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TAXPAYERS' REPORT



This past week on Wednesday, April 15, we conducted our Commissioners' Meeting in the foyer of the Courthouse as we continue to keep the distance. There were a couple of decisions we made that we've been working on for quite a while.

The Commissioners and area residents signed the road ditch mowing agreements for this year. The Commissioners, with input from a lot of our rural residents, had earlier agreed upon a cost for the mowing and everyone is now in agreement and the contracts have been signed. It is important to realize that our area farmers have been doing a lot of mowing in Sheridan County to help make our roads safer. These new mowing contracts are independent contractor contracts along with their own insurance, which protects Sheridan County from all liabilities. The BIG change here is that the mowing of Sheridan County's road ditches is going to get done!!

Another decision by the commissioners was the approval of a sand hauling rate for all of Sheridan County. We had considerable input from area farmers and contractors interested in hauling sand onto our county roads. One rate for all of Sheridan County was agreed upon, and we will be employing various independent contractors to haul sand and help the Road Department rebuild our county roads. These sand haulers also have their own insurance, which protects Sheridan County from all liabilities. The BIG change, here again, is that we are going to rebuild our county roads and we are going to get the sand hauled onto those roads.

This is what a successful county road department looks like. Farmers, area residents, independent contractors, and others all working together to get the job done! We have rebuilt and sanded in excess of 20 miles of roads already this year and we will keep the hammer down rebuilding roads for this entire year. I am optimistic that by this year's end we will have rebuilt 50 to 75 miles of our county roads.

Change is the most wonderful thing! It allows us to reevaluate our history and our current situation and implement change to make things work! Doing the same thing in the same way and expecting different results has NEVER been successful! Only CHANGE has ever resulted in success!

COVID-19 is now here in Sheridan County. We all knew this was unavoidable and inevitable. It is no one's fault. The best we can do is what we have been doing and pray the good Lord sees us through this difficulty.

Thanks for reading and GOD Bless!

WES BAINTER, Sheridan County Commissioner

WHS Students Unable to Compete

By Eidree Chapin, Co-Editor

With the school year coming to a halt, the WHS students were not able to participate in spring sports. There were 15 total girls planning to go out for track, including Freshmen Halle Habiger, Kerri Heier, Sophomores Anna Godek, Jaidlyn Harvey, Isabella Ostmeyer, Livia Schultz, Tyra Schultz, Juniors Leonor Mergenschroder, Kirsten Schroeder, Seniors Eidree Chapin, Jessica Heier, Saige Meier, Jessi Bernbeck, Jordyn Vincent, and Morgan Zimmerman. There were also 11 total boys planning to go out for track including Freshmen Treven Humphries, Adam Phillips, Jett Vincent, Nathan Vollbracht, Sophomores Tyrell Chapin, Ryan Heier, Isaac Mendez, Trey Vincent, Juniors Johnny Phillips, Trevor Zarybnicky, and Senior Kyler Haffner. The Head Coach was Todd Flinn with Will Bixenman and Jesse Vincent as Assistant Coaches. Zimmerman stated, "I was looking forward to this season of track! I was ready to push myself to be the best I could be to have an opportunity to compete at state my senior year. Track has taught me that you get what you put into it and working hard gives a better opportunity towards success."

Golf was another spring

activity that got cancelled. Seniors Kyler Haffner, Ethan Beckman, Jordan Ostmeyer, Jett Schmidtberger, Jordan Katt, Juniors Elliot Godek, Wendell Mong, Isaiah Dickman, Sophomores Trey Vincent, Braden Gormley, and Freshman Jett Vincent were the WHS students planning to go out for golf. The Head Coach was Diane Wetter and Steve Reed as Assistant Coach.

Beckman Stated, "I feel as though it was a lost opportunity. I believe we had the chance to make a run at state as a team and finally earn our traveling trophy back, which has been a goal the seniors have had since they were freshmen." Beckman also learned many life lessons from golf. He said, "Honesty is important. They call golf a gentleman's game for a reason. It also has helped me make connections and friends that I'll have for life."

Many other spring activities were cancelled as well, including Art Competitions, State Journalism, STEAM activities, Electric Car races, Prom, and Graduation. Although these sports were cancelled, next year the remaining WHS students will compete to their best ability.



Sheridan County Health Complex Named to Top 20 Critical Access Hospital List

Sheridan County Health Complex in Hoxie, KS was recently named one of the Top 20 Critical Access Hospitals (CAHs) for Quality in the country.

The Top 20 Critical Access Hospitals, including Sheridan County Health Complex, scored best among critical access hospitals, as determined by The Chartis Center for Rural Health for Quality. The rankings were recently announced by the National Rural Health Association (NRHA). An awards ceremony will be held during NRHA's Critical Access Hospital Conference in September in Kansas City, MO.

The Top 20 Critical Access Hospital "winners" are those hospitals who have achieved success in the overall performance based on a composite rating from eight indices of strength: inpatient market share, outpatient market share, quality, outcomes, patient perspective, cost, charge, and financial efficiency. This group was selected from The Chartis Center for Rural Health's 2020 Top 100 CAH list, which was released earlier this year.

Those hospitals that have been recognized as Top 20 Critical Access Hospital "best practice recipients" have achieved success in one of two key areas of performance:

Quality Index: A rating of hospital performance based on the percentile rank across the indicators of Hospital Compare Process of Care measures.

Patient Perspective Index: A rating of hospital performance aggregated and ranked across 10 domains of the Hospital Consumer Assessment of

Healthcare Providers and Systems (HCAHPS).

"Sheridan County Health Complex is proud of the efforts of its physicians and staff who have contributed to our hospital achieving this designation," said Niceta Farber, CEO. "Our results as a top Quality means our community can count on us to deliver the services they need now and in the future."

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About the National Rural Health Association

NRHA is a nonprofit organization working to improve the health and wellbeing of rural Americans and providing leadership on rural health issues through advocacy, communications, education and research. NRHA membership is made up to 21,000 diverse individuals and organizations, all of who share the common bond of an interest in rural health. For more information, visit www.RuralHealthWeb.org.

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Citations at Prom?

By Brittany Lewis, Sentinel Staff Reporter

NWKS is no longer immune to new cases of the COVID-19 virus with cases in Sheridan, Sherman, and Gove counties as of April 20, 2020. But with such low numbers reported, some are starting to feel the 'stay at home' order by Gov. Kelley is too extreme for our area and infringing our rights as Americans.

This past Saturday, in Oakley, KS, what seemed like a harmless activity planned for the high school students has ended with threats of citations being given. Organizers of the event consulted with the city and police department before pursuing a prom related activity that would give students at least one opportunity to enjoy an activity that was lost when their school building closed. The promenade was supposed to consist of students, decked out to the nines in prom attire, being chauffeured by their parents down Main Street so that people would see their gowns/tuxes and wave to show their recognition, especially to the seniors who would not have this opportunity again.

The event itself was a success. So many students and parents left feeling joyous that the kids were able to do at least something in the midst of losing so much. However, things took a serious turn

when photos of some students gathered at close proximity to one another for photos surfaced on social media. The Oakley Police Department released a statement that said they had, "advised that if all individuals would remain in vehicles and not get out of vehicles to congregate, that the Oakley Police Department would allow it." Since photos of students disregarding this advisement surfaced, the statement went on to say they, "will be investigating this matter and those who are found to be in violation may possibly be cited for violating the Governor's Stay at Home Order."

Now, in the City of Oakley, you can cut the tension with a knife. Most parties feel that this statement is an overreach of authority, and infringement of rights, some even feeling it's a violation of the Bill of Rights itself and it's "Right to Assemble" clause. Others feel that the students who left their vehicles, and gathered, possibly exposed the spread of the virus.

KDOT Announces Approved March Bids

The Kansas Department of Transportation announces approved bids for state highway construction and maintenance projects in Kansas. The letting took place March 25, 2020, in Topeka. Some of the bids may include multiple projects that have been bundled based on proximity and type of work.

Sheridan County: 23-90 KA-5578-01

K-23, from the K-23/U.S. 24 junction northwest 18.9 miles to the U.S. 83/K-23 junction, sealing, 18.8 miles

Heft and Sons LLC, Greensburg, KS, \$620,810.00

Rucker's Hold Own PLANET COMICON



By Brittany Lewis, Sentinel Staff Reporter

If you drove by the park this past weekend, and thought you saw Thor...you don't need to have your eyes checked. Ed and Beverly Rucker's family were dressed in their cosplay outfits taking photos as a family. They had planned on attending Planet Comicon, and they didn't want their costumes to go to waste or wait another year.

One of the nation's biggest Comicon events, Planet Comicon, in Kansas City was cancelled due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Comicon events around the globe feature fans dressed in cosplay - their own costumes, most homemade - gathering to celebrate their favorite pop-culture icons. Characters from comic books, superheroes, villains, cartoons, and other genres of entertainment attend the event for fun and to meet some of the original casts and characters.

Beverly had planned the

trip for family as a celebration of graduations, one from college, one high school and one eighth grade promotion. Even though many families have lost events they have spent months, even years looking forward to, Beverly is "loving quarantine." "I am enjoying the forced time to spend with my family. We play board games, listen to music, take daily walks when the kids aren't doing their school lessons." Beverly also explains, "We are always so busy with sports, concerts, and other activities, almost every night of the week. It is nice to not have anything on the calendar for once."

Photos from Beverly Rucker depict Ed Rucker as Thor; Victoria Rucker as Gamora; Elyssa Rucker as Mei Hatsume, anime character from "My Hero Academia"; and Beverly as 'Kethry' from the book series "The Oathbound" by Mercedes Lackey.

Social Distancing at its BEST!



Barrett Wagoner and son Blaine, age 9, from Colby wrangled in some crappie at Antelope Lake this past weekend. Enjoying the weather and outdoors, they also went turkey hunting, but fishing was the best part according to Blaine. (Wagoner family courtesy photo)

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Words of Faith

At the proper time
we will reap
a harvest
if we do not give up.
Galatians 6:9

Grain Report

Reported on: Tuesday, Apr. 21

Wheat	4.38
Corn	2.66
Milo	2.95
Beans	7.16

Weather Report

SC Conservation District

Date	High	Low	Moisture
4/12	42	15	--
4/13	42	17	--
4/14	50	16	--
4/15	59	27	--
4/16	62	32	--
4/17	54	24	--
4/18	71	36	--

STAY WELL!

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Words of Wisdom

The greatest
Oak was once a
little nut
who held its
ground.
~Anonymous

Community News

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School Lunch

Lunch will be handed out
4/27 - 5/1:
Monday, Wednesday & Friday
at the
Christian Church
11am-1pm
Tuesday & Thursday
at
Oscar's
11am-1pm



Meal site Menu

April 20 ~ April 24

Monday: Smothered Steak, Mashed Potatoes, Beets, Bread, Peaches

Tuesday: Chili, Tropical Fruit, Crackers, Cinnamon Roll

Wednesday: Oven Baked Chicken, 3-Bean Salad, Mandarin Oranges, Bread, Pudding

Thursday: Pork Cutlet, Hashbrown Casserole, Green Beans, Bread, Strawberries

Friday: Hamburger Patty w/lettuce, onion, tomato, pickle, Potato Salad, Bun, Tropical Fruit

The Hoxie Meal site wishes to invite those 60 and older and their guests to attend daily luncheons in the community room at Ridgewood Manor Monday - Friday. Calling 675-2154 by 11 a.m., the day before, may make reservations. Home Delivery is also available for those unable to attend due to social or physical disabilities. We also invite those working, who would like to pick up. For individuals 60 and over, a contribution of \$3.50 per meal is requested. We also invite those less than 60 years of age to attend or pickup a meal at a cost of \$6.50 per meal. A monthly menu can be picked up at a Meal Site. Pinochle is played every Tuesday (bring a quarter) & Friday after lunch. Make checks payable to HOMESTEAD Nutrition Project.

Sheridan County Commissioners' Meeting Agenda

Weekly Agenda is posted Monday afternoon to the Sheridan County Clerk's Office Facebook page and the Sheridan County website.
(<http://www.kansas.gov/sheridan/>).

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22, 2020

Sheridan County Courthouse

Agenda Subject to Change ~ Public Attendance Restricted

9am
9:15am Joe Pratt, County Attorney
10am Old Business



RECYCLING CENTER HOURS

November - March 8:00 am - 6:00 pm
April - October 8:00 am - 9:00 pm
Saturday 8:00 am - 6:00 pm
Sunday 1:00 pm - 6:00 pm

ITEMS ACCEPTED

- **Paper:** shredded, magazines, newspaper, office paper
- **Chipboard:** cereal boxes, frozen food boxes, beverage boxes, etc.
- **Cardboard:** corrugated only
- **Clear Plastic:** #1 clear pop bottles, juice bottles
- **Colored Plastic:** #2 laundry detergent bottles, coffee containers, etc.
- **#2 Natural Plastic:** Milk jugs, rinsed chemical containers
- **Glass:** beer/liquor bottles, pickle jars, etc.
- **Aluminum Cans:** pop, beer
- **Tin Cans:** soup cans, tuna cans, cat food cans, etc.
- **Grocery Sacks:** plastic grocery sacks

NO OTHER TYPES OF PLASTIC
NO OTHER TYPES OF METAL
NO CLOTHES
NO BOOKS

Submission Guidelines

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News from the Outside
with John Liester

How is everyone doing these days? I, for one, am enjoying my time turkey hunting and fishing. Both have been fruitful for us at our home. Opening day of turkey season found me hunting with my best friend. Around 4:30 in the afternoon while calling we had a tom react. Boy, he sure gobbled his head off. He went by us just out of range and my friend was starting to get up to leave. I told him, no, sit and watch this. I started calling as loud and aggressive as I could, and what do you know, he came back. At about fifteen yards I told my friend to shoot. He replied, "I can't see him." So, I shot the turkey. Bird carried an eight-inch beard and inch and a half spurs. We walked to the turkey and as I was getting ready to tag it, I looked up and saw five more across the field watching us. I said, "just sit down slow and get behind those weeds. Since I was caught in the open, I did the only thing I could do. I held the tom I had shot up in front of me and hid behind the tail fan, and I started calling. For the record,

holding an adult turkey up in front of yourself is a test of will. After about a half hour of calling, the whole flock just strolled right in. My friend finally shot a called in turkey! I've called in dozens for him in the past only to see him miss. It was good to see him finally get one.

Went back out after turkeys on Saturday and ended up with just a sunburn for my efforts. Saw a bunch, but they learn quickly!

Ah, fishing! Back on the tenth I went out for a few hours in the evening. It wasn't until around 9:15 pm that they started to bite. But when they did, it got busy fast! It's a good problem to have when you're taking a fish off of one line, and another pole starts bouncing. I ended up catching seventeen, and I kept five. Two were over ten pounds so it was a blast! The wife and I went Sunday evening and I caught three, with another over ten pounds. I'm using a new to me rig and as funny as it looks, it sure catches catfish! I'm impressed!

Area lakes seem to be heating up these days. I see big catches of crappie, white bass, wipers, and catfish. Just the other day an eighty plus pound blue cat was taken from Milford. I am glad to say that fish was released to fight another day! I personally just can't see killing such a trophy fish. Weigh them, take pictures, and then turn them loose. Those big cats lay a lot of eggs, so we should let them!

Have you all had enough of this self-quarantine crap. In all of history, when we had an outbreak, the sick were quarantined, not the healthy. I smell a big stinking rat and I believe it comes from the governor's office. What on God's green earth does that

nut think gives her the right to decide what we can or can't buy? I have also taken note that she gets both her hair, and makeup professionally done. But we can't get a haircut? I'm pretty sure I am not the only one tired of this big lie being fed to us. While we have businesses failing, every politician in the country is still getting paid! I get furious to think that they think they are better than we are! Since the people have to stay home and not make money, the same should apply to them! But no, they get the fine foods and makeup folks and get their hair done and buy whatever they want. Want to see me raise twenty kinds of hell, just tell me how I can't spend my money. You will not like the results.

I am a firm believer in herd immunity. Stop this stupid shut down and let's get on with our lives. To this day H1N1, and the swine flu killed far more people than COVID 19 ever will. While yes, I think we should be careful, shutting down the state and country was totally uncalled for. Especially since it's not applied evenly.

I have word that our local druggies are in full force. If you feel you need personal protection, get a hold of my wife or I. We can fix you up with some nonlethal defense items. Painful beyond belief, but nonlethal.

I have seen a couple of recall petitions for Governor Kelly, and I have signed them. It's time for the fuhrer to go. No one has the right to do what she's done, and no governor can legally do what she's done. Enough is enough.

She's just another reason I will never, ever vote democrat. And neither should you.

Until next time, be safe and enjoy the outside. And don't let anyone tell you that you can't.

Area Churches

Christ Community Church
454 W Hwy 24
Hoxie

First Presbyterian Church
1101 Sheridan Ave
Hoxie

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Hoxie

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Hoxie

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Thank You

The family of Bonnie Lager would like to thank everyone for all the expressions of sympathy we received at the time of her death.

The lovely cards, donations to her memorial, Mass intentions, plants and floral arrangements, food brought to the house, and caring phone calls were all greatly appreciated.

The meal before the wake prepared by the Angelus D of I and the dinner after the funeral Mass prepared by the Grinnell Altar Society were delicious - thank you.

A special thank you to the staff at Sheridan County Hospital for the compassionate care she received while she was a patient there.

Kristina, Gannon, Brandi, and Brady - thank you for the support you gave us the day of her death. You walked with us through that difficult day.

The care Bud received at this time was amazing. To those of you who held his hand in his hospital room the days we could not be there - thank you.

To Carrie, Katie, and Brandi from the Long Term Care staff - thank you for going out of your way to insure he was able to attend the wake and funeral.

Ron & Linda Lager and children
Fr. John Lager, O.F.M. Cap.
Mark Lager



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Pandemics don't have anything on small towns!

We at JD's want to thank everyone for your continued support and understanding through these unprecedented times.

The generosity and support that comes from our small community is amazing.

We appreciate each and every one of you.

During this time, we will be adjusting our hours to:

7am to 2pm and 4:30pm to 8pm

Thanks again and God Bless.

NWKS & SCHC News

Kansas Consensus Revenue Report

For FY 2020, the estimate decreased by \$815.6 million, while the estimate for other revenues was decreased by \$11.3 million. The overall estimate for total taxes was revised estimate of \$6.825 billion

represents a 74 percent decrease below final FY 2019 receipts.

The revised estimate for FY 2021 is \$7.231 billion, which is \$445.0 million, or 5.8 percent, below the previous estimate. The estimate for total taxes was decreased by \$549.4 million, while the estimate for other revenues was increased by \$104.4 million. The revised forecast for FY 2021 represents a 5.9 percent increase above the newly revised FY 2020 figure. (Full report can be found at <https://bit.ly/34YbgUS>)

Governor Kelly Responds to Consensus Revenue Estimates

Governor Kelly: *Revenue drop will necessitate smart, tough choices in the months ahead*

The following quote is from Governor Laura Kelly:

"Today's projections underscore why I have been such a relentless proponent for fiscal caution since I took office. The unprecedented revenue collapse turned Kansas finances upside down overnight—it is the rainy day we feared could come. But by prioritizing a strong ending balance, fiscally responsible tax policy and proven economic boosters — like public schools and infrastructure — Kansas is better prepared to weather the economic storm."

"Obviously, incredibly difficult budget decisions still loom in the weeks and months ahead. I have already instructed state agencies to freeze non-COVID related hires and identify cost-saving steps that will help protect critical investments as much as possible. This week, I will sit down with my budget director to explore additional, short-term options to manage state cash flow amid this uncertain fiscal climate."

Senate President Susan Wagle Calls for Plan to Open Economy Following Revenue Estimate Report

Senate President Susan Wagle had this to say following the attached budget projections by the Census Revenue Estimating Group:

"Lost jobs, business uncertainty and this unprecedented shortfall is a call for action. We need a plan to safely get our economy moving again, and we need it soon. I sent the Governor a letter last week asking her if we could meet to discuss reopening Kansas and am patiently awaiting a response. We need a productive Kansas to fund our schools, roads and public safety."

Kansas Chamber Releases Plan to Restart State Economy Safely

The Kansas Chamber today released more than 40 recommendations gathered from the state's business community to help restart the state's economy as the COVID-19 pandemic begins to ease.

"The Kansas business community's priority is ensuring its employees are safe and healthy while working to provide the much-needed support, services and products during this global crisis," said Chamber President and CEO Alan Cobb. "At some point, possibly soon, the health crisis will subside to the point where business and society can begin to reopen. To ensure Kansas is ready, state and local government officials and business leaders should work together to develop specific health metrics and safety criteria, that when met, will give businesses, their employees and citizens confidence in the safety of their workplaces so we can begin to reopen the Kansas economy."

The Relief and Recovery Agenda reflects related health and economic data as well as input from chamber members and other business organizations from across the state, representing all industries and business sectors.

Cobb said the safety and health of Kansans should continue to be the priority as the state begins to allow more Kansans to get back to work.

"Kansas needs to ensure the state's plan includes a process to move Kansas from criteria for "essential businesses" to a plan for "safe businesses" that allows all businesses to perform their functions in a manner completely safe for their employees, customers and society," said Cobb. "The health status of geographic regions should be taken into consideration. There also should be specific protections for those most vulnerable based on age and/or health status."

The agenda includes short and long-term recommendations. Most require either to be enacted with an executive order by Governor Laura Kelly or require action by the Kansas Legislature.

"Kansas was one of the last states to fully recover from the 2008-09 recession," said Cobb. "The economic impact of the COVID-19 crisis will have long-term consequences. It is the hope of the Kansas business community, our state will begin planning now so our state is leading the country's recovery efforts this time."

DCF to Distribute Emergency Food Assistance Benefit

Kansans to receive maximum benefit

Governor Laura Kelly and Department for Children and Families Secretary Laura Howard today announced the agency will begin issuing an emergency food assistance benefit to current program households. The emergency allotment increases a household's monthly benefit to the maximum allowed for the size of the family. The maximum monthly benefit for a family of four is \$646.

"The federal Families First Coronavirus Response Act allows states to provide this emergency assistance," Howard said. "We know these additional funds will allow families to purchase more essential groceries for their family while also reducing their visits to grocery stores during this time of social distancing."

"At a time when we are seeing long lines at food distribution sites these additional funds are necessary to keep Kansans fed," Kelly said. "I also want to thank all of the eligibility workers who are making sure this money gets to families quickly."

No application is necessary to receive the emergency

funds. Families should start to see their March emergency benefit on their EBT card beginning April 15. The distribution will follow the standard alphabetical schedule. DCF will distribute April emergency benefits in mid to late May.

Households that already receive the maximum monthly allotment are not eligible for emergency assistance. The allotment is for March and April only.

Those interested in applying for food assistance can visit the DCF website at www.dcf.ks.gov.

For more information on COVID-19 visit: www.kdheks.gov/coronavirus.




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HOXIE MEDICAL CLINIC

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Now & Then

Compiled by Rachel Farber, Archive Director

The Hoxie Democrat
Friday, April 23, 1886
Dr. Robinson was in Oberlin two or three days last week.

Another new member was taken into the Seneca lodge this week.

Charlie Hook is working at his trade at the new town.

Wm Gesford took a flying trip to Nebraska this week.

The twins were in want of a chamber maid last Sunday.

F.S. Ramey is building a large extension to his restaurant.

The brick yard is running full time and are moulding every day.

Charlie Snow has commenced the tin roof on the bank building in Hoxie.

Kenneth's post master moved his family down on his ranch this week.

In two more weeks, if the good weather continues, Kenneth will be no more.

F. S. Ramey has commenced the erection of a fine addition to his popular restaurant.

W. A. Shellabarger's wind mill is now completed and running fine. It is a "Challenge."

Every one in Hoxie will have a well. They are being bored and curbed complete for \$25.

Jas Hartford has been on the sick list for a few days but is now able to be around.

The butcher shop got to Hoxie all right after spending a night or two on the prairie.

Dr. Robinson and J. S. Turner are putting the dirt out of their cellar on the back part of their lots.

The store building of J. S. Turner is inclosed and by next week will be ready for occupancy.

Fee & Lockhart have their building completed, and have a first class barber shop with all the necessary equipments.

Vick was in town last week and wants to be present at the next initiation of a new member into the Seneca lodge.

Judge M. H. Horton was meandering the streets of Kenneth with a Cleaveland plug hat last Saturday. Of course, its only the rich, etc.

The first run away in Hoxie can be credited to ye editor of the *Democrat* whose team ran away last Monday evening. This must not, however, be construed as being the result of Loco.

A large prairie fire was raging in the south part of the county last week, and report says that it has caused great loss and distress. Thousands of acres of land have been burned over and all hay and feed destroyed. This should certainly teach a lesson and next fall every man owning any property should see that it is protected from fire.

A rumor was afloat, last Tuesday, to the effect that the children of Thos. Baird and Robert Scott had eaten loco, that one had died and at least another about to do so. Dr. Freeman was called and found that Mr. Scott's child had the diphtheria, (the first in this country and which was brought here) and that the other had eaten some harmless weed which caused them to vomit.

Sheridan Dottings
Since our last writing the little village of Sheridan has undergone a great change. There are a number of new buildings going up and everything is lively. We predict that in the near future this will be one of the leading towns of the county.

Robert Davis is sojourning on his claim this week.

125 Years Ago
April 25, 1895

W. S. Quisenberry took in the sights at Gove City the first of the week.

W. R. Organ and son Edgar were up from Spring Brook Saturday on business.

Jewell, the Rock Island rain maker, has doubled up his rain making equipments and will again go forth to battle against the elements.

George Griffith, a lawyer of Hill City but formerly a farmer of this county, was in Hoxie Friday. He called at this sanctum and reported that he was doing well in his new field of labor.

The bicycle craze has struck Hoxie, in earnest.

Miss Cora Magner returned Tuesday from Nebraska, where she has been attending school.

I. H. Prince has ornamented the school grounds with 200 trees and cuttings the past week.

Good crowds turn out to hear Mrs. Boise the evangelist, and considerable enthusiasm is being shown.

C. F. Hoch, of Saline, had business in the city Tuesday. He reports that crops are looking well in his neighborhood.

A change has come over the citizens of Colby. They recently turned out a good crowd to see a play by an outside company.

We were told of a regular communication of some secret society being held on the low dales of Sand Creek a Sunday or so ago.

Sam Davidson has had several chances to hire his header for the season, but thinks it will pay him better to keep it and let it out by the acre.

Burt Turner called at this office yesterday to inform us that crops were never more promising in his part of Saline township than they are now. He says that we will raise a crop this year, is foregone conclusion with all.

Sheriff Bardwell, who is a pop from start to finish, evidently lost his grip on the lever which controls the wheels in his head Monday night, for while out riding on his bicycle he ran in to S. C. Davis' wheel and pulled two spokes out of his wheel.

Postmaster Davidson doesn't propose to let Hoxie fall behind the procession, so he has two copies of Trilby which he will rent at 25 cents per read. Let the band wagon move on, we are up with her and will stay there.

County Superintendent Peason was perhaps the proudest man in all Sheridan county last Friday. All in consequence of the arrival of a great big boy at his house that day. Dr. Hall the attending physician says, that with little care Charley will be able to attend to his official duties in a short time.

Macgraw Items
Most of the farmers around Macgraw are planting corn.

Jeak Barber is keeping batch at Bachelors Hall on his farm southeast of Macgraw.

The smile W. H. Dedrick had on his face a few weeks back, can now be tied in a bow know at the back of his head, over the prospects of a crop.

Some sneak thief had the impudence to break into G. W. Crane's smokehouse one night last week and help himself to seven or eight dollars worth of meat.

Pat
100 Years Ago
April 22, 1920

The Light Bonds
The City of Hoxie will hold a special election to vote bonds to enlarge and fully equip its light plant, making it one of the best power plants in this section. This should be done by all means and no citizen should vote against the bonds because of a few cents extra in taxes.

You must pay for service nowadays and it is a plain business proposition that confronts the citizens of Hoxie, the plant must be made adequate for the growth and development of our city.

A condition confronts us, not a theory, and the most economical way to meet the situation is to put in a plant that will supply the service the people demand. Vote for the bonds.

Local News
C. J. Kallman, accompanied by Mrs. Kallman, was over from Rexford to manage the Edison program Friday evening. He put on a similar program at Rexford and had a crowded house and reports prospects good for many sales of the Edison machine this spring.

Now is the time to remodel that house that you have been figuring on so long. Come in and let us help you. We have all the material necessary. Foster Lumber Co.

Mrs. Willis Johnson was shopping in Hoxie Wednesday. Her sister, Mrs. J. H. Wade, of Eustis, Florida, is visiting



Ads from *The Hoxie Sentinel* for tires from 100 years ago. (Kenoxie Archives and Museum photo)

her and will remain here this summer.

The home talent play, "Shanty-town," put on by the Juniors of the high school, last Saturday and Monday evenings, was a decided success. We have heard many remark that it was one of the best plays the high school has given which speaks volumes for the students and their coach, Miss Arnold.

Hoxie Post No. 221 of the American Legion will meet Monday evening in the I. O. O. F. hall. All members are urged to come. We want new members and ask that those wishing to join bring their discharge certificate.

A. C. Arnold, of Manhattan, Kansas, closed a deal this week whereby he takes over the entire battery business of the W. D. Freeman garage and the battery repairing and recharging business of the Hoxie Tire Shop. Mr. Fairchild retains the agency for the Eveready battery and will continue to sell new batteries. Mr. Arnold has leased the White Way Garage and will move thereto in a few days where he may be found ready to serve the people in his line. He is a pleasant gentleman to meet and will no doubt enjoy a nice business.

A tragic romance of a woman who wedded the wrong man is the substance of "When Fate Decides," which will be shown at the Palace Saturday night.

Houck's Landing
By Remus Spaulding
Ben Wessel is quite low with rheumatism of the heart.

The revival services at Bloomfield are entitled to the moral support of the community.

A sister of Mrs. D. H. Woods, and family from Tulsa, Oklahoma, are here visiting at the Woods home.

Russel Morris, of Menlo, passed through the Landing Friday on his way to the Will Teel home in Bow Creek township.

75 Years Ago

April 19, 1945

G. R. Father - Daughter

The Girl Reserves at the High School entertained their fathers to a banquet, on April 4th. The gym was transformed into a farm scene and this theme was carried out in table appointments and in other ways. The dinner was prepared by the ladies of the Presbyterian Church and served by a group of boys chosen for this honor. Group singing and specialties and talk by Reverend Pomeroy made it an occasion which will be long remembered. About two hundred were present for this splendid banquet.

Local Happenings

Charles E. Mowry, T-5, reported back to Fort Leavenworth on April 10th. He has had a 30 day leave and spent most of the time with his father Matt Mowry and other relatives here. He had been in the Aleutians previous to this furlough. From Leavenworth he reported to Shelby, Miss.

Private Harm Briery was wounded the first of March while in combat on Luzon. He has written his father and other relatives that he has been in a convalescing hospital but is now recovered. He has been taken from non-combat service and at the time he wrote he did not know just where or what his duties would be.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Short of Belleville left yesterday after about a ten day visit with Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Smith and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Short are the parents of Mrs. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Schlicher are having a basement dug between the homes of E. A. Monteith and Cora Mowry Largent. The lot was purchased of Monteiths. It is planned to move a house in when the basement is ready for it.

The L. L. Slaven family from north of Tasco spent the week end in town with the Bill Haynes family. The two boys Dennis and Doyle attended school on Monday with Leon Haynes.

Mrs. Edith Lukinchook and

Miss Barbara Martin spent the week end in Grinnell, a guest of Mrs. Max Martin. Dr. and Mrs. Barkley, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin, Mrs. Lukinchook, Barbara Martin and Patricia Reed were in Gove Friday evening to enjoy the senior play coached by Mrs. Max Martin. Mrs. Mae Bower returned to Hoxie with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin and spent the storm week end with the Howard Reed family.

Society News

Betty Joan Baalman invited the pupils of the seventh grade to help her celebrate her 13th birthday anniversary Saturday evening. The group danced and played games at the C. G. Baalman home and were served refreshments at the end of the happy evening.

The Girl Scouts of troupe Number Two entertained an equal number of boys April 11th. The crowd gathered first at the H. H. Hirsch home where they played games and were served refreshments before attending the show. Mrs. Nettie Landon chaperoned the happy group.

The Legion Benefit Card Party on April 9th had the following winners. In pitch Nick Wagoner was high, Mrs. Nick Wagoner second high. In bridge Matt Boxler was high, and Mrs. Rena Newland second. In pinochle there were more tables of players and more prizes given. Mrs. Jamison and Clyde Leister were high, Mrs. Alice Turner and Erskine James second. Nick Wagoner received the door prize.

50 Years Ago

April 23, 1970

Grade Wrestlers Place at Garden City

Saturday, April 19, forty Hoxie Grade School wrestlers traveled to Garden City for a wrestling tournament. Hoxie topped the placing with 17 wrestlers in the first three places. All together they had seven firsts, two seconds, and eight thirds.

McGraw News

Mr. and Mrs. Theo McKenna spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hartzog and family. Sunday supper guests of the Hartzogs were Mr. and Mrs. Gail Oliver and family.

Mrs. Helen Tice spent several days in Oberlin last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charley Tice, Mrs. Ethel Kelley and J. R. and Mrs. Sadie Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kaspar were Sunday supper guests of the George Launchbaughs.

Rex Getz Wins Trap Shoot

Rex Getz took first place in the trap shoot held here Sunday, sponsored by the Hoxie Gun Club. Dr. John Neuenschwander placed 2nd, Don Emerick, 3rd, and Verlin Miller, 4th.

Tom Tom Tribune

Twirp Day - The theme for this year's twirp day, which falls on May 1, is Grandma and Grandpa day. The object of the day is to see who can dress the most old-fashioned. A king and queen will be selected by the Kayette Cabinet to honor those most exemplifying the theme. They will be crowned at the dance in the high school that evening. Dates for the dance that night are to be girl's choice. A small donation will be received from each student for "meals for millions" at the dance.

Art Class at Colby Festival - Wednesday, April 15, the art class set out for the second annual Art Festival at Colby Juco. The morning was taken up by a general assembly and a paint-in. Given the theme Aquarius, the students were turned loose in the gym to paint whatever they wanted. The picture Hoxie painted was brought home and hung in the student room. After lunch, Walt Greene gave a demonstration of portrait painting that was very interesting. Several of the kids from Hoxie had pictures to exhibit and be judged. Mr. Ted Barnes and Mrs. Trudy Steinsouer accompanied the group.

Broadway News

Mr. and Mrs. David Smith of McComb, Ill. announce the arrival of Kristen Marie on April 12. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Smith of Seattle, Wash. and Mrs.

Edith Breeden of Hoxie. Cass Breeden of Quinter is the great grandfather.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hibbs and Teresa were Tuesday supper guests at Albert Smiths.

George Simon called on Winnie Eberly at Quinter Tuesday. Edwin remains quite ill at the hospital. Mrs. Dwayne Simon called there on Friday.

Studley Items

Mrs. Phyllis McClelland and Mrs. Beryl Covalt were guests at the Hoxie Cultus Club meeting Tuesday afternoon. Their sons were in the group of glee club boys of Hoxie High School who had a number on the program.

Mrs. Elsie White, Mrs. Anna Moore and Mrs. Rachel Stout helped as gray ladies at Hoxie LTC Tuesday afternoon of last week. Mrs. Grace Spencer and Miss Hilda Pratt are helping today (Monday).

Ladies Aid met with Mrs. Flavel Twell Wednesday afternoon. Eleven ladies were present. Our lesson leader, Mrs. Martha McClelland was absent. Each one took a part in the lesson. Flavel served refreshments.

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Collecting for a local charity, a teenage girl was given a check by a famous actor. Telling the fund director of her good fortune, she said, "And here's his check for \$500."

"That's fine," said the director, looking at the check, "but where's his signature?"

"Oh," the girl explained, "I cut it off and pasted it in my autograph book."

25 Years Ago

April 20, 1995

Second Grade Indian Pow Wow

The Hoxie second graders will be hosting their annual Indian Pow Wow on Tuesday, April 25. The festivities will begin at 7 p.m. in the grade school gym. Once again there will also be an afternoon performance at 1:30 p.m. The Pow Wow will consist of singing, dancing, and a craft display. The boys and girls look forward to sharing their knowledge of our Indian culture. We welcome everyone to our Pow Wow.

Math Contestants Go to State

Saturday, March 25, seventh grader Jessica Kaufman, sixth grader Mark Torluemke, and fifth grader Ben Cressler traveled to McPherson to represent Hoxie at the State Math Contest.

Jessica competed against 41 other contestants to place 25th in Geometry. Mark placed 16th in Mental Math against 44 other sixth graders. Ben placed 15th out of 48 in Problem Solving, and 19th out of 42 in Geometry.

Broadway News

Dave and Lynn Popp treated Mable Popp to lunch at the Q-Inn in Quinter on Sunday, April 9.

Scott, Carrie and A. J. Breeden spent Saturday afternoon and evening with Ken and Pat Breeden. F. I. Breeden was also a supper guest.

Stan and Debbie Smith were Easter weekend guests of Debbie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim O'Dell in Brighton, Colo.

Rexford News

Ten people enjoyed the carry-in dinner at the Red Barn on Saturday, April 8. Some stayed to quilt in the afternoon.

Cleda Moeder, Virginia Mustoe and Eileen Dible attended a luncheon at the Ramada Inn in Colby Friday sponsored by the Sunflower Bank.

Selden Happenings

Lydia Weber, who as hostess to the senior citizens was unable to be there, but furnished the lunch. A get well card was signed for Lydia. The awards banquet is to be this Wednesday, April 19, and everyone who is going is to be at the center by 4 p.m. Several are planning to go. There were three tables of pinochle and one of dominoes.

Margaret Sloan and her sister Ruth Currier, spent the weekend with Ruth's daughter and husband Max and Georgia Weber in St. Mary's Kans.

Legals & Farm News



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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF SHERIDAN COUNTY, KANSAS PROBATE DIVISION

In the Matter of the Estate of
MARGARET ZERR, Deceased.

Case No.: 2020-PR-000010

NOTICE OF HEARING AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a petition dated March 30, 2020, has been filed in this court by Ralph G. Zerr and Alberta Cameron, as surviving children of Margaret Zerr, deceased, praying for administration of said estate and for the appointment of Ralph G. Zerr and Alberta Cameron as co-executors of the estate.

You are further advised that the petitioner in this matter has requested administration pursuant to the Kansas Simplified Estates Act, and if such request is granted the court may not supervise administration of the estate and no further notice of any action of the administrator or other proceedings in the estate will be given except for notice of final settlement of the decedent's estate. Should written objections to simplified administration be filed with the court, the court may order supervised administration to ensue.

You are hereby required to file your written defenses to the appointment of Ralph G. Zerr and Alberta Cameron as co-executors of the estate on or before **April 27, 2020 at 11:00 A.M.** in this court in the city of Hoxie in Sheridan County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the petition.

All creditors are notified to exhibit their demands against the estate within four months from the date of the first publication of this notice as provided by law, and if their demands are not thus exhibited they shall be forever barred.

/s/ Ralph G. Zerr
Ralph G. Zerr, Petitioner/s/ Alberta Cameron
Alberta Cameron, Petitioner

/s/ Steven W. Hirsch
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NOTICE OF PRIMARY ELECTION STATE OF KANSAS SHERIDAN COUNTY K.S.A. 25-204

In accordance with the provisions of KSA 25-204, notice is hereby given that a Primary Election will be held August 4, 2020. Candidates for the following offices will be nominated by each political party which has qualified to participate in the Primary Election:

One candidate for United States Senate
One candidate for United States Representative – 1st District
One candidate for State Senate – 40th District
One candidate for State Representative – 118th District
One candidate for District Court Judge – 15th District, 1st, 2nd Divisions
One candidate for District Magistrate Judge – 15th District, 3rd Position

One candidate for County Commissioner – 2nd District
One candidate for County Commissioner – 3rd District
One candidate for County Clerk
One candidate for County Treasurer
One candidate for County Register of Deeds
One candidate for County Sheriff
One candidate for County Attorney

One candidate for Township Trustee and Township Treasurer in each of the following townships: Adell, Bowcreek, Solomon and Valley

The following officers will be elected in each political party which has qualified to participate in the Primary Election:

One Precinct Committeeman in each Precinct
One Precinct Committeewoman in each Precinct

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed my official seal. Done this 9th day of April, A.D. 2020.

Heather Bracht
Sheridan County Election Officer

(Last published in The Sheridan Sentinel April 30, 2020)

H-2A Requirements Amended During COVID-19

The Department of Homeland Security, with the support of the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA), has announced a temporary final rule to change certain H-2A requirements to help U.S. agricultural employers avoid disruptions in lawful agricultural-related employment, protect the nation's food supply chain and lessen impacts from the coronavirus (COVID-19) public health emergency. These temporary flexibilities will not weaken or eliminate protections for U.S.

workers. Under this temporary final rule, an H-2A petitioner with a valid temporary labor certification who is concerned that workers will be unable to enter the country due to travel restrictions can start employing certain foreign workers who are currently in H-2A status in the United States immediately after United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) receives the H-2A petition, but no earlier than the start date of employment listed on the petition. To take advantage of this time-limited change in regulatory requirements, the H-2A worker seeking to change employers must already be in the United States and in valid H-2A status.

Additionally, USCIS is temporarily amending its regulations to protect the country's food supply chain by allowing H-2A workers to stay beyond the three-year maximum allowable period of stay in the United States. These temporary changes will encourage and facilitate the continued lawful employment of foreign temporary and seasonal agricultural workers during the COVID-19 national emergency.

Kansas Corn: USDA Aid Package to Help Producers Endure Pandemic Losses

USDA's aid package announced on Friday is a good start to provide needed assistance to help farmers and their customers endure the financial impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic, according to the Kansas Corn Growers Association.

"All of agriculture is hurting, and this relief provides direct assistance to our corn farmers and to our customers, livestock producers and feeders. It not only supports agriculture, it addresses food security for the American consumer," KCGA CEO Greg Krissek said. "We will work with the National Corn Growers Association to keep corn producers informed on program details."

The Coronavirus Food Assistance Program (CFAP) will provide \$19 billion in immediate relief for America's farmers and ranchers, maintain the food supply chain and ensure access to food for American consumers. The program provides \$3.9 billion for row crop producers. The livestock industry, the top customer for corn, will receive \$9.6 billion in assistance, helping to ensure that this important market can continue to function. Payment rates have not been released by USDA, but the signup will reportedly occur in May and payments would likely begin in June.

USDA payment limitations set in the farm bill will apply. These USDA payments would be independent of Small Business Administration programs, so payments from the Paycheck Protection Program (PPP) would not impact USDA payments.

Funding to assist ethanol producers was not included in this program.

"Ethanol producers are not included in this program. They are suffering a direct hit by market losses caused by the pandemic, and we are feeling that impact in Kansas," Krissek said. "We are hopeful that Federal assistance can be earmarked for the ethanol industry, which is a key component of our fuel supply, provides valuable feed to our cattle producers and jobs and boosts our rural and Midwest economies."

KCGA continues to work closely with NCGA's Washington, D.C. staff to address the COVID-19 pandemic and remains committed to creating solutions to help corn farmers and their customers recover from the financial impacts of this crisis. Kansas Corn created a COVID-19 Toolkit on its kscorn.com website to provide resources and information for growers. More information can be found at www.kscorn.com/covid-19.

National Sorghum Foundation Opens Scholarship Applications

The National Sorghum Foundation opened three scholarship applications today for college students studying agriculture in the 2020-2021 academic year with an application deadline of June 1, 2020.

"Since its inception in 2000, the National Sorghum Foundation has been proud to award outstanding students with the financial

assistance necessary to succeed," National Sorghum Foundation Chairman Larry Lambright said. "We look forward to supporting students who excel in academics, leadership and service to their universities and communities."

Bruce Maunder Memorial Scholarship: Bruce Maunder was a lifetime advocate for sorghum and a man admired throughout the industry for his dedication to sorghum. Bruce also ran the National Sorghum Foundation as chair for almost 20 years. Darrell Rosenow Memorial Scholarship: Darrell Rosenow spent over 40 years as a sorghum plant breeder and developed a reputation as a pioneer in hybrid sorghum breeding. This scholarship is presented in Rosenow's honor in support of the next generation of agricultural pioneers. Bill Kubecka Memorial Scholarship: Bill Kubecka served as a sorghum sector representative on the U.S. Grains Council board, the Nation Sorghum Producers board and Sorghum Checkoff board. Throughout his life, Kubecka remained active and engaged in the advocacy process for sorghum and U.S. sorghum producers.

Each scholarship includes an award of \$1,500 to be applied to one semester of tuition expenses and the Kubecka Memorial Scholarship includes an all-expense paid trip to Washington, D.C. More information about each scholarship's criteria and application forms can be found online at SorghumGrowers.com/Foundation-Scholarships/.

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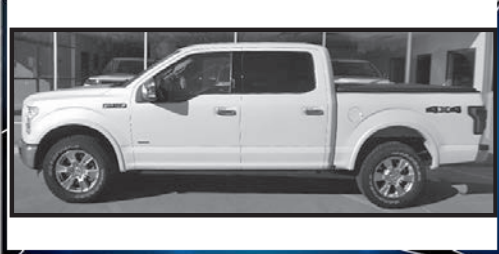
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