Tuesday and Thursday. **Taekwondo** with Wayne Luckert on Tuesday at 5 to 5:30 p.m. Tigers,

the calendar

calendar

Jodie Tubbs of the **Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs** will be in Goodland from **1 to 2:15 p.m. Thursday** in the Assembly Room on the third floor of the courthouse to help veterans and dependents with claims. Call the office in Colby any Monday, Wednesday or Friday at (785) 462-3572.

A discussion on the book "The House of the Spirits" by Isabel Allende will be at **6:30 p.m. on Thursday** at the Goodland Public Library, 812 Broadway. For information call (785) 899-5461 or gpl@goodlandlibrary.org.

A video recording of 2010 Goodland High School graduate **Ben Waugh's senior performance "c3"** will be at **1:30 p.m. on Sunday, Feb. 24**, at the Sherman Theatre, 1203 Main.

Prairie Land Food sign up will be until Monday. Distribution is 1 to 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 23, at Cat's TnT, 1018 Main, or at the Bernadine Johnson residence, located at 704 Walnut. For information call 899-2338, 821-1275, 890-2287, 821-1827 or 899-4278 or order online at www.prairielandfood.com. The Prairie Pak will have fish sticks, breaded chicken tenders, lean ground beef, hickory smoked bacon, chicken breast fillet, seasonal fresh fruits and vegetables. The specials are chicken breast fritters, the griller

with four sirloin steak, four boneless pork chops, chicken breast filets and ground beef, Hillshire Farms pulled pork sandwiches and supertime entrees.

AARP Tax-Aide counseling, preparation, e-filing and teaching service will help you file your 2012 Tax Return through April 15. Call (785) 890-2287 or (785) 821-1827 to make an appointment.

Tuesday Flicks are at **1:30 p.m.** at the **Goodland Public Library**, 812 Broadway. Call the library for the title of the movie at 899-5461.

senior menu

Today: Hamburger patti with onion, tomato and pickle, potato salad, bun and blueberry crisp. **Wednesday:** Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, corn, bread and rosy pears. **Thursday:** Liver and onions, green bean casserole, citrus slices, bread and cook's choice complement. **Friday:** Meatloaf, parsleyed potatoes, mixed vegetables, bread and peaches.

school menu

Today: Breakfast - baked French toast strips with syrup and strawberries and bananas and milk. Lunch - chicken wrap with lettuce and tomato, Spanish rice, steamed carrots, tropical fruit and milk. **Wednesday:** Breakfast - western omelet quesadilla with salsa, potato rounds, fresh pear and milk. Lunch - spaghetti with meat

sauce, spinach salad, seasoned peas, garlic bread, fresh grapes and milk. **Thursday:** Breakfast - scrumptious coffeecake, sunrise smoothie, graham crackers and milk. Lunch - taco salad, whole grain corn chips with salsa, refried beans, cinnamon puff, pineapple tidbits and milk. **Friday:** Breakfast - biscuit and gravy, apricots, fruit juice and milk. Lunch - chicken and noodles, mashed potatoes, green beans, whole wheat roll, orange wedges and milk.

school calendar

Today: Gold day. 3:30 p.m. boys junior high basketball A/B at Oakley. 3:45 p.m. junior varsity and c team basketball at Scott City. 5:30 p.m. varsity basketball at Scott City. **Wednesday:** Black day. 7:30 a.m. professional learning community. 3:45 p.m. professional development committee meeting. Family, Career and Community Leaders of America district elections in Norton. **Thursday:** 3 p.m. boys seventh grade basketball A/B at Scott City. 3:30 p.m. boys eighth grade basketball A/B against Scott City at Max Jones Fieldhouse. 5:30 p.m. varsity and junior varsity wrestling at Scott City. **Friday:** 3:45 junior varsity and c team basketball against Ulysses at Max Jones. 5:30 varsity basketball against Ulysses at Max Jones Fieldhouse. 5:30 varsity and junior varsity wrestling at Norton.

5:30 to 7 Karate Kids and 5:30 to 7 p.m. adult. Wednesdays 5 to 5:30 p.m. Tigers, 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Karate Kids and 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. adults.

Weight Watchers meets at **5:30 p.m. for weigh in** and 6 p.m. for the meeting every **Tuesday** at the Harvest Evangelical Free Church, 521 E. Hwy. 24. For information call (785) 890-6423.

Goodland Alcoholics Anonymous, 1013 Center. If you drink alcohol, that's your business. If you want to stop, we can help. Call 821-3826 pr 728-7491.

Goodland AI-Anon Family

Group meets at 6 p.m. on Fridays at First Christian Church, 711 Arcade. For information call Alice or Marilyn at 890-5914 or 821-2862.

The Incognito Group, If alcohol has made your life unmanageable. Our group meets at 7 p.m. on Tuesday and Friday at the First Christian Church, 711 Arcade, Goodland West entrance. Talking about it is the first step. (785) 728-7022 and (785) 501-8282.

The "Freedom Today" group of **Narcotics Anonymous** meets at **8 p.m. Tuesdays, 8 p.m. Fridays and 8 p.m. on Sundays** at 1013 Center.

Call 890-8369.

Bird City Alcoholics Anonymous group meets at **6:30 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Fridays** at the Senior Center on 4th Street. **Narcotics Anonymous** meets at **6:30 (Mountain Time) on Tuesdays** at the Senior Center. Call (785) 734-2734 for more information.

Stratton "AA by the Book" Alcoholics Anonymous group meets at **7 p.m. Thursdays** for a beginners open meeting. Filies and young people welcome. Call (719) 348-5398 for men and (719) 346-8553 for women. On U.S. Highway 24 go

to Statton and it is the second house on the left, 513 Iola Street.

Fibromyalgia and Chronic Myofascial Pain Support Group meets from **6:30 to 8:30 p.m. the third Wednesday** of every month in the Emergency Medical Services building, 257 15th St., in Burlington. Call Debbie at 719-346-4612.

area events

Prairie Museum of Art and History, 1905 S. Franklin. Colby is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Central Time Tuesday through Friday and 1 to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. On exhibit during the month of October is a selection of works from the art department at Colby Community College. The pieces in the show, created by art instructor Rebel Jay and her students from several art classes, utilize a variety of media including acrylics, chalk, clay, paper and found objects.

thrift store

The Goodland Churches Thrift Shop, 1002 Main, is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Monday through Friday. Donations welcome. For information call 890-2007.

health department

The Sherman County Health Department at 1622 Broadway is open from 8 a.m. to noon and 1 to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Blood pressures; infants', children's and adults' immunizations; health assessments for Kan Be Healthy, daycare and school entry; fasting blood sugar and hemoglobin; and family planning available by appointment. Sharps containers are available free. WIC program available. Call 890-4888 or go to www.sherman.kansas.com.

If you have questions, concerns or complaints about child care, call the health department.

Water Testing — The Northwest Local Environmental Protection Group does well evaluations, including testing for bacteria and nitrates. To schedule an evaluation or discuss environmental concerns, call the Health Department at 890-4888.

hospital volunteers

Gift shop hours are 9 a.m. to noon and 1 to 4 p.m.; a.m. and p.m. volunteers are in the gift shop. To-

day: none. **Wednesday:** a.m. Connie Soellner and p.m. Lana Ginn. **Thursday and Friday:** none.

early head start

Early Head Start is a state funded program for income eligible families with prenatal mothers and children up to age three. Families participate in a variety of educational activities and receive free medical and dental care.

Services include special needs of children with disabilities. If you have a family member with a special problem, such as drug or alcohol abuse, job loss or other family crisis, your family can qualify. Call 785-672-3125, ext. 187.

preschool

Sherman County Head Start is a free preschool for eligible 3 and 4 year olds. For information call 890-2552.



Elliott

Woman to be 85

Mary M. Elliott will celebrate her 85th birthday on Thursday, Feb. 7, 2013. The family has requested a card shower for her. Cards may be sent to her at the Good Samaritan Center, 208 W. Second Street, Room 418, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

obituaries

Marshall O. Hatfield

Marshall O. Hatfield, 78, former school bus driver and Grant Junior High custodian, died Jan. 30, 2013 at St. Anthony Hospital, Denver, where he had been a patient for the past two weeks.

He was born Jan. 27, 1935, to Silas and May Hatfield in Reed Point, Mont. He moved to Jackson, Wyo., at age 15, then to Wagner, S.D., where finished school.

Mr. Hatfield served in the U.S. Army 82nd Airborne from 1953 to 1955.

On June 30, 1956, he and Joan Shinkle were married in Jackson, Wyo.

He worked as a custodian for the Teton County Court House for 19 years. The couple moved to Goodland in 1993. He was also a carpenter and recycler.

Preceding him in death were his parents, a daughter Pamela Hatfield,

a brother Dean Hatfield and a sister, Mona Dey.

Survivors include his wife of the home; three sons, Alan Hatfield of Natoma, Zane Hatfield of Breerton, Wash. and Michael Hatfield of Goodland; a daughter Kelly (Steve) McIlroy of Goodland; 10 grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and three step-great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 6, 2013 at Bate-man Funeral Home, 211 E. 11th, Goodland with burial to follow in the Goodland Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 2 to 6 p.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 5, 2013 at the funeral home and before the service from 10 to noon on Wednesday, Feb. 6, 2013.

Memorials to designated by the family later may be sent to the funeral home.

A. Harold "Sparky" Nolan

A. Harold "Sparky" Nolan, 89, St. Francis, father of Susan Johnson of Goodland, died Monday, Jan. 28, 2013, in McCook, Neb.

He was born July 3, 1923, in McCook, Neb.

Preceding him in death were his parents and his first wife Charlotte (Couse) Nolan.

Survivors include his wife N. Eilene (Whitmore) Nolan; a son, Steve Nolan of St. Francis; five grandchildren and six great-grand-

children.

Services will be at 10 a.m. (Mountain Time) on Tuesday, Feb. 12, 2013, at the First Christ Church, 118 E. Webster, St. Francis with inurnment at St. Francis Cemetery.

There was no visitation as cremation was chosen.

Memorials to the church or Cheyenne County Hospital may be sent to Knodel Funeral Home, 202 S. Benton, St. Francis, Kan. 67756.

Mary Allene Bailey

Mary Allene Bailey, 81, Goodland homemaker, died Saturday, Feb. 2, 2013, at Deseret Care Center at Colby.

She was born on Oct. 27, 1931, to Ola Mae (Miller) and Clarence Stults. Mrs. Bailey attended schools at Goodland.

Walter Edward Pentico, Jr. and she were married and they lived the Goodland. Their children included Theresa, Veronica, Walter and John Robert Carter.

Later she and Lewis Leroy Bailey were married and they also lived in Goodland. Their children included Rhonda and Joyce.

Preceding her in death were her parents; her first and second husband; a son, Walter Pentico; a

sister, Clarice Mallory; a grandson, Levi Hayden; and a granddaughter, Christy Carter.

Survivors include her children, Theresa Pentico of Goodland, Veronica (Terry) Binder of Sterling, Colo., John Robert (Cindy) Carter of Daingerfield, Texas, Ronda (Bill) Hayden of Hays and Joyce (Jim) Howland of Corsicana, Texas; six grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

There will be a private graveside service at the Goodland Cemetery.

Memorials to the Deseret Nursing and Rehabilitation at Colby may be sent to Koons Funeral Home, 211 N. Main, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

James L. Davis

James L. Davis, 67, Carroll, Ill., 1963 graduate of Goodland High School, died Wednesday, Jan. 30, 2013, at Emeritus Assisted Living in Hoffman Estates, Ill.

He was born in September 1945 to George and Lucile (Myers) Davis.

After graduation his family returned to the DeMotte/Rensselaer, Ind., area where he attended Valpo Tech. After relocation to the Chicagoland area, he was drafted into the U.S. Army.

Mr. Davis was active in the SUDDS Rallye Team and Sports Car Club of America for many years.

Preceding him in death were his parents.

Survivors include his wife of 37 years Kay and two sons, Sean (Joyce) Davis and Christopher Davis.

Services were at 12:30 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Monday, Feb. 4, 2013, at the Jackson Funeral Chapel, 250 N. McKinley Ave., Rensselaer, Ind.

Visitation was from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Monday, Feb. 4, 2013 at the funeral chapel.

Memorials may be sent to the Humane Society of Carroll County, Box 93, Mt. Carroll, Ill 61053.



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CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT AT RISK

Unified School District 352 is seeking to obtain the services of Construction Management at Risk for an upcoming building project. Due to the complexity and phasing challenges of the project, the Board of Education of USD 352 has determined that Construction Management at Risk per "Alternative Project Delivery Building Construction Procurement Act" found in K.S.A. 19-216b et seq. will provide the best value for the project.

Public comment regarding the Construction Management at Risk project delivery system will be received at the regular Board meeting at 7 p.m. MT on February 25, 2013.

USD 352 patrons may contact Mr. Stewart Nelson with GMCN Architects, 620-276-3244 with questions or comments prior to this meeting.



Ed Schulte (second from left) shakes hands with President Gordon Pettibone of Black and Gold Booster Club after picking the bleacher fund for Max Jones Fieldhouse as the recipient of his Monsanto America's Farmers Grow Communities money. Also pictured are

Goodland Superintendent Bill Biermann (from left), Becky Schulte, the representative for Monsanto and Karen Gillihan for the Sherman County Community Foundation.

Photo by Pat Schiefen/The Goodland Star-News



Jeff Davidson and the Trail Rider Band

Band to sing, tell stories of West

A unique blend of songs, historical facts and pictures will be performed by Jeff Davidson and the Trail Rider Band at 2 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Sunday at the Quinter High School Auditorium. The group will revisit the history of the west and its influence on the shaping of the U.S. economy, ideology and heroism.

The west was host to early explorers who traversed through parched plains as they explored the vast Louisiana Purchase. It beckoned to the traders on the Santa Fe Trail and to pioneer on the Oregon Trail. The West did not escape the heartbreak

of the Civil War but the post Civil War cattle drives created the greatest American Hero - and the symbol of the west - the cowboy.

The group leads audiences through the history of the west, from the time of Coronado to the end of the 1800's. You will traverse the plains with early explorers, drive spikes on the first railways, plow new ground, ride for the Pony Express and stop a stampeding herd.

Admission is by Western Plains Arts Association season ticket or at the door, adults, \$20 and students kindergarten through 12, \$10.

Money donated for new bleachers

Goodland's Ed and Becky Schulte of Goodland have been selected as winners in America's Farmers Grow Communities, sponsored by the Monsanto Fund.

The money was given to the Sherman County Community Foundation at the halftime of the Goodland High School girls basketball game

on Friday night. Grow communities gives farmers the opportunity to win a \$2,500 donation to direct to their favorite local nonprofit organizations. To further support counties that have been declared disaster areas due to drought by the U.S. Department of Agriculture winning farmers in

these counties were able to direct double the donation for a total of \$5,000.

The Schulte's picked the bleacher project at Max Jones Fieldhouse for their donation. The money is being handled by the Sherman County Community Foundation for the project.

America's Farmers Grow Communities sponsored by the Monsanto Fund highlights the important contributions farmers make every day to our society and to help them positively impact their communities.

Governor wants better mental health services

Kansas Governor Sam Brownback announced recently an initiative to provide \$10 million in targeted funding to better provide mental health services to the state's most at-risk and challenging populations, as well as the creation of a panel of experts to re-evaluate Kansas' current mental health system and make recommendations for improvements.

Lt. Gov. Jeff Colyer, M.D., Aging and Disabilities Services Secretary Shawn Sullivan and Corrections Secretary Ray Roberts joined the governor for the plan's unveiling at Wyandot Center Community Behavioral HealthCare, Wyandotte County's community mental health center that serves the Kansas City area.

"Families with mentally ill loved ones face daily challenges the rest

of us can only imagine," Brownback said. "We chose to make our announcement at Wyandot Center because it is representative of Kansas 27 community mental health centers, which together form our state's critical mental health safety-net system." "These publicly funded community centers work tirelessly to provide accessible, affordable care to those affected. They bring hope to Kansans and their families. I am committed to strengthening this system and making it more effective," Brownback said.

The initiative will provide targeted funding to better serve Kansas most at-risk and challenging populations. Some mental health patients, despite having access to care, are resistant to treatment and refuse to engage with organizations that can help them. These individuals

often end up in crisis and experience repeat hospitalizations.

"This is an area in which our mental health system can be transformed," Colyer said. "This new initiative, like KanCare, will coordinate services around a person's specific needs. However, this program will target people who are not on Medicaid."

The governor's proposal would establish a collective regional system of services for the most challenging cases, including intensive case management, care coordination, parent- and peer- support services, crisis-stabilization services and other evidenced-based practices. It also would provide funding to all 27 community mental health clinics that demonstrate they are focusing on evidence-based programs that target at-risk and challenging

consumers.

"We expect this new initiative to result in increasing patient engagement and increase use of the resources that can support these individuals, regardless of where they live in Kansas," said Sullivan.

"I expect the new task force to perform a thorough evaluation of our current mental health system and make recommendations for improvements. Task force members will be experts in mental health, medicine and criminal justice," the governor said. "While many Kansans and their families currently live under the dark cloud of mental illness, my hope is that this new initiative will be the start of a brighter day."

All federal benefits to paid electronically soon

By James Feyerherm

Social Security District Manager in Hays

Beginning March 1, with few exceptions, all federal benefits, including Social Security and Supplemental Security Income benefits, are to be paid electronically. That's according to a rule from the U.S. Department of the Treasury.

For years, Social Security has stressed the convenience, security and safety of getting benefit payments electronically, offering peace of mind that your payment will arrive on time, even in the event of natural disasters or being away from home when the check is in the mail.

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The truth is, for most people getting monthly benefits, this isn't really a change at all. That's because more than nine out of 10 individuals who receive benefits from Social Security already receive payments electronically.

If you get your payments the old-fashioned way and electronic payments are new to you, here are some things you may want to know about your future payments. • Electronic payments are safer: there's no risk of checks being lost or stolen; • Electronic payments are easy and reliable: there's no need to wait for the mail or go to the bank to cash a check;

• Electronic payments are good for the environment: they save paper and eliminate transportation costs; and finally;

• Electronic payments save taxpayers money to the tune of \$120 million per year: there are no costs for postage, paper, and printing; and

• Electronic payments could save you money on check-cashing and bank fees.

Please visit www.GoDirect.org today to learn more about getting your Social Security and SSI payments the safe, easy, inexpensive and green way - electronically. And rest assured that on payment delivery day, you won't have to wait for your money; your money is already in the bank and ready for you to use.

Nominations wanted for fuel

In every community there are people who go above and beyond to make the places we live just a little bit better. The parent who organizes the school fundraiser, the neighbor who shovels an elderly person's driveway or the friend that is always ready to lend a helping hand. These simple acts of kindness do not go unnoticed or unappreciated.

Last year, the Cenex Tanks of Thanks program rewarded nearly \$132,000 in free fuel to more than 2,600 people as a thank you for contributions to the community.

The month kicks off the second year of the Tanks of Thanks programs, which encourages people to visit tanksofthanks.com and nominate someone they know who is doing good deeds for his or

her community. Each month, 100 nominated people are randomly selected receive a \$50 Tanks of Thanks gift card redeemable at any Cenex retail location.

In 2012, the program rewarded 253 individuals in Kansas with free fuel for their community contributions. The hope is to recognize even more people from Kansas in 2013 and encourage your readers to nominate people within their community.

"Nominating someone for Tanks of Thanks is easy, and anyone can nominate or be nominated for any act of kindness - big or small," says Akhtary Hussain, CHS refined fuels brand marketing manager. "There is no limit to the number of people you can nominate."

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from our viewpoint...

Clinton leaves post in a strong position

Testifying before Congress last week, outgoing Secretary of State Hillary Clinton showed she's mastered the artful lie. Asked once again what happened at the consulate in Benghazi, Libya, the night of Sept. 11 when U.S. Ambassador Chris Stevens and three other Americans died in a terrorist attack that apparently took her State Department by surprise, she exploded into indignation.

"With all due respect, the fact is we had four dead Americans," Clinton responded, raising her voice at Sen. Ron Johnson (R-Wis.), who continued to interrupt her. "Was it because of a protest or was it because of guys out for a walk last night who decided to kill some Americans? What difference at this point does it make? It is our job to figure out what happened and do everything we can to prevent it from ever happening again, senator."

Guys out for a walk who decided to kill some Americans? Armed with the firepower to storm a U.S. consulate in a hostile environment, kill the ambassador and his guards? And how did they know where the ambassador was, anyway?

Let's get real, Madam Secretary.

Or should we say, Madam President?

For there's little doubt that Ms. Clinton is quitting the State Department now so she'll have plenty of time to get ready for the 2016 presidential race. Flying around the world for another couple of years might be fun, but presidential campaigns are not built in a day. And she must be presumed to be the front runner, well ahead of plodding old Joe Biden.

The secretary managed to be indignant enough, almost, to make herself look like the injured party in this sparring match. On the defensive herself for months, she tried to put her questioner on the defensive.

But she merely continued the administration line, which has been all along an effort to minimize the attack and make it look like less than it was.

The White House co-ordinated the story that night and the next day that the deaths resulted from a protest against an anti-Muslim video made by an American and posted on the Internet. Such a protest tied up the street of Cairo that same day.

But it was apparent from news reports that night, no matter the source, that the incident had in fact resulted from a planned attack by trained terrorists who had in mind the death of an ambassador and their friends blamed for the deaths of many of their ilk. And on the anniversary of the Sept. 11 attacks in the U.S.

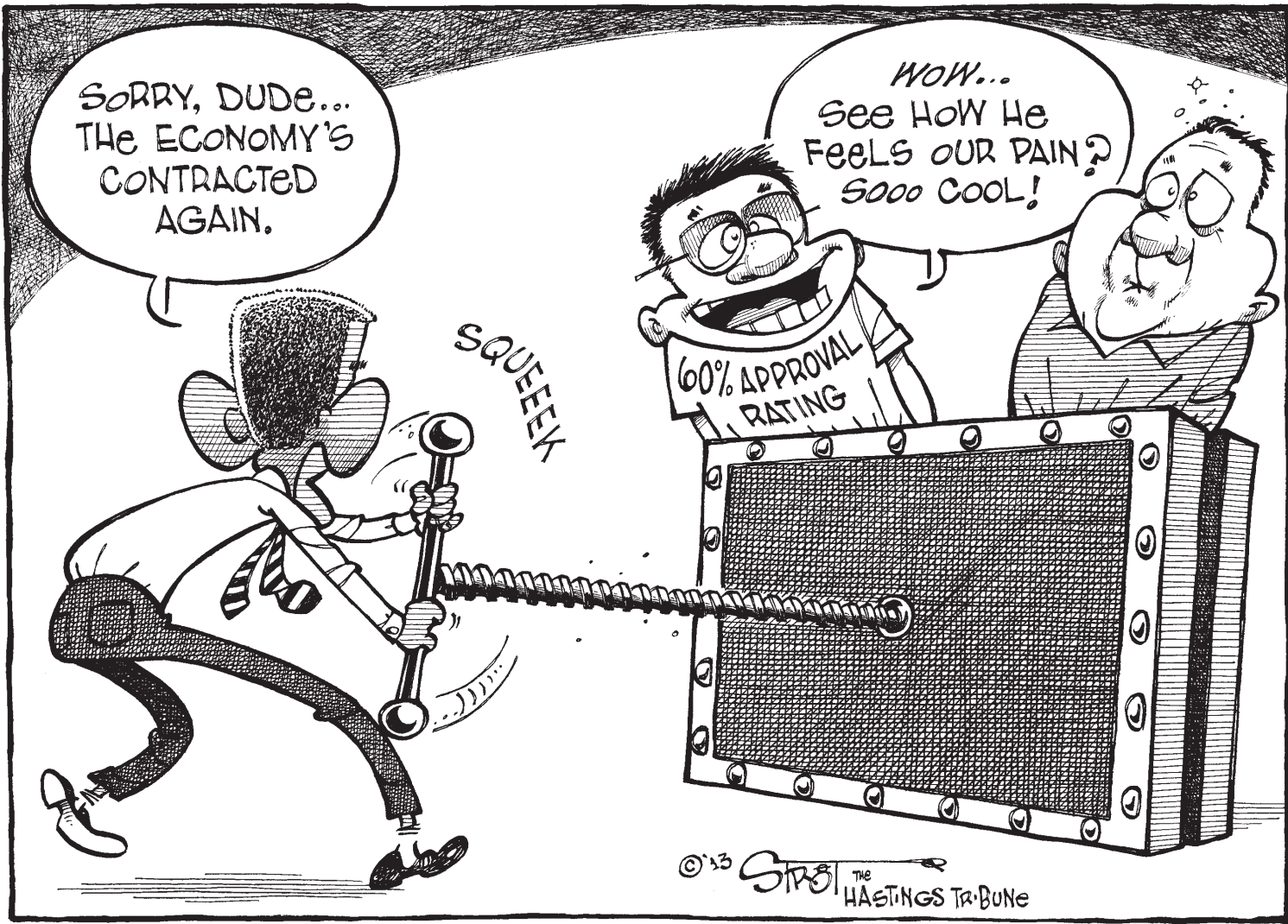
Still, Ambassador Susan Rice was sticking to the administration line a week later on the Sunday interview shows. Her loyalty may have cost her a shot at replacing Ms. Clinton at State.

And then here was Hillary, telling us it was guys out for a walk, still clinging to the line.

We all know better. Sen. John McCain (R-Ariz.) may have said it best: "It's been a coverup from the beginning."

"It was theatrics," Sen. Johnson said in a later interview. "She didn't want to answer questions, so she makes a big show of it."

Ms. Clinton carries a lot of baggage, but unless the Republicans come up with the kind of candidate they haven't had to more than 20 years, she'll be measuring the White House for drapes. Come to think of it, she used to live there; she may already have the window sizes. — Steve Haynes



Debt always keeps building

May all who can hear my voice, written or otherwise, consider the following scenario.

Two neighbors, building their lives side by side, bond and become friends as neighbors will. Times get hard and one neighbor falls harder than the other, giving one neighbor the opportunity to lend a hand, and a large sum of money to the failing neighbor. Lets call them Jack and Tom. Jack has great honor so he puts his property on the loan. And spends the money on the things of importance to him.

As time goes by, Jack's circumstances get tougher and he can no longer make the payments to the loan, but Jack has pride so he makes penance payments that nearly pay the interest on the missed payments. Jack also is unable to make upkeep payments, and Tom steps in and makes them in Jack's stead. So now the principle balance is increasing, with only penance payments to pay what is now interest on interest.

But also, as time goes on, Jack's family continue to live there. At first Jack takes real good care of the property, dutifully attending to his handyman chores where finances allow, and borrowing from Tom for costly repairs. But time and finances take their toll, and life events decrease the value of the property.

Jack has done his best and Tom knows he has, so when Jack passes away Tom is willing to extend the some loan to Jack Jr. so that they won't lose the family home. The note is also passed down to Tom Jr. and so on into generations.

Seemingly an obscured scenario... but is it?

Generations ago, a loan was made. That loan that was never paid back. The principal of the loan keeps going up as additional loans are added on. Payments continue to be made, of course they never meet the minimum amount due so they are penance payments put toward interest and not principal. The loan is being passed down from generation to generation. And the property is decreasing in value due to the tenants' lack of ability to take care of business.

At what point does Tom say to himself, "Maybe it is time for me to become physically responsible for this property as well as financially". At what point should have Jack's family taken a look at what they could do differently so that the debt could be paid.

If we dealt with our local banks in this manner, we would already be homeless. But, we have dealt in this manner with a much more important property.

As always... Your views and opinions are welcome. To contact me directly, e-mail me at littlefish_67@ymail.com.



sheri arroyo

• little fish

Todos los que se puede oír mi voz, por escrito o de otro manera, considere el siguiente escenario mayo de.

Dos vecinos, construyendo su vínculo de lado a lado, de la vida y se convierten en amigos y vecinos. Veces sacar disco y un vecino cae más difícil que el otro, un vecino la oportunidad que echar una mano y una gran suma

de dinero para el vecino de falla. Permite llamar Jack y Tom. Jack tiene gran honor para que él pone su propiedad sobre el préstamo. Y gasta el dinero en las cosas de importancia para él.

Con el paso del tiempo, obtener más duras circunstancias de Jack y ya no puede hacer los pagos al préstamo, pero Jack tiene orgullo por lo que hace los pagos de penitencia que casi pagan los intereses de los pagos perdidos. Jack también es incapaz de hacer pagos de mantenimiento, y Tom los pasos y los hace en lugar de Jack. Ahora está aumentando el balance de principio, con sólo los pagos de penitencia a pagar lo que es ahora de interés sobre interés.

Pero también, como pasa el tiempo, la familia de Jack seguir viviendo allí. En la primero toma buen cuidado de la propiedad, atendiendo obedientemente a sus tareas de mantenimiento donde se permiten las finanzas y el endeudamiento de Tom para reparaciones costosas. Pero el tiempo y las finanzas toman su peaje, y eventos de la vida disminuyen el valor de la propiedad.

Jack ha hecho su mejor esfuerzo y Tom sabe que si, por lo que cuando Jack fallece Tom está dispuesto a extender el préstamo de algunos a Jack Jr. para que no pierdan la casa familiar. La nota también pasa a Tom Jr. y así sucesivamente en las generaciones.

Aparentemente un escenario oculto... pero es?

Hace generaciones, hizo un préstamo. Ese préstamo que nunca fue devuelto. El principal del préstamo sigue subiendo como préstamos adicionales se agregan en. Pagos seguirán, por supuesto nunca cumplen con el mínimo debido por lo que son pagos de penitencia Pon hacia interés y no principales. El préstamo está siendo transmitido de generación a generación. Y la propiedad está disminuyendo en valor debido a la falta de capacidad para cuidar del negocio de los inquilinos.

¿En qué momento Tom dirá a sí mismo, "tal vez es hora de ser físicamente responsables de esta propiedad, así como financieramente"? ¿En qué momento debe tener familia de Jack echado un vistazo a lo que podían hacer diferente para que la deuda podría ser pagada.

Si nos ocupamos de nuestros bancos locales de esta manera, ya estaríamos sin hogar. Sin embargo, hemos tratado de esta manera con una propiedad mucho más importante.

Como siempre... Sus opiniones y comentarios son bienvenidos. Para contactar conmigo directamente, envíame por correo electrónico a littlefish_67@ymail.com.

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Pay-go rule important in the House

Rules! They are important in every aspect of our lives. Rules can give those in powerful political positions the opportunity to run things as they see them. An excellent example of rules being used to one's advantage is Pay-go.

Pay-go is a provision that allows no floor amendment to increase the amount of expenditures, in an appropriations bill, unless a like amount is reduced from some other portion of the bill. An example would be that if you wanted to make an amendment to increase base state aid for education, you would have to propose deleting a matching dollar figure from another area — example: delete that matching amount from health care. One group would love you, the other would be very upset.

A positive of that plan is that it keeps one political party from proposing amendments that they know will not be accepted. In the past, this would be done so a politician could say they proposed a great plan but their opponent voted against it.

The House of Representatives has had pay-go in effect the last two years. It gives the appropriations committee a lot of power, as you only need 12 members to pass an appropriations bill. There are 23 appropriations members. The Republicans are chosen by the Speaker of the House. The number of Republicans is based on the percentage of Republicans in the House. The minority chair chooses the members from his party. This year, there are 93 House Republicans and 32 Democrats. The make-up of the committee is 17 Republicans and six Democrats.

This year, the Senate also passed Pay-go. The Senate has a make-up of 32 Republicans



ward cassidy

• state rep.

and eight Democrats. Susan Wagle, the first lady to be President of the Senate, made a rules change that allows her to be solely in charge of appointments to Senate committees. The appropriations committee, in the Senate, is known as the Ways and Means committee. There are only nine members. If you have followed my logic, this makes the Senate President the second most powerful politician in the State as Senator Wagle will only need five votes to control spending.

Personally, I had a very exciting week. My Education budget committee passed out two bills to the House. Both bills dealt with the transfer of lands and involved the University of Kansas and Emporia State University. Next week we begin budget hearings. I have seventeen budgets in committee that will total 62



Rep. Ward Cassidy of St. Francis presided over the Kansas House of Representatives on Thursday.

percent of the state general fund budget.

I was also given the honor of presiding over the full House on Thursday. It was very exciting to sit in the Speaker's chair and lead the House for a day.

The judicial selection bill passed out of the Senate and will be coming to the House. I am guessing there will not be a vote for several weeks in the House.

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K-State has plans for Cattlemen's Day

Kansas State University's Cattlemen's Day always has numerous events associated with it, but this year's 100th Annual Cattlemen's Day on March 1 will be special in several ways.

"We're kicking off the Henry C. Gardiner Lectureship with inaugural speaker Steve Hunt of U.S. Premium Beef," said Ken Odde, head of K-State's Department of Animal Sciences and Industry. "Henry Gardiner is a visionary leader in beef cattle genetics. We are pleased to honor him by launching this lecture series in his name."

Gardiner, widely considered a

pioneer in beef genetics, is founder of Gardiner Angus Ranch in Ashland, Kan.

Cattlemen's Day begins at 7 a.m. (Mountain Time) in K-State's Weber Hall with a commercial trade show and educational exhibits. The program begins at 10 a.m. in Weber 123.

Hunt, who guided U.S. Premium Beef as its chief executive officer from 1996 through January 2013, and now serves as an advisor to the company, will present, "Designing Meats and Meals." Other topics and presenters will include:

- Keeping Your Farm in the Fam-

ily for the Next Generation – Ron Hanson, University of Nebraska-Lincoln;

- Cattle Market and Industry Short-Run Outlook and Long Term Perspective – Ted Schroeder and Glynn Tonsor – K-State; and

Afternoon breakout sessions will include:

- Ammoniation: Stretching your Forage Supply – Dale Blasi and Justin Waggoner – K-State;
- To Clone a Dead Steer, As Long as It's Not Too Dead – David Grieger, K-State;
- Beef Selection Systems to Meet Market Trends – Bob Weaber and

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- Heifer Development in a High Cost Environment – Sandy Johnson – K-State;
- Is All Ground Beef Created Equally? – John Unruh, K-State.

The day also features a ribbon cutting and dedication ceremony for the new Stanley Stout Center from 2 to 3 p.m. just ahead of the 36th Annual Legacy Sale. A celebration social will be held in the Stanley Stout Center immediately following the sale.

More information and online registration is available at www.asi.ksu.edu/cattlemensday.

KanCare meeting scheduled in Colby

The KanCare program will be holding educational meetings for members from noon to 2 p.m. (Mountain Time) and from 5 to 7 p.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 20, in the Otterbourne Room of the City Limits Convention Center, 2227 South Range in Colby.

While previous meetings focused on what Medicaid consumers would need to know about KanCare, the upcoming meetings will be dedicated to helping members with questions they have regarding the transition, including the 90-day choice period for health plan coverage.

Any person with a disability may request accommodations, however, transportation is not provided. Requests for this accommodation should be made by noon on Wednesday, Feb. 13, by e-mailing KanCare@kdheks.gov

or by calling Rita Haverkamp at (785) 296-5107.

In addition to these meetings for consumers, a separate educational tour is being scheduled for KanCare service providers.

The State of Kansas and the three KanCare health plans – Amerigroup, Sunflower State Health Plan and UnitedHealthcare – will continue holding daily rapid response calls through Feb. 15. Each business day at 9 a.m., KanCare consumers and providers who have implementation issues can bring them to the direct attention of state Medicaid officials and top leaders from the health plans. Dial-in information for this operated-assisted call is updated regularly on the KanCare website at www.kancare.ks.gov/events.htm.

Postal Service to meet with Kanorado citizens

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percent of a community favors one of the four options, the office will automatically get the reduced hours. There will be a spot on the survey for residents to fill in their preference for when those hours will fall during the week. Saturday hours will not change, he said.

The Postal Service will announce its decision one week after each meeting with a notice posted at the post office. The changes will be implemented within 30 days of the official notice.

Sperry described the new plan

as a way to preserve rural post offices while cutting costs. Once fully implemented next year, he said, the savings are projected at \$500 million a year.

The Postal Service has also been consolidating its mail processing facilities. More than 100 processing facilities are scheduled for closure by July.

Goodland's mail processing had been done in Colby until the last round of consolidation, when it was moved to Salina. That facility is being closed and processing there moved to Wichita. Incoming mail processing was still being done in

Colby, but that too is moving to North Platte, Neb. Sperry said the target date for that move is Feb. 26. Colby will still serve as a transportation hub and a regular post office. Sperry said mail collection times will be unchanged.

The processing changes will save about \$1.2 billion annually, Sperry said, and the Postal Service has its eye on several other changes that will require acts of Congress. The service has been asking for several

years to be allowed to get rid of Saturday street delivery, and in 2006 it was required by law to pre-pay retiree health benefits, which cost about \$5.5 billion each year.

"We are asking Congress to resolve that," Sperry said. "We will still pay retiree benefits, but we're asking Congress to make it more manageable."

Congress has yet to act on either issue.

Kansans set record for concealed carry permits

Kansans set a one-month record in January for the number of new concealed carry handgun permit applications, Kansas Attorney General Derek Schmidt said today. The Attorney General's Concealed Carry Handgun Unit received 3,167 applications last month.

The previous one-month record

was March 2012 when 1,651 Kansans applied for concealed carry permits.

The Kansas Concealed Carry Program was established in 2006, with the first permits issued in 2007. Currently, 52,317 Kansans have active permits to carry concealed handguns in Kansas.



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HGTV	Property	Property	Income Property		Hunters	Hunt Intl	Income	Income	Income Property		

S&T	28 ESPN	57 Cartoon Net	Eagle	21 TV Land	41 Hallmark
2 PBS KOOD	29 ESPN 2	58 ABC Fam	2 PBS KOOD	22 ESPN	45 NFL
3 KWGN WB	30 ESPN Clas	59 TV Land	3 NBC-KUSA	23 ESPN 2	47 Food
5 KSCW WB	31 Golf	60 Hallmark	6 Weather	24 ESPN Nws	49 E!
6 ABC-KLBY	32 Speed	61 TCM	7 CBS-KBSL	25 TBS	51 Travel
7 KSAS FOX	33 Versus	62 AMC	8 NBC-KSNK	26 Animal	54 MTV
8 NBC-KSNK	34 Sportsman	63 Lifetime	9 Eagle	27 VH1	55 Discovery
9 NBC-KUSA	35 NFL	64 Oxygen	10 QVC	28 TNT	56 Fox Nws
10 QVC	37 USA	65 We	11 CVC	29 CNBC	57 Disney
11 CBS-KBSL	38 TBS	66 E!	12 QWC2-	30 FSN RM	58 History
12 S&T	39 WGN	67 Bravo	13 FOX-KSAS	31 CMT	59 Fit TV
16 HSN	40 TNT	68 truTV	14 HSN	32 ABC Fam	60 Univision
17 FOX NEWS	41 FX	71 SCI FI	15 MSNBC	33 Disney	61 Spike
18 CNN	42 Discovery	72 Spike	16 HLN	34 Nick	62 HGTV
19 HLN	43 TLC	73 Comedy	17 CNN	35 Fox MC	63 Bravo
20 MSNBC	44 HGTV	74 MTV	18 Lifetime	36 A & E	97 C-Span
21 CNBC	45 Food	75 VH1	19 EWTV	37 Comedy	98 CW-KSCW
22 CSPAN	46 DIY	76 CMT	20 USA	38 SCI FI	99 WGN
22 CSPAN 2	47 A&E	77 EWTN		39 Learning	America
24 Weather Channel	48 History	78 Trinity		40 FX	
26 KMTW - My Network	49 Travel	79 Univision			
27 FOX SPORTS	50 Nat Geo	82 TV Guide			
	53 Dis Kids	83 RFDTV			
	54 Animal	116 Daystar			
	55 Nick				
	56 Disney				

Wednesday Evening		February 6, 2013									
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
ABC	Middle	Neighbors	Mod Fam	Suburg.	Nashville		Local	Jimmy Kimmel Live	Nightline		
CBS	Person of Interest		Criminal Minds		CSI: Crime Scene		Local	Late Show Letterman	Ferguson		
NBC	Whitney	Guys-Kids	Law & Order: SVU		Chicago Fire		Local	Tonight Show w/Leno	J. Fallon		
FOX	American Idol										
Cable Channels											
A & E	Duck D.	Duck D.	Barter Kings		Barter Kings		Duck D.	Duck Dynasty	Local		
AMC	Shawshank R.						Shawshank R.		Local		
ANIM	Gator Boys		Gator Boys		Wildman	Wildman	Gator Boys	Gator Boy	Local		
BET	The Great Divide				Husbands	Husbands	Wendy Williams Show	Lakeview	Local		
BRAVO	Real Housewives		Top Chef: Seattle		Top Chef: Seattle		Happens	Top Chef: Seattle	Top Chef		
CMT	Local	Local	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Gridiron Gang				
CNN	Piers Morgan Tonight		Anderson Cooper 360		E. B. OutFront		Piers Morgan Tonight	Anderson	Local		
COMEDY	Local	Local	Work.	Kroll	Daily	Colbert	Work.	Kroll	Local		
DISC	Local	Local	Moonshiners		Moonshiners		Moonshiners		Local		
DISN	Local	Local	Good Luck Dog		Tinker Bell and the Lost		Jessie	Shake It	Good Luck		
E!	Local	Local	Kourtney-Kim	Chasing T	Chasing T		Chelsea	E! News	Chelsea		
ESPN	NBA Basketball				The Soup	Love You	SportsCenter	SportCtr	Local		
ESPN2	Pre-Match Soccer				College B		NFL Live	NBA	Local		
FAM	Ramona and Benezus				Restaurant: Im.		Prince	Prince	Insanity!	Local	
FOOD	Local	Local	Restaurant: Im.		Restaurant: Im.		Restaurant: Im.		Bobby's Dinner Battl		
FX	Tron: Legacy				The Americans		The Americans		Justified		
HGTV	Cousins	Cousins	Property Brothers		Hunters	Hunt Intl	House Hunters Reno		Property Brothers		
HIST	Ancient Aliens		Ancient Aliens		Ancient Aliens		Ancient Aliens		Local		
LIFE	Wife Swap		To Be Announced		Project Runway		Wife Swap		Local		
MTV	Snooki & JWOWW		Washington Heights		Washington Heights		Snooki & JWOWW	BUCKWILD	Local		
NICK	Local	Local	Drake	Victorior	Full H'se	Full H'se	Full H'se	The Nanny	The Nanny		
SCI	Ghost Hunters		Ghost Mine		Ghost Hunters		Ghost Mine		Haunting	Local	
SPIKE	Auction	Auction	Diggers	Diggers	Auction	Auction	Auction	Hunters	Local		
TBS	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Conan		Office	Conan	Local		
TCM	All Quiet on the Western		Front	Imitation of Life			Bride Franken.		Local		
TLC	Local	Local	Toddlers & Tiaras		Toddlers & Tiaras		Toddlers & Tiaras	Cheer Perfection			
TNT	Castle		Castle		CSI: NY		CSI: NY	Cold Case	Local		
TOON	King/Hill	King/Hill	Amer. Dad	Amer. Dad	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Chicken	Aqua Teen	Squid	Local	
TRAV	Baggage B	Baggage B	Street Eats		Fried Chicken Paradi		Baggage B	Baggage B	Street Ea	Local	
TV LAND	Raymond	Raymond	Cleveland	Divorced	Cleveland	Divorced	King	King	Cleveland	Local	
USA	NCIS		Necessary Roughness		White Collar		CSI: Crime Scene Investigation		Local		
VH1	Women in Music		Making Mr. Right		Whitey Hills Cop				Local		
WGN	Rules	Rules	WGN News at Nine		Funniest Home Videos		Rules	Rules	30 Rock	Local	
Premium Channels											
HBO	Local	Local	Fast Five						Big Mommas		
MAX	Local	Local	Sherlock Holmes-Game	Banshee					Silence-Lambs		
SHOW	Local	Local	Twilight-Dawn						Inside the NFL	60 Minutes Sports	

Saturday Evening		February 9, 2013									
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
ABC	Be My Valentine		Despicable Me				Local				
CBS	NCIS: Los Angeles		The Grammys		48 Hours		Local				
NBC	Ninja Warrior		Chicago Fire		Saturday Night Live		Local	Saturday Night Live			
FOX	Cops	Cops	The Following				Local	Hell's Kitchen	30S	Local	
Cable Channels											
A & E	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage: NY	Local	
AMC	Walk:Dead	The Walking Dead	The Walking Dead	The Walking Dead	The Walking Dead		Walk:Dead	Local			
ANIM	Pit Boss		Pit Bulls-Parole		Pit Boss		Pit Bulls-Parole	Too Cute!	Local		
BET	Woman Thou Art Loosed		Love & Basketball					Woman	Local		
BRAVO	American Pie 2				American Pie 2			Mr. Deeds	Local		
CMT	Local	Local	Overboard				Redneck Vacation	Swamp Pawn			
CNN	Gloria	Piers	Piers Morgan Tonight		Gloria: In Her Own Words		Piers	Newsroom	Local		
COMEDY	South Pk	South Pk	South Pk	South Pk	I Love You, Man		I Love You, Man		Local		
DISC	Local	Local	Property	Property	Property	Property	Property	Property	Property		
DISN	Local	Local	Jessie	Jessie	ANT Farm		Jessie	Phineas	Shake It	ANT Farm	Jessie
E!	Local	Local	Sex and the City					Fashion Police	Sex and the City		
ESPN	College Basketball				SportsCenter			SportsCenter	SportCtr	Local	
ESPN2	College Basketball		College Basketball				College B	NBA	Poker	Local	
FAM	Twilight	Twilight			Charlie St. Cloud				Chopped		
FOOD	Local	Local	Chopped		Chopped				Chopped		
FX	The A-Team				Anger	Biased		BrandX	With		
HGTV	Love It or List It		Love It or List It		Hunters	Hunt Intl	Hunters	Hunt Intl	Love It or List It		
HIST	Pawn	Pawn	Pawn	Pawn	Pawn	Pawn	Pawn	Pawn Stars	Local		
LIFE	Twist of Faith		Betty and Corretta		Twist of Faith				Local		
MTV	Ridic.	Ridic.	Ridic.	Ridic.	Ridic.	Ridic.	Ridic.	Ridic.	Ridic.	Local	
NICK	Local	Local	SpongeBot	SpongeBot	Marvin	Ninjas	To Be Announced	The Nanny	The Nanny		
SCI	Hebbie Jeebies				Boogeyman			Hebbie	Local		
SPIKE	Kick-Ass		Kick-Ass					Without	Local		
TBS	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	King of the Nerds		Cougar	Sullivan	Charles	Local	
TCM	Viva Zapata!		The Robe					3 Coins-Fourt	Local		
TLC	Local	Local	Untold Stories of ER		Untold Stories of ER		Untold Stories of ER	Untold Stories of ER			
TNT	The Bourne Ultimatum		Con Air					Mission 3	Local		
TOON	Venture	Fam. Guy	Fam. Guy	Cleveland	Dynamite	Boondocks	Bleach	Naruto	Thundr.	Local	
TRAV	Ghost Adventures		Ghost Adventures		Ghost Adventures		Ghost Adventures	Ghost	Local		
TV LAND	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	King	King	King	Local		
USA	Couples Retreat		Couples Retreat						Local		
VH1	Mob Wives		Mob Wives		Jenny	Best Week	Bandidas		Local		
WGN	Funniest Home Videos		WGN News at Nine		Bones			Bones	30 Rock	Local	
Premium Channels											
HBO	Local	Local	Dream House		Battleship				X-Men		
MAX	Local	Local	I, Robot					Banshee	Dragon Eyes		
SHOW	Local	Local	The Rock		Red				Faster		

Thursday Evening		February 7, 2013									
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
ABC	Shark Tank		Grey's Anatomy		Scandal		Local	Jimmy Kimmel Live	Nightline		
CBS	Big Bang	Two Men	Person of Interest		Elementary		Local	Late Show Letterman	Ferguson		
NBC	Community	Parks	Office	1600 Penn	Do No Harm		Local	Tonight Show w/Leno	J. Fallon		
FOX	American Idol										
Cable Channels											
A & E	First 48: Missing		Beyond Scared Straight		First 48		First 48		Local		
AMC	Demolition Man		North Woods Law	Constantine			North Woods Law	Enter	Local		
ANIM	North Woods Law		North Woods Law		North Woods Law		North Woods Law	North Wds</			

FOUND
Behind The Goodland Star-News, a 20" youth bicycle was found. Stop by office and describe to claim. -tfn-

WANTED
WANTED: TOPPER TO FIT 1995 CHEVY S-10. Call Gary at (719) 342-5846 or Melanie at (719) 342-5215. -TFN-

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Junk batteries, non-ferrous metals and iron. Darrel Bowen. Phone 785-899-2578. -tfn-

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HELP WANTED
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NEEDED: Personal Care Attendant for individual in Goodland, KS. Interested persons must be at least 18 years of age. Part-time position. Duties may include housekeeping, meal preparation, personal care, laundry and errands. If interested you may contact SKIL of Western Kansas at 800-316-8019. -1-29-2-5-

Accepting applications for Quality Control Assistant. Duties include grading and sampling. Training will be provided. Apply in person at Sun Opta, 1701 Industrial Loop in Goodland or call for interview at (620) 792-1004. -1-29-2-8-

Accepting applications for

Bagger/Warehouseman for agriculture business. Experience in grain elevator helpful. For interview call Sunrise Staffing Services, LLC @ (620) 792-1004 or pick up application at the Sun Opta Plant in Goodland. -1-29-2-8-

SERVICE TECHNICIAN: American Implement, Inc. in Wheeler, Kansas is currently seeking qualified individuals to fill the position of Service Technician. Responsibilities are to analyze, troubleshoot and perform electrical and mechanical repairs on agricultural equipment. Two to three years experience in maintenance and repair of agricultural equipment is required. American Implement offers competitive wages and an excellent benefits package, which includes life, health and supplemental insurance, 401(k) plan and a quarterly incentive bonus program. Interested applicants may contact Tim Neitzel, Location Manager, American Implement, Inc., 685 Kansas Avenue, Wheeler, KS, 67756 or call (800) 832-2124 or (785) 332-2124. -1-15-2-12-

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF SHERMAN COUNTY, KANSAS
PROCEEDINGS PURSUANT TO K.S.A. CHAPTER 60

Louis B. Spinney, Diana D. Spinney, husband and wife Plaintiffs

vs.

Art Estrada and the unknown spouse of the said Art Estrada, if they be living, and all persons claiming through them; the unknown heirs, executors, administrators, devisees, creditors, trustees and assigns of and deceased defendants; the unknown spouses of any defendants; the unknown officers, successors, trustees, creditors and assigns of and defendants that are existing, dissolved or dormant corporations; the unknown executors, administrators, devisees, trustees, creditors, successors and assigns of any defendants that are or were partners or in partnership; the unknown guardians, conservators and trustees of any defendants that are minors or are in any way under any legal disability; and the unknown heirs, executors, administrators, devisees, trustees, creditors and assigns of any person alleged to be deceased, and spouses, if any, and Sherman County, Kansas Defendants

CASE NO. 2012 CV 35

NOTICE OF SUIT

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ART ESTRADA, THE ABOVE DEFENDANTS, AND ALL OTHERS WHO ARE OR MAY BE CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in the District Court of Sherman County, Kansas, by Louis B. Spinney, and Diana D. Spinney, praying for foreclosure and sale, and judgment quieting their title to the following described real estate in Sherman County, Kansas:

Lots 10, 11, and 12, Block 20, Second Addition to the City of Goodland, Sherman County, Kansas according to the recorded plat thereof.

And you are hereby required to plead to said petition on or before the 18th day of March, 2013, in said court at Goodland, Sherman County, Kansas. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon said petition.

Louis B. Spinney
 Diana D. Spinney

Michael V. Foust #07507
 126 W. 11th Street
 P.O. Box 778

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to satisfy the judgment in the above-entitled case. The sale is to be made without appraisal and subject to the redemption period as provided by law, and further subject to the approval of the Court. For more information, visit HREF="http://www.southlaw.com MAC-ROBUTTON HtmlResAnchor www.Southlaw.com

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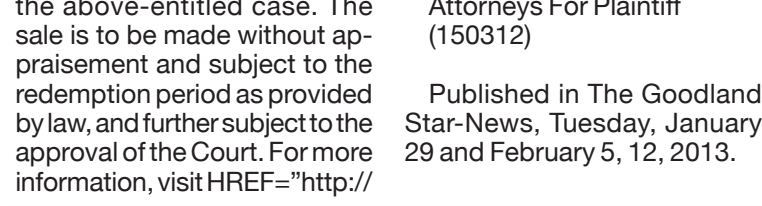
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CLUES ACROSS

- Winter capital of Kashmir
- So. African Music Awards
- The Bay State
- A disorderly crowd
- Actress Greta
- Expression of surprise
- Storybook elephant
- John Jacob ___, capitalist
- Mulled wine
- Membrane around the lungs
- Shows how something works
- Canonized
- Layers bonded together
- A vessel or duct
- The fire had been ___
- Female sibling
- Israeli capital
- Blocked in fencing
- 98942 WA
- Gasoline hydrocarbon rating
- Light snacks with drinks
- Supplementing with difficulty
- Am. composer & diarist Ned
- A waterproof raincoat
- Accumulate a large quantity
- Am. Newspaper Assoc.
- Butterfly collector
- ___ and Venzetti
- Female servants

CLUES DOWN

- Poked at
- Equally
- Manuscript (abbr.)
- Periodical (slang)
- Fiddler crabs
- Hero sandwich
- Volcanic mountain in Japan
- Of I
- Indicates position
- Legislative acts
- Low sustained cry
- Human resources (abbr.)
- Supported by a prop
- Megabyte
- 9/11 Memorial designer Michael
- The years someone has existed
- Distilled from fermented molasses
21. a.k.a.
- Estonian kroon = 100
- The sun
- Wide metal cooking vessel
- Caesar or cobb
- Building lots
- 1/1000 inch
- Apexes
- Firth of Clyde's largest island
- Bringing suit
- Forsyth novel "The Day of The ___"
- Perceive with the eyes
- Was introduced to
- Lines of verse
- Household god (Roman)
- Military mailbox
- Challenge aggressively
- Posted
- One thousandth of an ampere
- General's assistant (abbr.)
- Bovine sound
- Associated press
- Opposite of LTM
- A very large body of water
- Ma's partner
- Integrated circuit
- Rhode Island
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Cowboys wrestle small team from Atwood



By Kevin Bottrell
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The Goodland High School wrestling team dueled Rawlins County High School on Thursday at the Max Jones Fieldhouse.

Rawlins County was open at many weight classes, so only five matches took place.

At 120, Tristan Cooper lost to Macrae Migchelbrink in a 14-2 major decision. Cooper fell behind in the first quarter, but got a two-point reverse to tie things up in the second. Migchelbrink took the lead again with four more points in the second and scored eight in the third.

At 138, Drew House lost to Shelton McCain in an 11-4 decision. McCain got two points for a takedown in the first period. House got a two-point reverse to tie things up in the second, but McCain pulled away with an escape and a reverse. House was down 7-2 going into the third. McCain scored four points, then House began to rally, getting a two-point reverse to make it 9-4. McCain scored another two points in the final seconds,

Drew House, wrestling at 138, tried to get the upper hand against Shelton McCain on Thursday.
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winning 11-4.

At 160, Josh Whisnant beat Cody Wright 6-4 in overtime. Whisnant took an early 2-0 lead in the first period and neither wrestler scored any further points until the second. Wright tied things up at two, but Whisnant took a 4-2 lead going into the third period. With one minute remaining, Wright tied things up again at four each. The match remained tied and went into a one-minute overtime period. Whisnant went in for a quick takedown, earning him two points and winning the match.

At 220, Tyler Gastineau won by fall over Brody Malsom. Gastineau got two points for a takedown and then pinned Malsom with 36.7 seconds left in the first period.

At 285, Thatcher Jones lost by fall to Bryce Henry, who pinned Jones with 39.2 seconds remaining in the first period.

Both schools were open at 106. Aaron Avelar, Josh David, Austin Hernandez, Riley Lopez, John Peden, Jed Gray, Ian Bonsall and Colton Cooper all won by default.

The Cowboys competed in the Great West Activity Conference tournament on Saturday. Next action will be on the road against Scott City at 5:30 p.m. (Mountain Time) Thursday.

Cowgirls lose to No. 8 Holcomb

By Pat Schiefen
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The Goodland High School varsity girls basketball team fell 74-32 to the Holcomb Lady Longhorns on Friday night at the Max Jones Fieldhouse.

Holcomb — the No. 8-ranked team in 4A — made the first three point basket of the game and kept increasing their lead. The last quarter was played with the clock continuously running.

The next game for the Cowgirls is at 5:30 p.m. (Mountain Time) tonight against the Scott City Lady Beavers at Scott City.

In the first quarter, Megan Siruta put in the first bucket for the Cowgirls, but the Lady Longhorns still led by one, 3-2. Holcomb added a bucket and when Hope Cochran was fouled she made one of two free throws. Kate-Lynn King added the last bucket for the Cowgirls in the

first quarter. At the end of the first quarter Holcomb led, 20-5.

In the second quarter King added a free throw and another bucket. Cochran hit the first three-point shot of the night for the Cowgirls. Then, Paige Phillips added a free throw and Cochran made another three pointer. Siruta hit a three pointer for the last Cowgirls score of the first half. At that point Holcomb led, 47-18.

In the third quarter the Cowgirls made six points including baskets by Phillips and Mara Kling. Holcomb led, 70-24.

Briana White hit a three-point shot at the beginning of the fourth quarter. The Cowgirls made one more bucket and Cochran made a free throw shot to end the game. Turn overs and missed shots contributed to the Cowgirls loss. Also playing in the game were Faith Biermann, Milan Brannick and Ellie House.

Boys basketball team struggles against Longhorns

By Kevin Bottrell
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The Goodland High School varsity boys basketball team kept up initially against the Holcomb Longhorns on Friday at the Max Jones Fieldhouse, but fell behind in the second quarter and never recovered, losing 61-34.

The basketball team will play at Scott City tonight after the girls game.

The Cowboys won the tipoff, but missed a shot on the first possession. The Longhorns pulled down the rebound and scored. They scored six more points to take an 8-0 lead. The Cowboys forced several turnovers, finally getting the ball to Gage Ihrig, who put it in for three points.

Taylen Smith got another turnover, but was fouled while shooting. He knocked down two free throws to make it 8-5. Ihrig hit another three to tie the game 8-8 with two minutes remaining in the quarter.

After a timeout, Holcomb scored a pair of baskets to end the quarter up 12-8.

Gunner Helton scored a two-pointer to open the second quarter, followed by a three from Ihrig to give the Cowboys a 13-12 lead.

Ihrig was then called on a technical foul. Holcomb put in two free throws to retake the lead.

With five minutes left in the half, the Longhorns put in a three pointer. Smith added a pair of free throws to make it 17-15. Holcomb got a put-back, then Adam Simmerman put in a free throw to make it 19-16.

Holcomb added seven points with the Cowboys keeping up on free throws from Smith and Simmerman. In the final minutes of the half, Holcomb went on a seven-point run to end the half with a 33-19 lead over the Cowboys.

Both teams traded turnovers in the opening minutes of the second half. Holcomb scored at the 6:17 mark and again at 5:12. The Cowboys were unable to get anything in until halfway through the quarter when Smith put in a two pointer. Simmerman added another free throw to make it 37-22.

Holcomb went on a seven-point run, broken by a three pointer from Simmerman to make it 44-25. The Longhorns put in three more points to end the quarter at 47-25.

With 7:32 left in the game, Ihrig knocked down a three pointer. Holcomb put in a basket, then Hel-

ton was fouled while rebounding and put in two free throws. After a timeout, the Longhorns hit a three pointer to make it 52-30.

With 4:51 left, Smith put in a free throw, but the Longhorns made three of their own to make it 54-32. Ihrig fouled of the game. A few seconds later, Smith got another free throw, but the Longhorns came back with six points. Trey Teeter put in the final points of the game on a pair of free throws. The Cowboys lost, 61-34.

Taylen Smith took the ball down the court for the Cowboys during their game with Holcomb on Friday at the Max Jones Fieldhouse. Smith had 10 points against the Longhorns, who are currently sitting in second place in the Great West Activity Conference.

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GHS Cowboys of the Week

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Wednesday: Black day
FCCLA District Elections in Norton
7:30 a.m.: PLC
3:45 p.m.: PDC meeting

Thursday: 3 p.m.: Boys 7th Basketball at Scott City
3:30 p.m.: Boys 8th Basketball, here, versus Scott City
5:30 p.m.: Varsity/Junior Varsity Wrestling at Scott City

Friday: 3:45 p.m.: Junior Varsity/C Basketball, here, versus Ulysses
5:30 p.m.: Varsity Basketball, here, versus Ulysses
5:30 p.m.: Varsity/Junior Varsity Wrestling at Norton

Saturday: ACT test
8 a.m.: Junior Varsity Wrestling at Colby, Bill Voss Novice
7 p.m.: X-Pressos Valentine Banquet

Monday: NO SCHOOL-Teacher Professional Day
Board of Education meeting
3:30 p.m.: Boys 8th Basketball at Colby
Boys 7th Basketball, here, versus Colby

Tuesday: Black day
FCCLA Money Grab
3:45 p.m.: Junior Varsity/C Basketball, here, versus Colby
4 p.m.: West Site Council
5:30 p.m.: Varsity Basketball, here, versus Colby

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