



Plant Flowers

Students and staff at St. Margaret Preschool of Kimball planted flowers near the Kimball Post Office on May 10. Participating in the flower planting were, back row, from left, Instructor Melissa Kunzweiler, Weston Dick, Ally Geppert, Nicholas Boesen, Instructor Margaret Lake, Nick Geppert,

Garret Westendorf and Instructor Connie Fatland and front, David Leiferman, Adley Reindl, Rhys Truman, Johnny Lenz, Cadence Konechne, Michael Brennan, Dalton Deffenbaugh and Autumn Baker.

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Kailee Frank, Shayda Ness, Elena Brennan, Kashden Moore, Instructors Connie Fatland and Melissa Kunzweiler and Cooper Leiferman and front, Gunner Anderson, Graden Holan, Mayson Farley, John Steckelberg and Cylas Assman.

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Boomer Babble - Thoughts At Large

by Charles Ortman

Healthy Diets - Now and Then

We have mentioned that the trend with many of the Boomers is to live a healthier lifestyle. That would be eating smarter and some kind of exercise. Whenever I hear that there is a trend, I always wonder how many people it takes to make a trend. It seems if a product is being sold such as all natural, organic, GMO free, grassfed, stress-free food or supplements or exercise equipment, there must not be too many people needed to make a trend. In the advertisements or in the movies, everybody around is happy, eating good stuff and out jogging, kayaking, biking or at the very least, sitting in two bathtubs looking at a sunset. However, when I am in a crowd of people at the mall or ball game, I don't see many of those people. True, I suppose they are all out jogging, kayaking, biking or taking a bath; hopefully not in the mall. So I am skeptical about trends. I am sure we should be eating both better and I suppose, less. Again, looking around crowds, evidently the former trend of eating a lot, often and without any health thoughts, along with avoidance of any form of exercise still seems to be in the majority.

To be fair, Boomers grew up during a time when our mothers tried to give us the healthiest food they knew. I don't think the word, "nutrition" was ever used in our house when I was a kid. There was a lot of food that was good for you and you had to eat your vegetables to get dessert. And you needed to clean your plate to keep children in Africa or India or China from starving. We all know that logic was beyond us as children but if your parents said it, it must be true. But let's get back to the food that was considered good for you. Meat and potatoes were two of the basic food groups. In our family, gravy was normal. Plenty of bread with a generous spread-of-butter was automatically included. How else did you push your food on your fork? Use a knife? I don't think so; are we British? True, there was usually a vegetable on the plate. The green ones were the greater price to pay for dessert; corn with butter and salt was easy. Big glasses of whole milk were standard. Salad was only when there was special company and not always then. Depending on your ancestry, you maybe had other staples like dumplings or pasta or beans.

The desserts were the favorites but even they were considered healthy because they were made with good fresh cream and butter or lard and good white flour and the purest sugar. How could that not be good for you? Healthy or not, the food we grew up with tasted great! No wonder we have trouble getting on board with the new healthy trend.

Boomer Babble - "Thoughts At Large" are written by the Boomer Babble Guys, Charles, Doug and John with occasional help from friends. The Boomer Babble radio show is broadcast on WNAX 570 Sunday evenings at 5 p.m. Persons may visit at BoomerBabble.com.

Television association establishes scholarships at SDSU and MTI

The South Dakota Cable Television Association announced the establishment of two scholarships for students attending postsecondary schools in South Dakota.

South Dakota State University of Brookings and Mitchell Technical Institute of Mitchell will each award \$1,000 annually, beginning in 2012, to qualified students as a result of the donations made by members of the state association.

The scholarships at Mitchell Technical Institute are for students in telecommunications and satellite technology programs. The SDSU scholarship is for one student in their junior year, studying wildlife conservation. Wildlife conservation was chosen in memory of the late Brent Wilbur of Pierre, who served for years as valued counsel and advocate for the South Dakota Cable Television Association.

Scholarship recipients will be chosen by SDSU and MTI each year and scholarships will be disbursed by each respective school's foundation.

Members of the South Dakota Cable Television Association are video service, Internet and phone providers across the state. Mike Drummond of Midcontinent Communications serves as association president. Chad Mutziger of Midstate Communications of Kimball and Chamberlain, serves as vice-president and Steve Schirber of Knology of the Black Hills serves as secretary/treasurer.

Bre Hess will work with Gishwati Project this summer

by Maria Birch

In early June, Breanna "Bre" Hess of Chamberlain will be flying out of the Des Moines, Iowa, airport on the first leg of a trip to Rwanda in east central Africa.

Hess is the daughter of Joe and Beth Hess of Chamberlain.

She will spend six weeks as a researcher with the Gishwati Project in northwestern Rwanda.

Although smaller than the state of Iowa, Rwanda's population hovers around 11.7 million.

"It is very densely populated," commented Hess.

The research Hess will do meshes tightly with her studies at Drake University in Des Moines, Iowa, where she is working towards a bachelor of science degree in biology with a concentration on primate conservation.

Invited to the project by her professors, Hess says this will be her capstone project and will lay the groundwork for her bachelor's thesis.

The project is an effort to revitalize the Gishwati rainforest and the chimpanzee population within the rain forest.

Located in northwestern Rwanda, the forest was decimated in the 1990s when refugees from the

Rwanda genocide fled to the area and began clearing the forest to create subsistence farms.

The 250,000 acre Gishwati rainforest was diminished to 1,500 acres by 2001. In the process, the chimpanzee population almost fell into extinction.

Hess will work alongside fellow Drake University students and professors in a project that will connect the now growing Gishwati forest with the Nyungwe national forest 30 miles to the south.

Connecting the two rainforests is necessary for preserving the chimpanzee population, explains Hess. The northern forest population dwindled to just 13 chimpanzees.

Hess explained the northern chimpanzee population needs access to the south chimpanzees to preserve gene diversity.

As chimpanzees travel the natural corridor between the two forests,

they often raid farmers' fields.

This has led to poaching and shooting the chimpanzees.

In a multi-pronged approach, trees are being planted to re-forest the area and researchers are working with farmers to grow different crops in the area traveled by chimpanzees.

"If they grow things chimpanzees don't like to eat, the raiding will stop," said Hess. "And then the hope is the poaching and shooting will also stop."

This summer's project will include a survey of the sight line - the area visible to chimpanzees as they travel the corridor and educating farmers about growing beyond that sight line and growing non-edibles in the corridor.

"I'm excited to be part of this project," said Hess. "This is groundbreaking work in so many ways."

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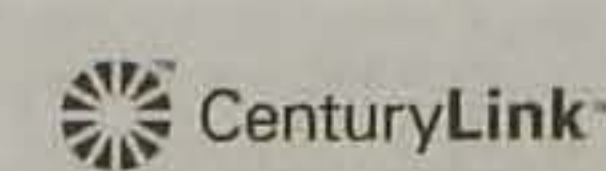
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EXPLORING SOUTH DAKOTA



By Katie Hunhoff
Editor at South Dakota Magazine

USD's Anarchist Professor

South Dakota's college professors get often tagged as being too conservative or too liberal but few have the radical background of Alexander Pell, a University of South Dakota at Vermillion professor who was wanted in his home country of Russia for his rebellious actions against the Czar.

After fleeing Russia with a 10,000 ruble price on his head, Pell and his wife adopted new names and moved to Canada and then to the United States. At the age of 40, he earned a doctorate at John Hopkins University in Baltimore in 1897 and then began teaching math at USD, which had just 410 students at the time.

Pell and his wife, Emma, settled comfortably in the small university town. He jumped into student culture, playing in chess tournaments, ice skating, entertaining in his home, leading pep rallies and academic debates and taking his turn at chapel exercises.

The Russian expanded his position to include sciences and rallied for a department of engineering, which became a reality in 1903. By 1907, the department was thriving and Pell became the dean. The former rebel was described as "a model teacher, an able administrator and a kind, generous, out-going friend to students and faculty colleagues," according to Von Hardesty and John D. Unruh, Jr. in a 1972 article in South Dakota History.

Emma passed away in 1904 and Pell remarried a prized former student named Anna Johnson from Akron, Iowa. Pell's friend, Dean Lewis Akeley recalled Pell had once stated that girls couldn't make it as mathematicians and if one did, "someone would marry her and spoil it all." Determined not to let that happen to his new wife, Pell resigned at USD in 1911 and moved to Chicago where she earned her PhD at the University of Chicago and he taught math and theoretical mechanics at Armour Institute of Technology. Anna went on to a brilliant math career, teaching at both Mount Holyoke and Bryn Mawr. Pell died in 1921 without anyone discovering his dark past in Russia.

Born Sergei Degaev, he was raised in a family that openly denounced the repressing Czarist regime. Degaev's mother was the daughter of a well-known Russian writer and historian and her salon was a popular meeting place for revolutionaries. Degaev dreamed of taking action against their tyrannical government in an era when merely criticizing the Czar could land a person in prison for years of hard labor.

After graduating from military training, where he received top honors, Degaev studied math at the Institute of Civil Engineering. He joined a revolutionary movement called the Peoples' Will, an underground group that had one goal - to assassinate Czar Alexander II. One of the projects Degaev worked on was creating a tunnel from a cheese factory under a road traveled by the Czar in order to blow him up from underground. That didn't work but in 1881 another plot succeeded and the Czar was dead. But the Peoples' Will failed to install a revolutionary government and the even more repressive Alexander III became the new ruler. One year after the successful assassination, Degaev was put into prison after being caught with a printing press. In prison, Colonel George Sudeikin, inspector of the



that leaving Russia was his best option and his new life as Alexander Pell began.

His secret past was never discovered but colleagues at USD remembered one incident that offered a hint of his colorful past. At a football game on an October night, emotions were running high as USD's Coyotes played Mitchell away from home and were far outnumbered by local fans. Some Mitchell youth ripped a USD banner from a cheering student and a fight erupted. Professor Pell jumped into the fray to defend his students. According to the 1902 student newspaper, the Volante, Pell emerged from the ruckus with a bloodied face and torn shirt but also with the highest esteem from his students.

Pell biographers, Von Hardesty and Unruh concluded that Sergei Degaev, "informer, agent provocateur, killer" had become Alexander Pell, "outstanding scholar, beloved teacher, warm friend and counselor to students, loving husband."

Alexander Pell was featured in a 1994 South Dakota Magazine article by Dana C. Jennings.

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\$217,583 Dakota Cash jackpot is won in Rapid City

A single ticket sold in Rapid City matched all five numbers in the May 2 drawing to win the \$217,583 Dakota Cash jackpot.

The winning numbers for the May 2 Dakota Cash drawing are 5, 6, 7, 24 and 27. The odds of winning the game's jackpot are 1:324,632.

The ticket holder is advised to sign the back of the ticket immediately, put it in a safe place and contact the Rapid City Lottery Office at 605-394-5106 or the Pierre Lottery Office at 605-773-5770 to make arrangements to validate the ticket and claim the prize.

The winner has 180 days to claim their winnings.

Johnsson is recipient of Distinguished Award Contribution for 2012

The board of directors of the Center for Western Studies, Augustana College in Sioux Falls, named Lillian Johnsson of Chamberlain as the recipient for the 2012 Award for Distinguished Contribution to the Preservation of the Cultural Heritage of South Dakota and the Northern Plains.

The award was presented at the Saturday closing luncheon of the 44th annual History Conference on April 28.

Both Johnsson and her husband, Gil Johnsson, are long-time members of the center with Gil having received a similar award in 2000.

Lillian Johnsson was honored for her many years of presentations at the conference and the quality of her papers. She has been a long-time member of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, where she represented South Dakota on the President's White House Commission on Women in American History, received the GFWC of South Dakota's Jennie Award for Leadership, served as state president, plus other community projects. She has given presentations on numerous research papers at the Dakota Conference and received the Arthur and Willmeta Johnson Award for her 2010 paper, "She Chose Her Own Path: Nellie Willhite, South Dakota's First Woman Pilot." She has worked with the Akta Lakota Museum in Chamberlain and on numerous other community projects.



Alexander Pell is pictured with the USD baseball team.

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Silver Awards

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Alayna Steckelberg, left, and Carrie Kickland were honored at the Girl Scouts - Dakota Horizons Recognition Ceremony April 28 in Sioux Falls. The girls received their Silver Awards. The Silver Award is the highest award in Cadette Scouts. The achievement is earned by demonstrating leadership, strength of character, commitment to excellence, service to community and for exemplifying the ideas of the Girl Scout Promise and Law. Steckelberg is the daughter of Mike and Judy Steckelberg of Chamberlain and Kickland, the daughter of Rocky and Denisha Kickland, also of Chamberlain.

Supreme Court denies petition in Norbeck Preserve Challenge

Attorney General Marty Jackley announced the United States Supreme Court has denied the Friends of Norbeck and Native Ecosystem's petition to review in the Norbeck Wildlife Preserve Challenge.

On Sept. 3, 2010, the Friends of Norbeck and the Native Ecosystems Council filed a lawsuit in Colorado Federal District Court requesting a permanent injunction to enjoin implementation of the timber management plan for the preserve area. On Oct. 12, 2010, the State of South Dakota, filed a motion to intervene into the litigation and to move venue from Colorado to South Dakota District Court.

"It was and remains the state's position that there is a considerable local interest in the Norbeck Wildlife Preserve and that South Dakotans have a unique stake in the management of the Norbeck Wildlife Preserve giving rise to a more appropriate litigation forum here in South Dakota," said Jackley.

On Oct. 18, 2010, the Colorado District Court agreed and transferred the case to Federal District Court in South Dakota.

In November of 2011, the United States Eighth Circuit Court of Appeals affirmed the United States District Court of South Dakota's dismissal of the environmentalists' lawsuit that sought to block implementation of the timber management plan for the Norbeck Wildlife Preserve area in the Black Hills.

"We can now appropriately continue with the Norbeck forestry plan to preserve our forest," said Jackley. "Without immediate action to counter the pine beetle infestation, our forest and wildlife remain at risk."

The other challenge to the overall forest plan remains on-going in federal court in Wyoming. The State of South Dakota has successfully intervened into the latest litigation over the Black Hills Forest Land and Resource Management Plan recently filed by environmentalists in the United States District Court of Wyoming. Environmental groups are seeking to invalidate and delay the United States Forest Service forest plan in South Dakota and Wyoming. Part of the litigation centers upon certain site-specific projects that are designed to address the devastating effects of the pine beetle epidemic that is occurring in the Black Hills. The States of South Dakota and Wyoming have intervened in the action asserting sovereign and economic interests within the Black Hills National Forest that would be harmed by a decision in the environmentalist favor.

Final arguments in this case are scheduled for July in Casper, WY.

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Callers during the week on Pat Cummings included Denny and Jerri Cummings of Rapid City on way to Sioux Falls, Jo Ann Cummings of Pierre for Dyrk Hrabe funeral and Norma Mines and Alta Ramey. Saturday Sandy Heinrich and daughter Dee Dee Peterson and family from Platte, and Sharlene Hrabe Stanley from Rapid City visited. Monday Shaun and Brenda (Cummings) Wood of Rapid City stopped.

Kenny and Norma Mines attended funeral of Elanor Thompson on Monday in Chamberlain and Tuesday the funeral of Kelly Urban in Kimball. Sympathy to all the families.

Lowell and Wilda Myers, Sherry Hagerty of White Lake, Penny Hopkins and Amber and Chris, Rob Myers, and Sonya Christiansen of Norfolk, NE, spent time in Yankton for Ryan Myers, son of Russel Myers, graduating

from Vermillion. Lowell and Wilda also went to Dyrk Hrabe's funeral Friday and prayer service Sunday for Eleanor Thompson.

Over 500 attended the Taste of Home Cooking School Saturday at Cedar Shore Resort. Ardyce McManus, JoAnn Giedd and Merna Picek were among local ladies attending the event.

Zola Ashley now of Wessington Spring, attended Kimball church Sunday. The end of season event of cowboy mounted shooting was held at the Ashley Arena and Alta Ramey called on Tucker and Crystal Ashley and the shooting events too.

Rae Ann Dolezal attended prayerservicesSundayevening

for Eleanor Thompson.

Shirley McGhee attended the hospital auxiliary convention over the weekend in Pierre.

Jim and Gladys Wells attended the reception Friday evening in Pukwana for Ben and Daniel McFarland on their graduation from Mitchell Tech. Saturday the Wells attended the Kimball reception for graduation, Kelsey Long.

A nice group of ladies and children attended the 2nd annual Spring Tea Saturday afternoon at the Free Lutheran Pukwana Church Fellowship Hall. The theme was "The Hat my Mother Wore".

JoAnn Giedd, Ardyce McManus, Jean Shrake and Merna Picek ate out Sunday

brunch for Mother's Day.

Late afternoon guests in the Bob and Sue Folan home in Kimball were Bill and Donna Picek, Alisha Nachtigal, Madison, Baleigh, and Ryker of Platte. Philip and Leann Larson, Arlene Houska, Tim Houska, of Sioux Falls, and Merna Picek for Mother's Day.

Sunday Arnold and Shirley McGhee ate out with Leonard Allece Montoya in Chamberlain.

My little birds nest on the front door is full of bundles of fluff, and baby birds. Mom and dad bird both take care of them. It is fun to watch.

Happy Mother's Day to all! The Pukwana American Legion 201 Auxiliary ladies

met on Saturday May 12, in the Judy Maloney home in Chamberlain at 1 pm with six senior members present.

Lunch was served early by Judy, and Penny Hannel led the business meeting, with usual pledge, prayer, and preamble recited by group, followed by secretary/treasurer reports by Shirley McGhee and poppy sales for May and if any volunteers to attend June meeting in Watertown.

Plans for Memorial Day event on May 28 with program and pot luck and the successful Teich Benefit held recently, followed by a discussion of community affairs with adjournment following. June meeting in June will be last meeting until September.

CES students partake in Field Day despite chilly weather



Ella Phillips and Nevaeh Hoffer, first graders, compete in the sack race. Nevaeh Hoffer took home a blue ribbon for the event.



Makenzy Mutziger, fourth grader, makes her way through the hoops on the obstacle course.



Third graders Willard Dubray, Dawson Hoffman, and Tyson Rabbit compete in the shuffle run.



Aspen Hickey, kindergarten, jumps rope in hopes of receiving a ribbon.



Elementary students hop, skip and gallop in the water cup event, trying their best not to lose too much water out of their cup. The student with the most water left over won the game.



Mrs. Lien's second grade class parade onto the track with Brooklyn Thomas and Brooks Swanson leading with signs promoting their country, England, for the theme of this year's field day, 2012 Olympics.



Ethan Colombe leaps off the line pushing forward to reach a soild distance in the long jump event.

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Briefs in History
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Lyman-Brule Genealogical Society

104 Years Ago
May 7, 1908
Lyman County Argus
Leader

Roswell D. Lillie, 84, of Iona, died at Mr. Felton's April 28 from blood poisoning caused by severe burns from a fire on his place.

An Epworth League was organized at Iona last Sunday.

Petitions are being circulated west of Reliance asking the railroad company to establish another town between Reliance and Kennebec.

The Hon. Hall Irons is now the register at the Chamberlain Land Office replacing Hon. Charles L. Brockway. Mr. Brockway will practice law in Chamberlain.

It is estimated it will take the average man five minutes to mark his ballot at the June primary.

100 Years Ago
May 9, 1912
Lyman County Argus
Leader

Lieutenant Governor Frank M. Byrne will speak at the Oacoma court room May 14.

The Chamberlain Commercial Club will build a road across the island and connect it to the west shore by a sand ridge.

The F.W. McManus family has moved into the Iona motel and are ready to serve the public with good beds and good square meals.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Sweet

of Iona on May 1.

The stork left twin girls at the Mr. and Mrs. Frank Novak home in Iona on Wednesday, May 1.

The ladies of Draper organized an Eastern Star and several new members were initiated.

90 Years Ago
May 11, 1922
Pukwana Press-Reporter

Pukwana school planted trees in Red Lake Park to observe Arbor Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou E. Tarabetz are proud to announce the birth of a daughter born to them April 29.

Tomato plants are 25 cents per dozen.

A number of north Pukwana boys camped out overnight at Red lake and ate all the fish they could catch.

5 Years Ago
May 9, 2007
Chamberlain/Oacoma Sun

Red Hatter's Sue Lauck, Helen Jorgensen and Naomi Seales hosted Style Show/Tea at the Regency Retirement Assisted Living Center for the residents.

A "Tie One On" apron extravaganza display was held at the SD Hall of Fame. There were 600 aprons shown.

Sanford Clinic in Oacoma will be relocating to the Sanford Mid-Dakota Medical Center on May 24.

An Arby's fast food restaurant open in Oacoma on April 7.

"Dream Big-READ"

What's Happening at the Library

The schedule for the Cozard Memorial Library's Summer Reading Program "Dream Big - READ" is available at the library.

We will have stories, crafts, and activities during each of the children's session beginning at 11 am, 1 pm, & 5 pm. The beginning and ending parties will start at 1 pm.

June 13 - "Pajama Party"
June 20 - "Dreams and Wishes"

June 27 - "Night Critters"
***July 3** - "3-2-1 Blastoff" (Tuesday)

July 11 - "Monster Mash"
July 18 - "Camping under the Stars"

July 25 - "Dream Big - READ Party"

There will also be a separate program for the teens. They are invited to the opening party and then they will help determine the best time of day for their schedule.

June 13 - "Pajama Party"
June 21 - "Dreams and Wishes"

June 28 - "Vampires, Zombies & Ghosts"

July 5 - "Nighttime Crafts"
July 12 - "Murder Mystery"

July 19 - "Final Party"

Thank you to everyone who stopped in to vote for their favorite children's book during National Children's Book Week. The winner will be in next week's column.

Preschool Story Time will end their year of fun on Wednesday May 16 at 11 am.

New Young Adult and Children's Books at Cozard
And then it's Spring, Julie Fogliano

Bad News for Outlaws: The Remarkable Lie of Bass Reeves, Vaunda Micheaux Nelson (2011 - 2012 Prairie Pasque Winner)

Bears on Chairs, Shirley Parenteau

Boy and Bot, Ame Dyckman
Chloe and the Lion, Mac



Cozard Comments

Melissa Hutmacher, Director
Cozard Memorial Library
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Barnett
Goblin Wood Series, Hilari Bell

The Grannyman, Judith Schachner

Goodnight, Goodnight Construction Site, Sherri Duskey Rinker

I Want my Hat Back, J. Klassen

If Only, Carole Geithner
Kaspar: The Titanic Cat, Michael Morpurgo

Let's Do Nothing, Tony Fucile

Me . . . Jane, Patick McDonnell

Memoirs of a Goldfish, Devin Scillian

Over and Under the Snow, Kate Messner

Pete the Cat and His Four Groovey Buttons, Eric Litwin
Rhyming Dust Bunnies, Jan Thomas (2011 - 2012 Prairie Bud Winner)

Stay: The True Story of Ten Dogs, Michaela Muntean
Perfect Chemistry Series, Simone Elkeles
Titanic Sinks, Barry Deneberg

Yo Vikings!, Judith Schachner

Z is for Moose, Kelly Bingham

New Children's Book of the Week

Planta Kiss, Amy Krouse Rosenthal

Little Miss planted a kiss . . . One small act of love blooms into something bigger and more dazzling than Little Miss could have ever imagined in this epic journey about life, kindness, and giving.

New York Times bestselling author Amy Krouse Rosenthal and award-winning illustrator Peter H. Reynolds have teamed together for the first time, creating what may soon prove to be a perennial favorite.

Ignorance is the Enemy

Recently National Geographic had an article addressing the mystery of prehistoric human migration. Paleontologists have been able to trace the journey by using mitochondrial DNA for the mother-to-daughter lineage, and the Y gene, for father-to-son lineage.

The magazine illustrated how 40 to 50,000 years ago, starting in Africa, early humans spread out very gradually up through the middle-eastern countries, turning west into Europe, and turning east across Asia, and over the Bering Strait to the Americas.

What is so amazing to me is how Scientists tie humanity together genetically by a common ancestor in Africa and how our genes are all so incredibly similar.

Indeed we are so very much like our great grandparents of 40-50,000 years ago that one should

proclaim all humans alive today truly are cousins, and certainly "family".

And yet over time, we have become separated not only by geography, language, and cultural barriers, but also by differences of education and economics. In many distant countries, members of the family of humanity struggle with terrible poverty, isolation, inadequate education, and political chaos. Add to this out-of-control tuberculosis, AIDS, and water-borne illnesses especially affecting the very young.

Solutions for struggling countries could come with adequate education. Training people in medicine and nursing could provide for structure to give appropriate prenatal, hospital, and outpatient care.

Sharing education in community organization could give needed emergency services, disaster relief,



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Richard P. Holm, M.D.
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proper water management, and modern medical care. Planting knowledge could grow stability, out of disorder.

Some would say the US is viewed by the rest of the world, especially those living in the Middle East, as a big bully intent on pushing our customs and our way of thinking down everyone's throat.

Many believe our emphasis has been more with military and political control rather than community education and understanding.

This is not to say chaos should be left to run without rules and control, but I submit the true enemy is ignorance; theirs and ours.

I believe we could fare better in the eyes of our neighbors if we provided more humanitarian good by sharing our resources of education, especially in medicine and nursing. And then we could get to know our neighbor too.

We could do better for our cousins in need.

Dr. Rick Holm wrote this editorial for "On

Call," a weekly program where medical professionals discuss health concerns for the general public. "On Call" is produced by the Healing Words Foundation in association with the South Dakota State University Journalism Department. "On Call" airs Thursdays on South Dakota Public Broadcasting Television at 7 pm, Central, 6 pm, Mountain. Visit us at OnCallTelevision.com.

Club Notes

Eight and Forty National Chapeau Days 2012

L'Archiviste Nationale Lila Speckels of Chamberlain; Lake Salon Chapeau Charlotte Heidelberger of Hurley; La

Secretaire Lake Salon Jackie Owens of Iroquois and Phyllis Fuller of Ramona represented Departemental de South Dakota #3 of the Eight and Forty, a patriotic veteran's service organization during a three-day visit of the nation's number one respiratory hospital, National Jewish Health, on April 25-28.

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United Tribes graduates honored May 4



Rolynn J. Clown (Cheyenne River), who earned a BS in Business Administration, is congratulated by Billy Bell, Ft. McDermitt Paiute-Shoshone Tribal Chairman. At rear, center left, Spirit Lake Chairman Roger Yankton; center right, Three Affiliated Chairman Tex G. Hall.

Tribal leaders, who believe in the power of education to change lives, were among the first to express their congratulations May 4 to the graduating class of United Tribes Technical College.

Dressed in their caps and gowns for the 2012 Commencement Ceremony were 123 students who earned Bachelor of Science or Associate of Applied Science Degrees, or Certificates of Completion.

"I didn't know where I was going to wind up after graduation," said keynote speaker Billy A. Bell, chairman of the Ft. McDermitt Paiute-Shoshone Tribe, McDermitt, Nevada. "I didn't think I would ever become a tribal chairman."

Bell's talk had particular meaning because he was once one of them, having graduated from United Tribes in 2002.

"What I learned here, I still use today," he said. "Researching what I need to know and speaking before audiences, being able to advocate on behalf of tribal people."

Bell said he was overwhelmed by a sense of family when he arrived back on campus. He said he was a teenager and didn't know what to expect when he first came to UTTC. He graduated from the college's Criminal Justice Program and served six years on his tribe's council before becoming Ft. McDermitt chairman in 2009. Among his many responsibilities, he is president of the Inter-Tribal Council of Nevada, an organization of the 27 tribes in the state.

"Each and every one of you represents your families, your reservation communities, your tribes and your ancestors," he said. "You bear the recognizable names of your people. You represent a time when your people survived on the land, lived with the natural beings and cherished what we have come to know today as our heritage and culture. Everyone has a background and connections that will take you where you want to go in life. Your heritage, your culture, your language, and your own intellectual self will provide for you some day, if it hasn't already."

Bell told the graduates to remember what it was like to challenge themselves: "Your rewards came through persistence and hard work. Life is no different."

The leaders of North Dakota's tribes serve on the governing board that originally started the college in 1969 and transformed it from a former military post into one of the nation's premier tribal colleges.

"This was originally a fort that we acquired...and we're still here 43 years later, still training and educating you and others to follow," said David M. Gipp, United Tribes President. "You, as graduates, represent the 'Indians who took over the fort' for good, peaceful and educational purposes. You are living proof of that."

All the speeches and ceremony, the handshakes and hugs, were telecast on the Internet, connecting friends and family who are unable to make it to the event. The video program was produced by students and staff in the Media Arts division of the college's Art/Art Marketing Program, along with technical support from the college's Information Technology staff.

As an intertribal college, United Tribes serves students of all racial and ethnic backgrounds. The 2012 grads came from 21 different tribes around the country.

The commencement ceremony concluded the 2011-12 academic year.

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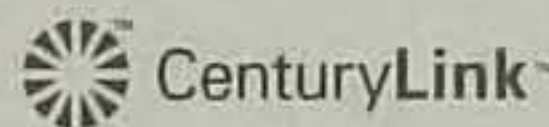
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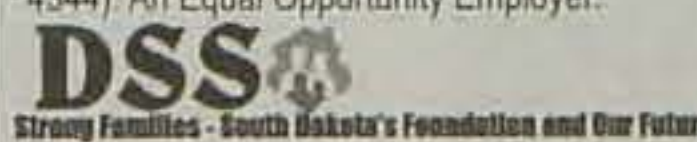
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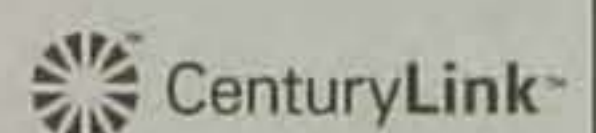
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Obituaries / Churches

James Caulfield
James Caulfield, Sr., 73, died Tuesday, May 8, 2012 at Avera Flandreau Medical Center, Flandreau.



Jim was born July 11, 1938 at Flandreau to Elton and Marilyn (Cochran) Caulfield and was educated in country schools near White, SD. Jim entered the U.S. Navy and following his discharge he married Ardith Kautz on June 9, 1961 in Flandreau. He started farming near Pipestone, MN and then later farmed near Ward. Jim trucked for Midwest Coast, worked at Winter's Concrete in Pipestone and then worked for various farmers for most of his life. He then worked at Elkton Co-op and the fertilizer plant. Jim loved to ride horses, went on wagon trains and especially loved his grandkids and great-grandkids.

Jim is survived by his wife: Ardith, Ward; five children: Deb Caulfield, Flandreau, Teresa Caulfield, Ward, James Caulfield, Jr., Willow Lake, Tammy (Jon) Compton, Helena, MT and Tena (Brian) Kruger, Elkton; eight grandchildren: Corey (Barb), Sheyanne, Kaitlin, Cordell, Zac, Lynden, Taylor, Samantha; five great-grandchildren: Loden, Delaney, Ashton, Carley and Kelvey; one brother: Jerry (Sherry) Caulfield, Winnett, MT and one sister: Joan (Gary) Young, Seward, NE.

Jim is preceded in death by his parents, a grandson, Carson and his brother, Jay.

Funeral service was held May 12 at Skroch Funeral Chapel, Flandreau with a private family burial at Elkton City Cemetery. www.skrochfb.com

Douglas "P.J." Bean

Douglas "P.J." Bean, 29, Tuscaloosa, AL died May 6, 2012 as the result of drowning in Memorial Creek in Madison, SD.



Douglas "P.J." was born on January 30, 1983 to Douglas and Margaret (Green) Bean. He grew up in Wasilla, Alaska graduating from Wasilla High School in 2001. He received a bachelors degree in fire service administration from Western Oregon University and a degree in paramedicine from the University of Alaska Anchorage. He worked as a paramedic and fire fighter in Tuscaloosa since 2006. He recently had been accepted to Physicians Assistant School at USD.

He is survived by his parents, Doug and Margaret Bean, Madison; one brother, Jesse, Madison; a sister Nicky, Wasilla; grandmothers: Bonnie (Lowell) Eikmeier, Flandreau and Jeanne Green, Madison; numerous aunts, uncles and cousins.

A private funeral Mass was held Friday, May 11 at St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Church in Madison. Burial was in Union Cemetery, Flandreau. www.weilandfuneralchapel.com

Gordon D. Beekman

Gordon D. Beekman, 58, of St. Petersburg, FL passed away April 24, 2012 at Bayfront Medical Center in St. Petersburg.



Gordon Douglas was born in Flandreau to George and Florence (Johnson) Beekman on May 27, 1953. He grew up in Flandreau and graduated from Flandreau High School in 1971. In his youth he hitch-hiked throughout the country, did volunteer fire-fighting in the Black Hills and lived in California and Alaska. He moved to Cape Canaveral, FL in 1979 from South Dakota and was married to Michelle MaCracken on June 13, 1981.

He was a skilled carpenter and later a laundry service owner. He was an avid New York Yankee fan and enjoyed collecting Yankee memorabilia. He was loved by all and known for his kind and open heart.

He is survived by two daughters: Jessica (George) Roe, Largo, FL and Nichole (Eric LaBanca) Beekman, St. Petersburg, FL; five grandsons; his sister: Barbara (Donald) Saylor of Menno, SD; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Funeral services were held April 28, 2012 at Moss Feaster Funeral Home in Palm Harbour, FL.

Avera Flandreau Hospital Auxiliary scholarship guidelines

The Avera Flandreau Hospital Auxiliary has a scholarship fund to assist students pursuing health care related studies. Students applying for the program MUST:

- *Be a resident of Moody County
- *Be at least midpoint of their Medical Academic program
- *Provide a brief description of career goals
- *Indicate the level of financial need and disclose their grade point average

The deadline to apply for the scholarship is June 30, 2012. The final selection is made by the Auxiliary Scholarship Board.

Pick up and return applications to: Avera Flandreau Hospital Business Office, 214 N. Prairie St., Flandreau, SD 57028. Attn: Hospital Auxiliary.

Domestic Violence support group sets meetings

The Domestic Violence Network domestic violence support group will meet Tuesday, May 22 from 6:30 to 8 p.m. at the Trinity Lutheran Church in Madison at 203 N. Harth. The dates for future meetings are June 5 and 19.

Childcare will be provided. For more information please call 605-427-0255.

Community Services

Breadbasket Food Pantry
Thursdays, 1:30-5 p.m. 206 E. 2nd Ave., Flandreau. Food for those in need

WIC Clinic
WIC clinic days--Wed. and/or as needed. Moody Co. Community Health Office, 309 N. Prairie St., Flandreau. FMI 997-3779

AA / Al-Anon
Flandreau--Mondays 8 p.m., 2nd Presbyterian Church, 101 N. Prairie, wheelchair accessible. **Colman--** Wednesdays 8 p.m. Community Center, FMI 684-2020

Wholeness Center
Wholeness Center Family Services offers free help to women and children who are victims of domestic violence. FMI 997-5594

Colman Library
Open Wed. 2-5 p.m. and 7-9 p.m.; Sat. 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. and 1-4 p.m. in Community Center

ICAP & The Closet
Interlakes Community Action Program and The Closet Thrift Shop. Flandreau, Mon., Tues. & Thurs. 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Donations accepted when open, 112 E. Pipestone Ave. FMI 997-2824.

Moody Co. Resource Center School-Year Hours
Monday & Friday: 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.; Tuesday & Thursday: 12 p.m. - 8 p.m.; Wednesday: 1p.m. - 5 p.m.; Saturday: 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Located

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Weight Watchers
Meetings every Thursday 5:30 p.m. at Our Savior's Lutheran Church located at 505 S. Wind St. Weigh-ins begin 30 minutes prior to meeting time. FMI: Laura Peters at 997-2272

Moody County Museum
Open Tuesday thru Friday, 11 to 4 Saturdays: 10 to 3. Closed Sunday, Monday. Special tours can be arranged by calling 997-3191. East edge of Flandreau.

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| <p>Second Presbyterian Rev. Stan Gruneich Ph. 997-3244 - Flandreau (Handicapped Accessible) The west door of the church will be open from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Call if you want pastor present Wed.: 1 p.m. Bible Study at Pres. Chapel; 7 p.m. Session meeting Sat.: 8 a.m. Men's Bible study at Chapel Sun.: 9 a.m. Last day of Sunday until Fall; 10 a.m. Worship Tues.: 7 p.m. Esther Circle meeting Wed.: 1 p.m. Bible Study at Chapel</p> <p>Our Savior's Lutheran, ELCA www.oslcf@iw.net Office closed on Mondays Ph. 997-2186 - Flandreau (Handicapped Accessible) Thurs.: 5 p.m. Weight Watchers Sun.: 9 a.m. Worship; 10:15 Coffee; 5 p.m. Thirvent meeting at Lawrence Johnson home Tues.: 9 a.m. Tie quilts</p> <p>Trent Baptist Dave Knutson, Pastor Ph. 428-5682 - Trent (Handicapped Accessible) Wed.: 7 p.m. ABY; 8 p.m. Choir practice Sun.: 9:10 a.m. Prayer Time; 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship; 10:40 a.m. Sunday School; 11:30 Mission Comm. meeting Mon.: 7 p.m. Diaconate meeting Tues.: 6:30 a.m. Promise Keepers-John's Place, Flandreau</p> | <p>Colman Lutheran Ph. 534-3224 - Colman Midway Lutheran Ph. 997-3528 - Midway Pastor Steve Palo Sun. 9 a.m. Colman worship with Communion; 9:30 a.m. Midway fellowship; 10:30 a.m. Midway worship with Communion; 5 p.m. Thirvent meeting at Lawrence Johnson home</p> <p>Redeemer Lutheran, LCMS Rev. Timothy Rynearson Ph. 997-3848 - Flandreau (Handicapped Accessible) Thurs.: Pre-School; 6:30 preschool year end program Sun.: 8 a.m. Worship; 5 p.m. Thirvent meeting at Lawrence Johnson home</p> <p>Messiah Lutheran Pastor David Bacon Ph. 997-2013 - Rural Trent Sun.: 10 a.m. Worship service followed by Church picnic. No Sunday school til fall; 5 p.m. Thirvent meeting at Lawrence Johnson home</p> | <p>p.m. Mass Sun.: 10:30 a.m. Mass Mon.: 7:30 a.m. Prayer & Communion service Tues.: 7:30 a.m. Mass Wed.: 7:30 a.m. Latin Mass</p> <p>Colman Wed.: 9 a.m. Mass Thurs.: 9 a.m. Mass; 9:30 a.m. Exposition & Adoration Fri.: 9 a.m. Mass Sun.: 8 a.m. Confessions; 8:30 a.m. Mass Tues.: 9 a.m. Mass Wed.: 9 a.m. Mass</p> <p>United Methodist Rev. Susan O'Connell Ph. 997-2857 - Flandreau Egan Sun.: 9 a.m. Worship Flandreau (Handicapped Accessible) Sun.: 10:30 a.m. worship</p> | <p>St. Mary's/Our Blessed Redeemer Episcopal Flandreau Sun.: 10 a.m. Worship</p> <p>Big Sioux Baptist Mission Missionary Ray Scott Ph. 997-2139 - Flandreau Wed.: 6 p.m. Support meeting; 7 p.m. Midweek service Sun.: 10 a.m. Sunday School; 11 a.m. Worship service; 12 noon carry in dinner following services; 6 p.m. Bible activity time; 7 p.m. Evening service</p> <p>The Rescue Church Pastor Jon Sanders Ph. 573-0080 - Flandreau Sermons are available on the website at www.therescuechurch.org Staffed nursery during worship Sat.: 5 p.m. Worship service Sun.: 10 a.m. Worship service</p> | <p>Immanuel Lutheran Ph. 542-4731 - Ward Trinity Lutheran Ph. 542-7601 - Elkton Rev. Paul Gunderson Ward Sun.: 10 a.m. Worship Elkton Sun.: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School; 8:30 a.m. Worship</p> <p>First Presbyterian Ms. Paula Armstrong, Pastor (Handicapped Accessible) Sun.: 10:30 a.m. Worship</p> <p>Sioux Valley Baptist Pastor Rita Weber Rural Trent Sun., 10 a.m. Worship service</p> <p>Prairie Winds Baptist Pastor Mike Forsberg Ph. 605-542-2131-Elkton Sun., 9:30 a.m. Sunday School;</p> | <p>10:30 a.m. Worship; 7 p.m. Sunday evening; Wed.: 7 p.m. evening service with children's programs</p> <p>United Parish of Elkton Pastor Daren Junker Ph. 542-7101 - Elkton Sun.: 9:30 a.m. Worship</p> <p>Christian Science (Methodist Student Center) Ph. 692-9787 - Brookings Sun.: 10 a.m. service and Sunday School</p> |
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Ryan Maher, owner of Sparky's Cafe in Isabel, watches as crews pour concrete in the back of the building recently. Sparky's is planning to expand its kitchen this summer.

Church & Club News

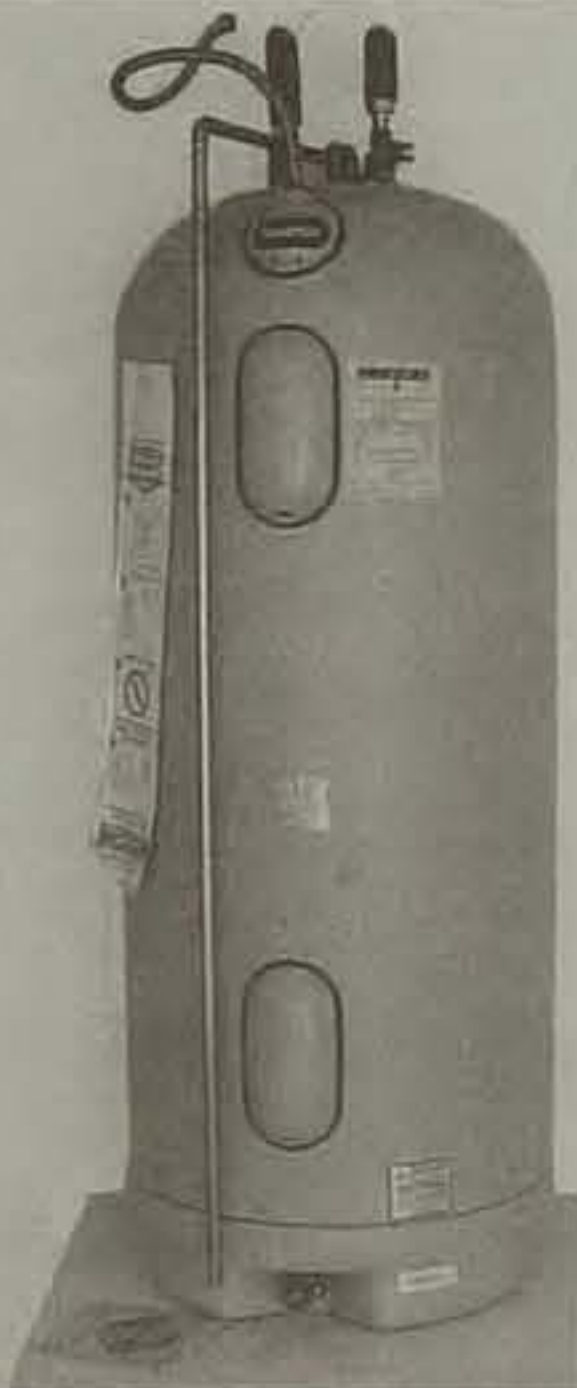
Isabel Senior Citizen's Center is holding a Surprise May Basket drawing fundraiser. A \$5.00 donation per ticket gets you a chance at the basket which is full of prizes. Need not be present to win. Proceeds go to help with expenses that arise. More great items are still being donated to the basket.

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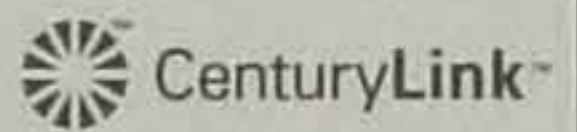
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McIntosh Students Attend Elementary Math Meet

On the afternoon of April 27th, twenty McIntosh students from grades four through eighth boarded a bus headed for Scranton, North Dakota to compete in this year's Elementary Math Meet. There were five teams of four students competing in the following areas: Basic Math, Geometry, Word Problems, Odds and Ends and a Team Test. Students began preparing for the competition weeks ahead of time by staying after school with their teachers and working through all types of problems. The eighth grade team finished with a first place win, and two eighth graders finished in the top five as far as individual points go. Trever Uhrig received 2nd place and Jordan Baumeister received 5th place. Marie Nehl, the 8th grade math teacher, stated that all of the students worked hard, and she could not have been more proud of their efforts. Congratulations go out to all of the students for their hard work and dedication.

Letter to the editor

SENATOR THUNE SAYS NO TO HELPING 80 POST OFFICES IN RURAL SOUTH DAKOTA

Senator Thune voted no on S1789 bill which would help stop the closing of 80 rural post offices and restructure the US Postal Service. The Postal Service has over paid both its retiree health care and retiree payments by about 13 billion, this bill will also reimburse this amount. This bill would also open other ways for the postal service to earn money and would save closing of thousands of rural post offices. In South Dakota the following towns are being considered for post office closure. Agar, Allen, Andover, Ashton, Badger, Barnard, Belvidere, Brentford, Bullhead, Canova, Caputa, Carpenter, Carthage, Cavour, Claire City, Corona, Cresbard, Davis, Dimock, Eden, Enning, Fairburn, Frankfort, Fulton, Gann Valley, Glenham, Goodwin, Grenville, Hamill, Hazel, Henry, Herrick, Howes, Kranzburg, Lake City, Lantry, Lesterville, Letcher, Little Eagle, Mandersonm Mansfield, Marvin, Meadow, Milesville, Mission Hill, Mound City, Norris, Nunda, Okreek, Oldham, Onaka, Peever, Pierpont, Pringle, Ramona, Raymond, Redig, Ree Heights, Reva, Revillo, Ridgeview, Rockham, Saint Onge, Scenic, Seneca, Sinai, Spencer, Tolstoy, Turton, Utica, Vale, Volin, Wakpala, Wallace, Westport, White Owl, Winfred, Wood, Wounded Knee

The senate bill passed with

the help of Senator Johnson and now went to the house. So please contact Congresswomen Noem and tell her how important this bill is to our rural post offices are to the people who live there. Thank you

Dennis Nemmers
Postmaster Retired

Traffic Advisory: Travel Difficult on a Portion of Highway 65 between McIntosh and Isabel

Effective immediately, (Friday, May 4), the South Dakota Department of

Transportation is advising the travelling public to strongly consider taking an alternate route around South Dakota Highway 65 between McIntosh and Isabel.

Heavy precipitation in north central South Dakota has made travel very difficult through the one-point-seven-miles (1.7) grading project located one-half mile south of the Grand River to 1.7 miles north of the Grand River until further notice.

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For more information, contact John Villbrandt, Mobridge Area Engineer, 605-845-3844 or Kelly Armfield, 605-848-0321

Public Notices

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON APPLICATION FOR SPECIAL EVENT RETAIL (ON-SALE) LIQUOR LICENSE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Board of County Commissioners in and for the county of Corson in the City of McIntosh, South Dakota on the 1st day of May, 2012 at the hour of 1:30 p.m. at the Corson County Courthouse in the County Commissioners room, will meet in regular session to consider the following Special Event Retail (on-sale) Liquor license, which has been presented to the Board of County Commissioners and filed in the County Auditor's office.

Special Event Retail (On-Sale) Liquor License

Bonnie Keller, dba Gramma and Ma's Liquor, Trail City, SD Lots 7-18 Block 7, Trail City Community Hall, One Day Special Event Retail (on-Sale) Liquor License for Jun 9, 2012.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that

any person, persons, or their attorney may appear at said scheduled public hearing and present objections to the above applications if any objection there be.

Dated at McIntosh, South Dakota this 16th day of April, 2012.

Dorothy Schuh
Corson County Auditor
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NOTICE OF DEADLINE FOR VOTER REGISTRATION

Voter Registration for the Primary Election to be held on June 5, 2012, will close on May 21, 2012. Failure to register by this date will cause forfeiture of voting rights for this election. If you are in doubt about whether you are registered, check the Voter Information Portal at www.sdsos.gov or call the county auditor at 605-273-4229.

Registration may be completed during regular business hours at the county auditor's office, municipal finance

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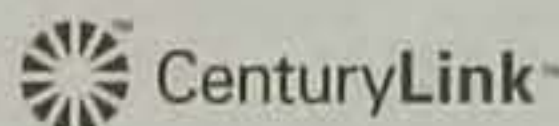
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office, secretary of state's office, and those locations which provide driver's licenses, SNAP, TANF, WIC, military recruitment, and assistance to the disabled as provided by the Department of Human Services. You may contact the county auditor to request a mail-in registration form or access a mail-in form at www.sdsos.gov.

Voters with disabilities may contact the county auditor for information and special assistance in voter registration, absentee voting or polling place accessibility.

Dorothy Schuh
Person in Charge of Election - Title SEAL
Corson County
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NOTICE TO BID

The City of McLaughlin will lease for cash to the highest bidder the hay on the McLaughlin Golf Course property for the haying season in the year 2012, one cutting with option by the City of the second cutting, all hay to removed from premises.

The bidders should bid the first cutting and submit a bid on the second cutting to be effective only if the City permits a second cutting. There are 80.15 acres at the golf course.

Sealed bids will be accepted by the City Finance Officer until 5:00 p.m. on June 1, 2012. The bids will be opened and read at 7:00 p.m. on June 4, 2012. The city council reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

DELLA HAUCK
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Obituaries

Johnson Services held at Lemmon

The Graveside Service for Mildred Johnson, age 100 of McIntosh, will be held at 2:00pm MT on Thursday, May 17, 2012 at Greenhill Cemetery in Lemmon with Pastor Audie Brockel, officiating.



MILDRED NETTIE McCLEMENTS was born January 25, 1912, on the family homestead 6 miles north of McIntosh, in Sioux Co., ND to Robert and Hattie Mae (Jenks) McClements. She attended country school near the farm home and rode horse for one year to McIntosh where she attended high school.

In July of 1932, she was united in marriage to John "Smoky" Martin Johnson.

They lived in Mellette, SD and then moved to McIntosh in 1937. Two children, Ruth and Joyce were born to this union.

Mildred loved life on the prairie and adored the farm animals. She was quite knowledgeable in animal husbandry. Indeed she continued to keep and breed a few head of Hereford cattle into her seventies. Mildred recently was in good spirits visiting and enjoying her 100th birthday celebration with family, close friends, wonderful neighbors and staff at Five Counties

Nursing Home in Lemmon.

Mildred passed away on Tuesday, May 1, 2012 at Five Counties Nursing Home.

Surviving are her daughter Joyce McGrath, DeSoto, TX; 8 grandchildren, and 20 great grandchildren, and 11 great great grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband "Smoky", 1 daughter, Ruth Eileen Watson, her brothers and sisters, Ethel Grace Puckett, Alvin Robert McClements, John Edgar McClements, Edna Mae Olson, Marvin Edward McClements and Jean Harriet Puckett.

Family requests in lieu of flowers please donate to (HSUS) South Dakota Humane Society in Mildred's memory.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.evansonjensenfuneralhome.com.

Rosebud Services held at Bullhead

Funeral services for Torrey Rosebud, 20, of Bullhead, were Friday, May 11, at 1:00PM, CDT, at Rock Creek School Gym, Bullhead, with Father Rob Schwarz, Deacon Bea Skinner and the Episcopal Lay Readers officiating. Traditional services were conducted by Doug Crow Ghost and Everett Jamerson. Music was provided by Daryl Whipple and Rodney Renville. Burial followed at St. John's Episcopal Cemetery in Bullhead under the direction of Stout Family Funeral Home of Mobridge. Casketbearers were Mario Crow Ghost, Richard Crow Ghost, Doug Crow Ghost, Harold Crow Ghost, David Crow Ghost, Terrence Rosebud, Taylor Rosebud, Tevin Rosebud, Tyron

Rosebud, Jimmi Jo High Cat and grandfathers, Errol Crow Ghost and Matthew Yellow Earrings. An all-night wake begins with prayer services at 7:00PM Thursday at the gym. A procession will leave the funeral home at 5:00PM Thursday and go through McLaughlin. Torrey entered the Spirit World on May 3, 2012 in Bullhead.

Torrey James Rosebud was born November 5, 1991 in Sioux Falls, South Dakota to Leo J. Rosebud and Darla J. Yellow Earrings. He was raised in Bullhead and attended school at Rock Creek Grant School through eighth grade. He then went on to McLaughlin High School where he was active in basketball.

Torrey liked to hang out with his cousins and friends and also enjoyed lifting weights. The thing he loved to do most was play Modern Warfare 3. He was ranked 31st in the world. Torrey was always a gamer. He will be

deeply missed by all who knew and loved him.

Torrey is survived by his dad, Leo Rosebud; mom, Darla



Yellow Earrings; brothers, Taylor Rosebud, Tevin Rosebud and Talon Rosebud; sister, Angel Fast Wolf; grandmothers, Francine Crow Ghost, Iyonne Bear Ribs, Jerrilyn Brown Otter, Rosemarie Crow Ghost and Renee Crow

Ghost; grandfathers, Errol Crow Ghost, Matthew Yellow Earrings and David Yellow Earrings along with other extended family and friends.

Torrey was preceded in death by his brother, Tayne Jericho Rosebud; grandmothers, Nancy Rosebud Little Eagle, Kelli Crow Ghost and Darlene Yellow Earrings Rampersad and grandfathers, Irving Rosebud, Richard L. Yellow Earrings, George Archambault, Lloyd Yellow Earrings, Francis Yellow Earrings and James Yellow Earrings.

Public Notices

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON APPLICATION FOR SALE OF MALT BEVERAGES FOR 2012
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Council in and for the City of McLaughlin, South Dakota, on the 4th day of June 2012, at the hour of 7:00 p. m. at City Hall, will meet to consider the following application for a Package Off Sale Malt Beverage License to operate within the municipality for the calendar year 2012 licensing period, which has been presented to the City Council and filed in the Finance Officers office.

City of McLaughlin-Ron or Irma Hettich
Block 7 Lots 11 & 12 Original Townsite

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that any person, persons or their attorney may appear and be heard at said scheduled public hearing who are interested in the approval or rejection of any such application.

Dated at McLaughlin, South Dakota, this 8th day of May, 2012.

DELLA HAUCK
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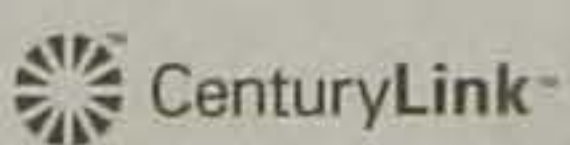
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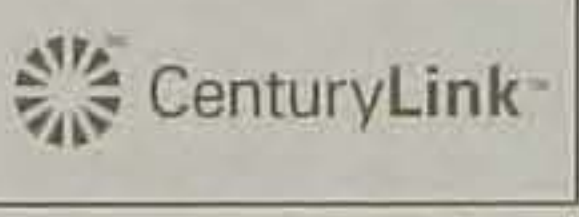
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AWANA clubbers who finished first in the speed category for the Truth and Training group are (back row from left) Lauren Thompson, daughter of Brian and Staci Thompson; second place was Ronnie Troyer, son of John and Teresa Troyer; in third was Hannah Stroeder, daughter of Eric and Karrie Stroeder. In the front row (from left) the design winners are, in first place Kyah Feyereisen, daughter of Dawn Blankartz and Justin Feyereisen; in second, Wade Begeman, son of Brian and DeDee Begeman; and in third place Noah Feyereisen, son of Dawn Blankartz and Justin Feyereisen. *-Photo by DeDee Begeman-*



In the AWANA Sparks group, the winners for speed are (back row from left) in first place Braden Goehring, son of Paul and Candida Goehring; in second Triston Anderberg, son of Clayton and Jessica Anderberg; and in third place Brenden Begeman, son of Brian and DeDee Begeman. In the front row (from left) winners in design are in first place Kayden LaFramboise, son of Tom and Amber LaFramboise; in second Cassandra Troyer, daughter of John and Teresa Troyer; and in third place Kari Rueb, daughter of Paul and Bonnie Rueb. *-Photo by DeDee Begeman-*

Area woman named regional Farmers Mom

Danni Beer, Keldron, has been named Monsanto's 2012 America's Farmers Mom of the Year regional winner for the Northwest. One of five regional winners, Beer was selected by judges from American Agri-Women and Monsanto in recognition of the contributions she makes to her family, farm, community and the agricultural industry. Along with the four other regional winners, Beer's nomination will be featured on www.AmericasFarmers.com until May 12, where

online voting will determine the national winner.

The Beers' farm and ranch is operated by the family of five, including Mike and Danni. Bobbi Jo, 19, a freshman at Jamestown College; Bo, 17, a junior at Lemmon High School; Bailie, 14, an eighth grader at Lemmon Junior High; and Blaze, age 2.

They raise winter and spring wheat, corn, sunflowers, flax, millet and hay in a no-till rotation and also have an Angus and Charolais herd. Each fam-

ily member plays a role in the farm's operation, along with help from friends and neighbors.

American Agri-women (AAW) is a national coalition of more than 50,000 farm, ranch, and agribusiness women, representing state and commodity affiliates. "We are a force for truth, a reasoned, non-partisan voice for the agriculture community to the public."

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PUBLIC NOTICES

Temporary beverage hearing set

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING UPON APPLICATION FOR TEMPORARY RETAIL MALT BEVERAGE LICENSE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT: The City Council in and for the City of Mobridge, South Dakota on the 21st day of May 2012 at the hour of 6:45 PM will consider an application for a Temporary Retail Malt Beverage License to operate with in the municipality on June 8,

2012. APPLICANT: Mobridge Chamber of Commerce NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN: That any person, persons or their attorney may appear and be heard at said scheduled Public Hearing. Heather Beck, Finance Officer. Published once at the total approximate cost of \$11.16.

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in this State according to the Laws thereof, unless this Certificate of Authority is otherwise revoked, suspended or withdrawn.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal at Pierre, S. D., this 1st day of May, A.D., 2012.

MERLE SCHEIBER
Director of Insurance

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FROM ANNUAL STATEMENT
Year Ending December 31, 2011
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COMPANY
Home Office Address:
4445 Corporate Drive
West Des Moines, IA 50266-5999
Mail Address:
P.O. Box 1336
Des Moines, IA 50305-1336
ASSETS

| | |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Bonds | 141,096,817 |
| Stocks | 50,222,954 |
| Mortgage Loans on Real Estate | 0 |
| Real Estate Owned | 0 |
| Cash and Bank Deposits | 4,667,472 |
| Agents Balances or Uncollected Premiums | 26,890,803 |
| Interest, Dividends and Real Estate Income Due and Accrued | 1,555,991 |
| Other Assets | 13,178,969 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | 237,613,007 |
| LIABILITIES, SURPLUS, OTHER FUNDS | |
| Reserve for Losses | 44,814,545 |
| Reserve for Loss Adjustment Expenses | 6,293,664 |
| Other Expenses (excluding taxes, licenses and fees) | 3,403,311 |
| Taxes, Licenses and Fees (excluding Federal and Foreign Income Taxes) | 196,233 |
| Federal and Foreign Income Taxes | 0 |
| Unearned Premiums | 59,201,189 |
| All Other Liabilities | 18,491,218 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES | 132,400,159 |
| Special Surplus Funds | 0 |
| Capital Paid Up or Statutory Deposit | 0 |
| Gross Paid In and Contributed Surplus | 0 |
| Unassigned Funds (Surplus) | 102,712,847 |
| Surplus as Regards Policyholders | 105,212,847 |
| TOTAL | 237,613,007 |
| BUSINESS IN SOUTH DAKOTA 2011 | |
| Direct Premiums Written | 5,076,901 |
| Direct Premiums Earned | 4,856,178 |
| Direct Losses Paid | 2,865,607 |
| Direct Losses Incurred | 2,839,569 |

Sieck estate rep named

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA COUNTY OF WALWORTH IN CIRCUIT COURT FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT ESTATE OF JACOB SIECK, DECEASED. PRO: 12-05 NOTICE TO CREDITORS Notice is given that on April 23, 2012, Wallace Sieck, whose address is 3301 S. Goldfield RD, Lot 303, Apache Junction, Arizona 85119, was appointed as personal representative of the estate of JACOB SIECK. Creditors of the decedent must file their claim within four months after the date of the first publication of this notice or their claims may be barred.

Claims may be filed with the personal representative or may be filed with the clerk, and a copy of the claim mailed to the personal representative. Dated this 26th day of April, 2012. Cain Law Office, P.C. Rick Cain Attorney for the Estate 318 1st Avenue East P.O. Box 490 Mobridge, South Dakota 57601-0490 605-845-2981 Marlys Rau, Clerk of Courts Box 328, Selby, South Dakota 57472 605-845-7311 Published three times at the total approximate cost of \$41.60. -050212-051612

Voter registration deadline is May 21

NOTICE OF DEADLINE FOR VOTER REGISTRATION Voter registration for the Primary Election to be held on June 5, 2012, will close on May 21, 2012. Failure to register by this date will cause forfeiture of voting rights for this election. If you are in doubt about whether you are registered, check the Voter Information Portal at www.sdsos.gov or call the county auditor at (605) 649-7878. Registration may be completed during regular business hours at the county auditor's office, municipal finance office, secretary of state's office, and those locations which provide driver's licenses, SNAP, TANF, WIC, military

recruitment, and assistance to the disabled as provided by the Department of Human Services. You may contact the county auditor to request a mail-in registration form or access a mail-in form at www.sdsos.gov. Voters with disabilities may contact the county auditor for information and special assistance in voter registration, absentee voting, or polling place accessibility. Gwenn E. Ackerman County Auditor Walworth County Published twice at the total approximate cost of \$27.47. -050212-050912

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA DIVISION OF INSURANCE STATE CAPITOL, PIERRE COMPANY'S CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY

WHEREAS, the IMT Insurance Company, a Corporation organized under the Laws of Iowa, has complied with all requirements of the Insurance Laws of the State of South Dakota:

NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned, Director of Insurance of the State of South Dakota, pursuant to the provisions of said laws, do hereby certify that the above named Company is fully empowered through its authorized agents to transact the numbered lines of business listed below:

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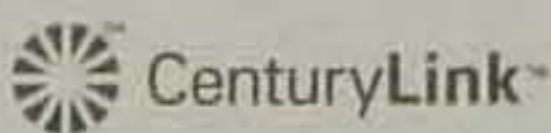
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Surplus Items Up For Bid by the Mobridge-Pollock School District #62-6

Surplus items may be viewed on May 10, 2012 through May 11, 2012 in the Mobridge-Pollock School Bus Barn.

A general list of items is available on the school website (mobridge-pollock.k12.sd.us).

Sealed bids must be at the school business office by May 14, 2012 at 3:00 pm.

Sealed bids will be opened at 1:00 pm on May 15, 2012. All successful bid items need to be paid for and picked-up by May 20, 2012.

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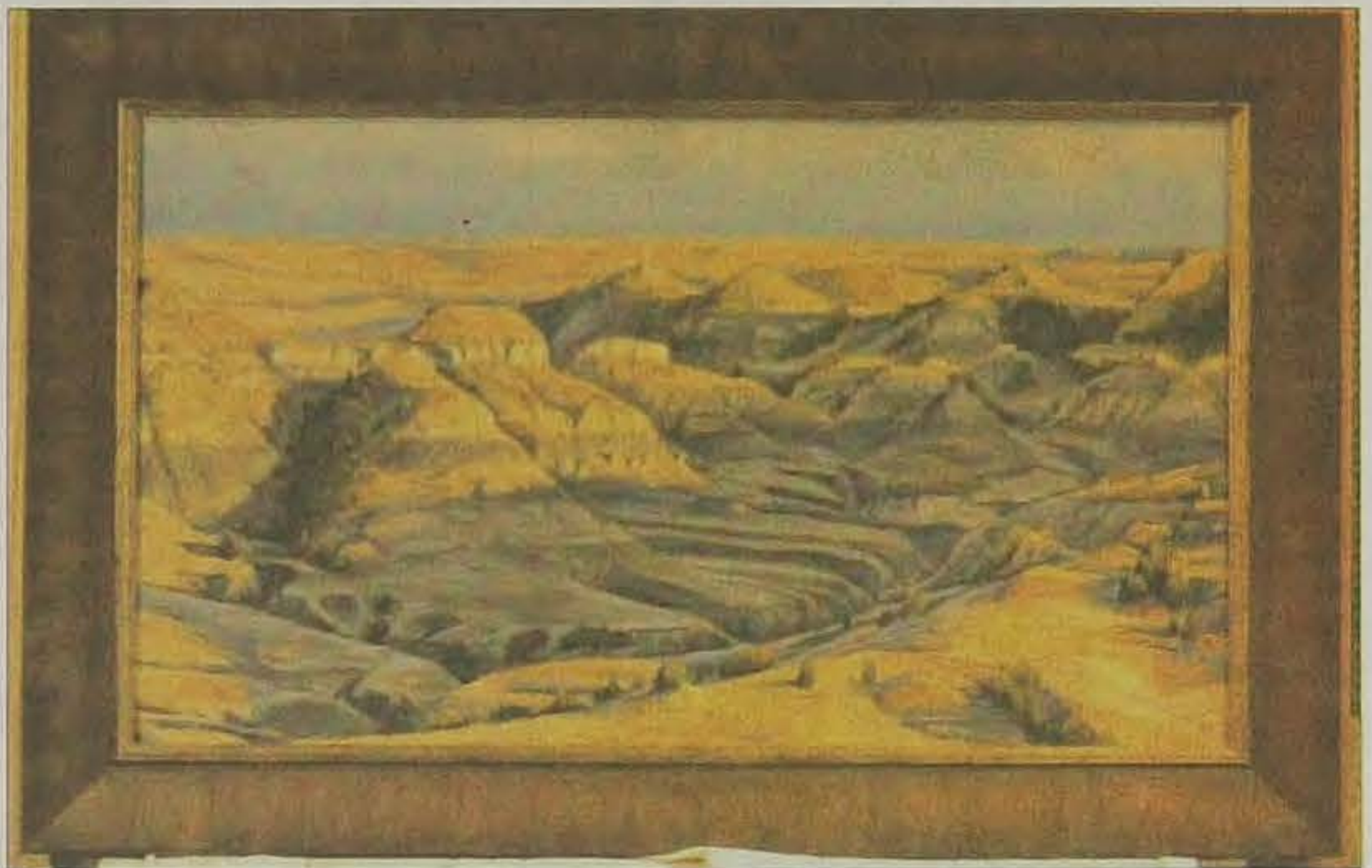


PHOTO COURTESY/NORTH DAKOTA COWBOY HALL OF FAME
This painting of the Badlands, entitled "November Light," is by Tom Temple, a Montana artist known for depictions of outdoor life. Temple is one of several featured artists at the North Dakota Cowboy Hall of Fame's Invitation Art Sale in Medora.

BISMARCK, N.D. — The North Dakota Cowboy Hall of Fame is saddling up for the 2012 summer season with a special art exhibit titled "Cowboys and Indians — Alive and Well Today" at the Hall of Fame's Center of Western Heritage and Cultures: Native American, Ranching and Rodeo, located in Medora.

Approximately 20 artists from across the region will exhibit multiple pieces from May through September in the organization's Medora facility. Displays will feature different mediums of art, and presentations will be throughout the NDCHF, which is preparing for a May 15 season opening.

"Flooding across the state last year and the impact at the fuel pump had an obvious effect for many people," said Walter Piehl, NDCHF board member and event co-coordinator. "We have high

hopes for a strong 2012 season, along with visibility and sales of quality work in this exhibit. The pieces summoned for this showcase will appeal to all levels of art enthusiasts and collectors."

Piehl, an accomplished contemporary Western artist, states all pieces will be consigned to the NDCHF. Spectators may purchase pieces right off the floor, with 50 percent of the art sale going to the NDCHF.

"We anticipate each day may showcase different pieces as buyers and collectors like what they see, purchase it and take it home," he said. "There is tremendous talent within our region and within the Western genre. This event will showcase that talent."

The Hall of Fame's Center of Western Heritage and Cultures in Medora is the premier interpretive center for the showcasing the history

of Native Americans, ranching, rodeo and the Western lifestyle of the plains and Badlands. This facil-

ity presents the culture and legacy that is the character of the American West, ensuring its resiliency

will be available for future generations.

Cook-Lynn examines America's legacy of colonization

By Jesse Abernathy
Native Sun News Editor

BOOK REVIEW

"A Separate Country: Post-coloniality and American Indian Nations" (Texas Tech University Press) by Elizabeth Cook-Lynn: Writer, poet and professor emerita of Native American studies at Eastern Washington University Elizabeth Cook-Lynn presents a potent, sobering collection of essays, along with two case studies, drawn from the long-standing European-induced, indigenously-withstood paradigm of colonialism in America.

The author knows of what she writes: a member of the Crow Creek Sioux Tribe, Cook-Lynn has lived a lifetime and then some mired in the far-reaching clutches of colonialism. Her experiences as a contemporary academician with not-so-distant ties to her traditional Hunkpati Dakota past highlight her book and give it the realism needed to effectively make her case for the continuing aftermath of Europe's invasion of the once strictly non-European continent now referred to as North America.

Cook-Lynn deftly navigates her way through the postulating, gesticulating and lip-servicing of today's scholars — most non-indigenous, some indigenously — and their already tired, and tiresome, perspective of the notion of "postcoloniality." Such a condition does not exist, she maintains throughout her work; there is no "post" when it comes to



ELIZABETH COOK-LYNN

the treatment of this land's original peoples by America's "democratic" and capitalistic government. Colonialism as a condition of oppression and control by Christianity-mongering, self-serving governmental agents and apparatuses is still alive and well — and Cook-Lynn, a scholar for the masses in her own right, knows it.

From her well-earned and well-respected vantage point as an insider within the interconnected, rather cloistered maze of America's top collegiate institutions, the Hunkpati professor finds her analysis in this colonial-postcolonial polarity that developed and took hold late last century within academia and focuses primarily on its relationship to and placement of the northern Great Plains indigene,

or Native American, which is somewhere just between a hard, high place and a rock.

Cook-Lynn also knows that in the non-indigenous world, most so-called free-thinking, informed and intelligent college and university educators, who are viewed by her more as rivals or as just plain informed, have not strayed far from the "doctrine of discovery" mantra — from which they themselves are exempt — of their imperialistic governance system. In place for over 500 years, the fatally flawed doctrine of discovery mantra has been the driving force behind any and every action taken against this con-

tinents' first peoples by Europe's invaders. And the author delivers this rallying point with great acumen and conviction.

Moving from the westward expansion of almost two centuries ago and the ensuing, longstanding "Indian wars" to the extermination, assimilation and other Indian law policies of the late 19th through mid-20th centuries to the modern-day governmental concept of gaming and tourism as a means of Indian economic development, a generous assemblage of the major players, posers and acts of the collective Lakota, Dakota and Nakota past, which remains not too far removed, and present are here: Andrew Jackson, Abraham Lincoln, Helen Hunt Jackson, Vine Deloria Jr., Dee Brown, Ward Churchill, John Yellow Bird Steele, the Allotment Act, the Ghost Dance, the Wounded Knee Massacre, the American Indian Movement and, on top of it all, the male-dominated, detrimentally politicized U.S. Congress, which is where Cook-Lynn accurately places the seat of colonialism.

The two case studies that make up the final third of the book focus specifically on the use of colonialized politics and literature to assault indigenous peoples, both themed around the inherent genocide of colonialism.

Cook-Lynn's first case study looks at the era immediately fol-

lowing the treaty-making period of the late 19th century. During this "treaty-breaking" era, the federal government deliberately schemed ever harder to completely and forcibly strip indigenous peoples of land, culture and identity. The hallowed Black Hills, or Paha Sapa, were stolen from the Lakota, Dakota and Nakota peoples by the U.S. government in this era.

The author's second case study delves into the "Little House on the Prairie" phenomenon and its ramifications for this country's indigenous peoples, especially those of the northern Plains.

Authored by Laura Ingalls Wilder and originally published in 1923, the highly romanticized memoir of a young girl and her settler family seemingly all alone on the vast prairie caused an immediate sensation in the non-indigenous world due to its basis in the Christian values of family, strength and survival against the backdrop of the "harsh, desolate" environment of the upper Midwest at the turn of the 19th century — a time when the original inhabitants of the region were struggling to maintain the final remnants of their sovereignty, identity and land in the face of true adversity.

"A Separate Country" is required reading for every American. Cook-Lynn indeed remains a force to be reckoned with and a powerful presence throughout Indian country and beyond.

(Contact Jesse Abernathy at editor@nsweekly.com)

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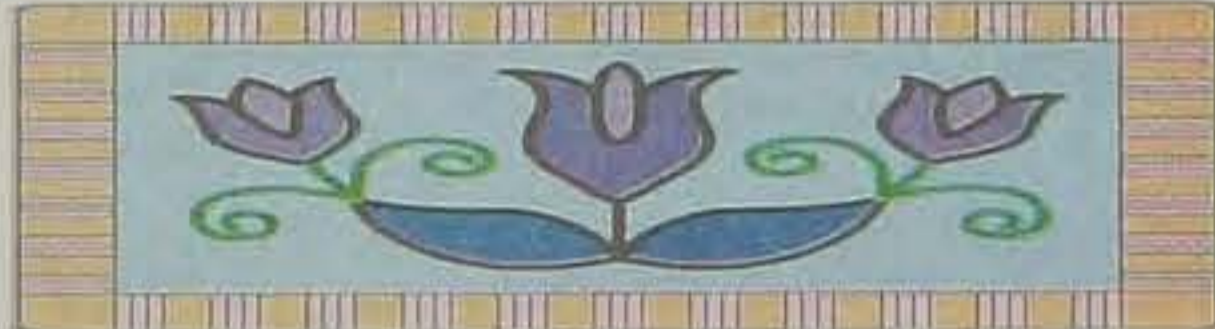
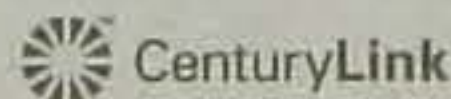
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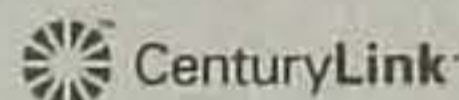
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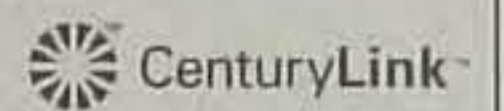
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U.S. DISTRICT COURT, SD

U.S. Attorney Brendan V. Johnson

May 2, 2012

Ervin D. Addison, 30, of Eagle Butte appeared before U.S. District Judge Roberto A. Lange on April 30, 2012 and pled guilty to assault with a dangerous weapon. The maximum penalty upon conviction is 10 years' imprisonment, a \$250,000 fine or both. The conviction stems from an incident on July 23, 2011, when Cheyenne River Tribal Police responded to a reported stabbing. The tribal police met with Addison's parents who reported that Addison had stabbed the victim after he had been picked up at a friend's house. After stabbing the victim, Addison immediately stabbed himself several times in the stomach. The victim was 14 weeks pregnant at the time. The investigation was conducted by CRST Law Enforcement. The case is being prosecuted by First Assistant U.S. Attorney Randolph J. Seiler. A presentence investigation was ordered, and sentencing was set for July 16, 2012. The defendant was remanded to the custody of the U.S. Marshal pending sentencing.

Burton Little Dog, 43, of Little Eagle appeared before U.S. District Judge Charles B. Kornmann on April 30, 2012 and pled guilty to an indictment that charged him with aggravated sexual abuse of a child. The maximum penalty upon conviction is up to life in custody, a \$250,000 fine, or both. The conviction arose from incidents between December 2004 and April 2006 in Little Eagle, when Little Dog sexually assaulted a child. The investigation was conducted by the FBI and the BIA, Detective Division of the Standing Rock Sioux Agency. The case is being prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney Mikal Hanson. A presentence investigation was ordered, and sentencing was set for July 23, 2012. The defendant was remanded to the custody of the U.S. Marshal pending sentencing.

Gerard Desheuquette, 22, of Wakpala appeared before U.S. District Judge Charles B. Kornmann on April 30, 2012 and pled guilty to an indictment that charged him with aggravated sexual abuse of a child. The maximum penalty upon conviction is a mandatory minimum of 30 years up to life in custody, a \$250,000 fine, or both. Between November 2009 and November 2011 Desheuquette sexually assaulted a child. The investigation was conducted by the FBI and the BIA, Standing Rock Agency. The case is being prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney Mikal Hanson. A presentence investigation was ordered, and a sentencing date was set for July 30, 2012. The defendant was remanded to the custody of the U.S. Marshal pending sentencing.

Ella Mae Kills Pretty Enemy, 22, of Bullhead appeared before U.S. District Judge Charles B. Kornmann on April 30, 2012 and pled guilty to bank embezzlement. The maximum penalty upon conviction is 30 years in custody, a \$250,000 fine, or both. The conviction arose from incidents between November and December, 2010, when Kills Pretty Enemy was employed as a teller at a bank in McLaughlin. During that time, she embezzled \$1,500 in cash from her cash drawer. The investigation was conducted by the FBI and the BIA Detective Division, Standing Rock Agency. The case is being prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney Mikal Hanson. A presentence investigation was ordered, and sentencing was set for July 30, 2012. The defendant was released on bond pending sentencing.

Miranda Walters, 24, of Eagle Butte appeared before U.S. District Judge Roberto A. Lange on May 1, 2012, and pled guilty to embezzlement and theft from an Indian Tribal Organization. The maximum penalty upon conviction is 5 years' imprisonment, a \$250,000 fine or both. Walters, an employee of CRST

Telephone Authority Subway Store, took cash from the cash register, when others within the store were too busy to notice, on four or five different occasions which totaled over \$3,000. The investigation was conducted by the FBI. The case is being prosecuted by First Assistant U.S. Attorney Randolph J. Seiler. A presentence investigation was ordered, and sentencing was set for July 17, 2012. The defendant released on bond pending sentencing.

Daniel T. Weber, 60, of Clark was sentenced on April 30, 2012, by U.S. District Judge Roberto A. Lange to 18 months of probation, with 6 months of home confinement, \$12,252 in restitution to the CRST, a \$2000 fine, and a \$100 special assessment to the Victim Assistance Fund. Weber was indicted, along with six others, for conspiracy to commit wire fraud, wire fraud, and making false statements to a federal agency by a federal grand jury on November 9, 2010. Weber and others falsely conspired to obtain grazing privileges from the CRST to pasture non-Indian owned cattle on tribally owned grazing range units. The conspirators did this by falsely claiming that Weber's cattle were owned by CRST members. This scheme allowed Weber and his co-conspirators to avoid paying the \$6 per head per month fee, thereby defrauding the CRST of approximately \$12,252. Weber pled guilty to conspiracy to commit wire fraud on November 8, 2011. This case was investigated by the FBI. Assistant U.S. Attorney Mikal Hanson prosecuted the case.

May 4, 2012

Donald C. Sundell, 54, of Rogers, MN was charged with violating the Lacey Act and aiding and abetting. He pled guilty and was sentenced on April 30, 2012 by U.S. Magistrate Judge Mark A. Moreno to 18 months' probation, a \$1,000 fine, \$1,000 in restitution, and a \$50 special assessment to the Victim Assistance Fund. The conviction arose from incidents in November 2008 when Sundell illegally shot and killed two whitetail bucks and transported them from South Dakota to Minnesota. The investigation was conducted by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and South Dakota Game, Fish and Parks. The case was prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney Marie H. Ruetters.

Brad Byron McAlister, 62, of Evansville, MN was charged with violating the Lacey Act and aiding and abetting. He pled guilty to the charge and was sentenced on April 30, 2012, by U.S. Magistrate Judge Mark A. Moreno to 1 year of probation, \$500 in restitution, and a \$25 special assessment to the Victim Assistance Fund. He must also forfeit two deer mounts. The conviction arose from a November 2008 incident when McAlister illegally shot and killed a whitetail buck and transported it from South Dakota to Minnesota. The investigation was conducted by U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and South Dakota Game, Fish and Parks. The case was prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney Marie H. Ruetters.

TIMBER LAKE WEATHER

Joe and Sheila Scherer, official weather observers

| Date | High | Low | Precip |
|-------|------|-----|--------|
| May 1 | 72 | 43 | |
| May 2 | 74 | 44 | T |
| May 3 | 70 | 42 | T |
| May 4 | 71 | 48 | .33 |
| May 5 | 70 | 53 | .12 |
| May 6 | 64 | 40 | .05 |
| May 7 | 63 | 38 | T |

Precipitation for May to date = .50 inch
 Precipitation for the year to date = 5.40 inches
 Normal precipitation for year to date = 4.69 inches

FOURTH CIRCUIT COURT

Judge ___ presiding

April 2, 2012

State of South Dakota vs. Doltan Allen Howell, 16, of Timber Lake. Defendant was arrested on February 10, 2012 for no drivers license. Five days of jail time was suspended on the following conditions: Pay fine and costs of \$54 by June 25 and no driving violations by June 2.

April 16, 2012

State of South Dakota vs. Randy F. Walthers, 36, of Eagle Butte. Defendant was arrested on March 15, 2012 for DUI second offense, driving with suspended license, no sellers permit or sold or transferred vehicle, and reckless driving. Defendant is to serve 90 days in the Dewey County jail with 85 days suspended for reckless driving on the following conditions: Pay fine of \$425 plus \$84 LEOTF and \$153 costs to be paid on or before May 1, 2012; reimburse Dewey County for his court appointed counsel in the amount of \$299 on or before May, 2012; violate no laws for a period of 360 days; and five days of the remaining sentence shall be served on or before May 1, 2012. All of the other charges were dismissed by motion of prosecutor.

State of South Dakota vs. Jessica Moore, 34, of Yankton. Defendant was arrested on February 9, 2012 for Driving under the influence second offense. On April 25, 2012 it was dismissed by motion of prosecutor.

Eileen LaCompte, Magistrate, Timber Lake

April 11, 2012

Cheryl Laurenz-Bogue, 49, of Dupree, speeding on state highway on March 23, 2012. Fine and costs, \$178.50.

Clay T. Lindskov, 17, of Isabel, speeding on state highway on March 23, 2012. Fine and costs, \$105.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS

Dewey County Register of Deeds Deb Goldade

The following transfers of deeds were filed with the Dewey County Register of Deeds during April, 2012:

April 2, 2012: Marguerite Sing, Fond du Lac, WI to Marguerite L. Sing Trust, Fond du Lac, WI: SW1/4 7-13-22. Quit Claim Deed.

April 2, 2012: JTD Properties, LLC, Rapid City to Eagle Stop, Inc., Rapid City: Lot J located in the SE1/4SW1/4SW1/4 8-12-24 EBHM, Dewey County. Quit Claim Deed.

April 12, 2012: Mike Labusewycz, Deceased, Timber Lake to Anna Labusewycz, Timber Lake: Lots 1 & 2 of Block 44 in the Town (now City) of Timber Lake. Affidavit Term. Joint Tenancy/Estate.

April 12, 2012: Russell D. Pearman, Gettysburg to U.S.A for Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe, Eagle Butte: Lots 13, 14, & 15 of Block 6 in the Town (now City) of Eagle Butte. Warranty Deed.

April 17, 2012: Ione L. Opp, Deceased to Colette Ganje: Lot 16 of Block 3 in the Town (now City) of Eagle Butte. Affidavit Term. Joint Tenancy/Estate.

April 17, 2012: Robert C. Scherer and Mary Lou Scherer, Timber Lake to Joseph S. Scherer and Sheila A. Scherer as JTWROS of Timber Lake: Twp 17N, Rge. 25 EBHM: Sec. 19: N1/2NE1/4 excepting Lots 1A, 1B and 2 including Lot 2A, Scherer Addition to Dewey County. Contract for Deed.

April 18, 2012: Lyle Conrad Lookabaugh Estate, Watonga, OK to Lookabaugh Living Trust L.C., Watonga, OK: Twp. 16N, Rge. 22 EBHM, Dewey County: Sec. 2: NW1/4; & Sec. 10: S1/2; & NW1/4, & Twp. 17N. Rge. 22 EBHM, Sec. 25: SW1/4, & Sec. 34: S1/2; & Twp. 17N. Rge. 23 EBHM; Sec. 3: SW1/4; Sec. 4: S1/2; Lot 6; & SE1/4NW1/4; Sec. 9: NW1/4; Sec. 10: NW1/4; Sec. 30: S1/2SW1/4; & Sec. 31: NW1/4. Mineral Deed.

April 18, 2012: First State Bank of Roscoe to River Bottom Cattle Company, LLC of Mobridge: Twp. 17N, Rge. 30 EBHM Sec. 1: Lots 5,6,& S1/2NW1/4, less U.S. Govt. Taking & SE1/4, less U.S. Govt. Taking; Sec. 2: Lots 5,6,7,& 8 & S1/2N1/2; Sec. 12: NE1/4, Twp. 17N, Rge. 31 EBHM, Sec. 6: SW1/4 less U.S. Govt. Take; Sec. 7: All, less U.S. Govt. Take. Quit Claim Deed.

April 18, 2012: River Bottom Cattle Company, LLC, Mobridge, to Bragan, LLC, Warner, SD: Twp. 17N, Rge. 30 EBHM, Dewey County: Sec. 1: Lots 5,6,& S1/2NW1/4, less U.S. Govt. Taking & SE1/4, less U.S. Govt. Taking; Sec. 2: Lots 5,6,7,& 8 & S1/2N1/2; Sec. 12: NE1/4; Twp. 17N, Rge. 31 EBHM, Sec. 6: SW1/4, less Govt. Take; Sec. 7: All, less U.S. Govt. Take. Warranty Deed.

April 30, 2012: Valentine Krumm, Estate, Trail City to Joanne Krumm a/k/a Mary Joanne Krumm, Trail City: SW1/4NW1/4 lying south of the Rail Road grade, of Sec. 5, Twp. 17, Rge. 28; SW1/4 of 5-17-28; S1/2NE1/4; S1/2N1/2NE1/4; NE1/4NE1/4NE1/4; & NW1/4NW1/4NE1/4 of 8-17-28; NW1/4 8-17-28; N1/2SW1/4 of 8-17-28; N1/2SE1/4 of 8-17-28. Personal Rep.

April 30, 2012: John L. Schell, Woodland, CA to Sharon Gerber, Petaluma, CA: Lot 4 of Sec. 31 in Twp. 16N, Rge. 23 EBHM, South Dakota, containing thirty-six acres and ninety-one hundredths of an acre. Quit Claim Deed.

April 30, 2012: Leland Logg Sr. and Robin Logg, Eagle Butte to Jesse Joe Schlosser, Jr., Timber Lake: Lot 4, Block 33, City of Timber Lake. Warranty Deed.

April 30, 2012: Jesse Joe Schlosser, Jr., Timber Lake to Martin A. Webb, Isabel: Lot 15, Block 31, City of Timber Lake. Warranty Deed.

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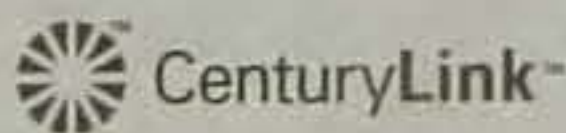
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NNA likes new plan for rural post offices, still concerned about processing centers

The U.S. Postal Service's new plan for providing rural residents with new options for keeping their local post offices drew praise from National Newspaper Association.

The Postal Service has announced it intends to take another look at its handling of rural post office closings, after taking a battering on Capitol Hill and from rural residents for its earlier plan to close about 3,700 unprofitable offices. Now, it says, it intends to offer communities the opportunity to keep the offices open, but with reduced window hours.

NNA President Reed Anfinson said the new plan is a step in the right direction and that NNA looks forward to learning more details.

"There is a widespread feeling in small towns that the Postal Service is poised to abandon rural America. From reduced delivery times to the ending of Saturday mail to the post office closings, it seemed as if we

were running a gauntlet of bad news on mail service. Although NNA did not oppose post office closings in general, we recommended a different approach. Our thought was that many of these offices could remain open if USPS used a "circuit-rider" approach for postmasters, staffed the offices with lower-level clerks, and simply kept the offices open for fewer hours. That idea came from our Postal Committee Chairman Max Heath, who testified on it before the Postal Regulatory Commission.

"Although NNA is pleased with Postmaster General Pat Donahoe's willingness to work with rural communities to keep their post offices open, of continuing and greater concern is the plan for closing more than half the mail processing centers around the country. The proposed cuts would have a devastating impact on the delivery of mail, including newspapers, prescription drugs and

packages across rural America. The mail is more important in rural America than in many other spots around the country. For newspapers, it is the key to helping us fulfill our roles as the tribunes of civic engagement."

The Postal Service said it will file a new plan before the PRC, detailing the options it intends to offer small towns before post offices are closed.

Heath said he hoped the new plan would provide greater detail on how small business mailers like NNA's community newspapers could enter mail to reach residents on the rural routes served by the reduced hours.

"I feel encouraged by the Postal Service's announcement. It seems to me as if some of the more draconian thoughts about cutting service across the board may be recalibrated. I hope we'll see some of the same openness to flexibility on other important issues to our newspaper mailers," he said.

CRST Fitness Fun Week is May 22-25

May is National Fitness and Sports Month, and the Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe health and wellness programs have planned Fitness Fun Week activities for May 22-25 at Eagle Butte.

Tribal employees and the public are encouraged to participate.

Organizers request that co-ed teams be organized to join in the planned activities. The winning team will have exclusive "bragging rights" and a trophy to display at the entrance of their workplace and the opportunity to vie for the title at the second annual event in 2013.

Events include a walk/run, fitness challenge, health and well-being seminars and other activities.

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- A reduced risk of chronic diseases such as heart disease, diabetes, high blood pressure and cholesterol.
- Increased energy and morale
- Increased self-esteem
- Better weight control
- Decreased dollars spent on medical bills and insurance
- Healthier joints, bones and muscles
- Increased flexibility and fitness level
- Longevity
- Increased quality of life

Not only does a healthier lifestyle increase physical health, but it also improves mental health. Physical activity and healthy eating have been proven to boost energy levels throughout the day and increase the release of endorphins, which improves moods and controls mood swings.

In addition to the numerous benefits to one's personal health, there are also benefits to the worksite, such as healthy relationships and improved morale.

For more details, see the schedule on page 20.



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| <p>Ladies Golf League Starts Tuesday, May 22 4:30 p.m. LMCC Golf Course</p> <p><i>You must be signed up to play by May 29 at the latest. After this date you will be listed as a sub.</i></p> <p>Call: Ellen Hulm 865-3703 Linda Dahlgren 865-3756 Chris Hermes 865-3121</p> | <p>Men's Golf League Starts Thursday, May 24 Call Doug Scott at 865-3187 to sign up.</p> <p><i>Men's League will follow a different format this season.</i></p> <p>Call Doug Scott if you have any questions: 865-3187</p> |
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Timber Lake High School Rodeo

Saturday, May 19 at 10 a.m. MT
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The Refrigerator Door

A daily reminder of events in and around Timber Lake

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Thursday, May 17

- Staff work day, Timber Lake School
- High School Regional Track Meet, Lemmon
- Informational workshop, Expanding the Business-to-Business Marketplace on the Cheyenne River Reservation, TLCC, 6 p.m.

Friday, May 18

- TL Head Start Graduation, Head Start Center, 12 noon
- Mobridge High School Rodeo, 2 p.m. MT

Saturday, May 19

- Holy Cross New to You Store open, 8 a.m. - 1 p.m.
- Timber Lake High School Rodeo, 10 a.m.
- Sage Brush Garand Match, Trail City Range
- Baby shower for Jewel J'Lynn Bowker, TLCC, 6 p.m.

Sunday, May 20

- Donnie Swan Memorial Dinner and Give-a-way, Emmanuel Episcopal Church, White Horse, 12 noon CT
- United Parish Council meets, 10 a.m.
- Sage Brush High Power Silhouette Shoot, Trail City Range

Monday, May 21

- Voter registration closes for June 5 primary and school elections
- State High School Golf Meet, Rapid City
- CT Blazers 4-H Club meets at courthouse to plant flowers, 9 a.m.
- EMT training, ambulance shed, 7 p.m.

Tuesday, May 22

- State Golf Meet, Rapid City
- Ladies Golf League starts, LMCC Golf Course, 4:30 p.m.

Wednesday, May 23

- Dewey County 4-H Horse Safety Training, Eagle Butte 9 a.m., Timber Lake, 3 p.m.

Thursday, May 24

- Men's Golf League starts, LMCC Golf Course
- Glencross Cemetery clean up, 6:30 p.m. (rain date May 25)

Friday, May 25

- State Track Meet, Rapid City
- Dupree High School Jackpot Rodeo, 5 p.m.

Saturday, May 26

- State Track Meet, Rapid City
- Dupree High School Jackpot Rodeo, 10 a.m.
- 7th Annual Sage Brush BPCR Long Range Gong, Trail City Range
- Donnie Swan Memorial Basketball Tournament, LaPlant

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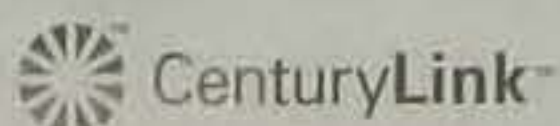
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Insurance Statements

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MERLE SCHEIBER
Director of Insurance

12321
FROM ANNUAL STATEMENT
Year Ending December 31, 2011
AMERICAN CONTINENTAL
INSURANCE COMPANY

Home Office Address:
101 Continental Place
Brentwood TN 37027
Mail Address:
PO Box 2368
Brentwood, TN 37024

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|------------------------------------------|---------------------|
| ASSETS | |
| Bonds | \$39,598,155 |
| Stocks | 0 |
| Mortgage Loans on Real Estate | 0 |
| Real Estate Owned | 0 |
| Policy Loans | 0 |
| Cash and Bank Deposits | 35,615,626 |
| Deferred and | |
| Uncollected Premiums | 7,209,625 |
| Investment Income | |
| Due and Accrued | 354,394 |
| Other Assets | 1,875,728 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | \$84,653,528 |
| LIABILITIES, SURPLUS, OTHER FUNDS | |
| Reserve for Life | |
| Policies & Contracts | \$2,264,021 |
| Reserve for Accident & Health Policies | 5,801,037 |
| Policy and Contract Claims | |
| Life | 486,685 |
| Accident and Health | 12,810,469 |
| General Expenses | |
| Due or Accrued | 2,612,385 |
| Taxes, Licenses & Fees | |
| Due or Accrued | 1,001,360 |
| Federal Income Taxes | |
| Due or Accrued | 313,772 |
| All Other Liabilities | 9,712,622 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES | \$35,002,551 |
| Special Surplus Funds | \$467,036 |
| Capital Paid Up | 1,500,000 |
| Gross Paid In and | |
| Contributed Surplus | 93,367,999 |
| Unassigned Surplus | (45,684,058) |
| Surplus as Regards | |
| Policyholders | \$49,650,977 |
| TOTAL | 84,653,528 |

BUSINESS IN SOUTH DAKOTA 2011

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| Direct Premiums Received | \$1,856,661 |
| Direct Losses Paid | 1,573,163 |
| Losses Incurred | 1,836,036 |
| Life Insurance in Force | 251,500 |

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA
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STATE CAPITOL, PIERRE
COMPANY'S CERTIFICATE
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INDEMNITY COMPANY

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601 South Figueroa St #1600
Los Angeles, CA 90017
Mail Address:
601 South Figueroa Street
Los Angeles, CA 90017

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| ASSETS | |
| Bonds | 347,283,749 |
| Stocks | 0 |
| Mortgage Loans on Real Estate | 37,421 |
| Real Estate Owned | 0 |
| Cash and Bank Deposits | 6,341,833 |
| Agents Balances or | |

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| Uncollected Premiums | 2,440,061 |
| Interest, Dividends and Real Estate Income Due and Accrued | 3,131,472 |
| Other Assets | 10,468,495 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | 369,713,031 |
| LIABILITIES, SURPLUS, OTHER FUNDS | |
| Reserve for Losses | 34,957,549 |
| Reserve for Loss | |
| Adjustment Expenses | 9,927,836 |
| Other Expenses (excluding taxes, licenses and fees) | 3,979,435 |
| Taxes, Licenses and Fees (excluding Federal and Foreign Income Taxes) | 0 |
| Federal and Foreign | |
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| Unearned Premiums | 51,456,148 |
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| Direct Premiums Earned | 58,558 |
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350 East 96th Street
Indianapolis, IN 46240
Mail Address:
175 Berkeley Street
Boston, MA 02116

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| ASSETS | |
| Bonds | 847,966,089 |
| Stocks | 80,192,233 |
| Mortgage Loans on Real Estate | 26,756,319 |
| Real Estate Owned | 0 |
| Cash and Bank Deposits | 43,754,048 |
| Agents Balances or | |
| Uncollected Premiums | 191,563,891 |
| Interest, Dividends and Real Estate Income Due and Accrued | 8,989,444 |
| Other Assets | 69,027,625 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | 1,268,229,649 |
| LIABILITIES, SURPLUS, OTHER FUNDS | |
| Reserve for Losses | 504,804,800 |
| Reserve for Loss | |
| Adjustment Expenses | 111,621,344 |
| Other Expenses (excluding taxes, licenses and fees) | 8,799,976 |
| Taxes, Licenses and Fees (excluding Federal and Foreign Income Taxes) | 4,154,838 |
| Federal and Foreign | |
| Income Taxes | 0 |
| Unearned Premiums | 282,190,835 |
| All Other Liabilities | 122,627,623 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES | 1,034,199,616 |
| Special Surplus Funds | 10,504,733 |
| Capital Paid Up | |
| or Statutory Deposit | 5,000,000 |
| Gross Paid In and | |
| Contributed Surplus | 206,979,280 |
| Unassigned Funds (Surplus) | 11,548,020 |
| Surplus as Regards | |
| Policyholders | 234,030,033 |
| TOTAL | 1,268,229,649 |

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| BUSINESS IN SOUTH DAKOTA 2011 | |
| Direct Premiums Written | 1,847,513 |
| Direct Premiums Earned | 1,866,968 |
| Direct Losses Paid | 563,055 |
| Direct Losses Incurred | 880,660 |

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STATE CAPITOL, PIERRE
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Director of Insurance

68594
FROM ANNUAL STATEMENT
Year Ending December 31, 2011
AMERICAN-AMICABLE LIFE
INSURANCE CO. OF TEXAS

Home Office Address:
425 Austin Avenue
Waco, TX 76701
Mail Address:
PO Box 2549
Waco, TX 76702-2549

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|------------------------------------------|----------------------|
| ASSETS | |
| Bonds | \$244,862,136 |
| Stocks | 58,274,280 |
| Mortgage Loans on Real Estate | 102,399,509 |
| Real Estate Owned | 2,704,003 |
| Policy Loans | 15,632,429 |
| Cash and Bank Deposits | 4,226,801 |
| Deferred and | |
| Uncollected Premiums | 10,009,292 |
| Investment Income | |
| Due and Accrued | 2,651,186 |
| Other Assets | 5,596,898 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | \$446,356,544 |
| LIABILITIES, SURPLUS, OTHER FUNDS | |
| Reserve for Life | |
| Policies & Contracts | \$228,665,852 |
| Reserve for Accident & Health Policies | 0 |
| Policy and Contract Claims | |
| Life | 5,311,764 |
| Accident and Health | 0 |
| General Expenses | |
| Due or Accrued | 808,114 |
| Taxes, Licenses & Fees | |
| Due or Accrued | 120,462 |
| Federal Income Taxes | |
| Due or Accrued | 0 |
| All Other Liabilities | 154,016,237 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES | \$388,922,429 |
| Special Surplus Funds | \$1,212,836 |
| Capital Paid Up | 3,158,420 |
| Gross Paid In and | |
| Contributed Surplus | 63,398,747 |
| Unassigned Surplus | (10,335,888) |
| Surplus as Regards | |
| Policyholders | \$57,434,115 |
| TOTAL | 446,356,544 |

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| BUSINESS IN SOUTH DAKOTA 2011 | |
| Direct Premiums Received | \$92,136 |
| Direct Losses Paid | 9,000 |
| Losses Incurred | 9,000 |
| Life Insurance in Force | 5,199,131 |

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA
DIVISION OF INSURANCE
STATE CAPITOL, PIERRE
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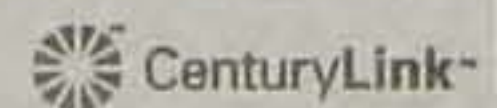
Low-income consumers may qualify for assistance that will reduce the cost of basic monthly telephone service. The assistance program, known as Lifeline Affordable Telephone Assistance, is available to qualifying consumers in every U.S. state (territory and commonwealth). Qualifications for participation vary by state. In states that follow the federal guidelines, the subscriber must have a household annual gross income at or below 135% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines for a household of that size; or participate in any one of the following programs: Medicaid, Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (Food Stamps), Supplemental Security Income (SSI), Federal Public Housing Assistance (Section 8), Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP), National School Lunch Program's Free Lunch Program, or Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF).

Residents of American Indian and Alaskan Native tribal lands may qualify for up to an additional \$25 of enhanced Lifeline support monthly and a credit of up to \$100 on their initial installation charges. An individual living on tribal lands may qualify for Lifeline and Link-Up discounts if he or she participates in one of the programs listed above, the Bureau of Indian Affairs General Assistance, Tribally Administered Temporary Assistance to Needy Families, or Head Start (only for those households meeting its income qualifying standard).

Lifeline eligible subscribers may also qualify for reliable home high-speed Internet service up to 1.5Mbps for \$9.95* per month for the first 12 months of service. Further details are available at centurylink.com/internetbasics

If you live in a CenturyLink service area, please call 1-800-244-1111 or visit centurylink.com/lifeline with questions or to request an application for the Lifeline program.

*CenturyLink Internet Basics Program - Residential customers only who qualify based on meeting income level or program participation eligibility requirements, and requires remaining eligible for the entire offer period. First bill will include charges for the first full month of service billed in advance, prorated charges for service from the date of installation to bill date, and one-time charges and fees described above. Qualifying customers may keep this program for a maximum of 60 months after service activation provided customer will qualify during that time. Limited High-Speed Internet rate of \$9.95/mo. applies for first 12 months of service (after which the rate reverts to \$14.95/mo. for the next 48 months of service), and requires a 12-month term agreement. Customer must either lease a modem/router from CenturyLink for an additional monthly charge or purchase a modem/router from CenturyLink for a one-time charge, and a one-time High-Speed Internet installation fee applies. A one-time professional installation charge (if selected by customer) and a one-time shipping and handling fee applies to customer's modem/router. General - Services are available everywhere CenturyLink may change or cancel services or substitute similar services at its sole discretion without notice. Offer, plans, and stated rates are subject to change and may vary by service area. Deposit may be required. Additional restrictions apply. Terms and Conditions - All products and services listed are governed by tariffs, terms of service, or terms and conditions posted at centurylink.com. Taxes, Fees, and Surcharges - Applicable taxes, fees, and surcharges include a carrier Universal Service charge, carrier cost recovery surcharges, state and local fees that vary by area and certain in-state surcharges. Cost recovery fees are not taxes or government-required charges for use. Taxes, fees, and surcharges apply based on standard monthly, non-promotional rates.



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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal at Pierre, S. D., this 1st day of May, A.D., 2012.

MERLE SCHEIBER
Director of Insurance

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FROM ANNUAL STATEMENT
Year Ending December 31, 2011
AMERICAN-AMICABLE LIFE
INSURANCE CO. OF TEXAS

Home Office Address:
425 Austin Avenue
Waco, TX 76701
Mail Address:
PO Box 2549
Waco, TX 76702-2549

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|------------------------------------------|----------------------|
| ASSETS | |
| Bonds | \$244,862,136 |
| Stocks | 58,274,290 |
| Mortgage Loans on Real Estate | 102,399,509 |
| Real Estate Owned | 2,704,003 |
| Policy Loans | 15,632,429 |
| Cash and Bank Deposits | 4,226,801 |
| Deferred and | |
| Uncollected Premiums | 10,009,292 |
| Investment Income | |
| Due and Accrued | 2,651,186 |
| Other Assets | 5,596,898 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | \$446,356,544 |
| LIABILITIES, SURPLUS, OTHER FUNDS | |
| Reserve for Life | |
| Policies & Contracts | \$228,665,852 |
| Reserve for Accident & Health Policies | 0 |
| Policy and Contract Claims | |
| Life | 5,311,764 |
| Accident and Health | 0 |
| General Expenses | |
| Due or Accrued | 608,114 |
| Taxes, Licenses & Fees | |
| Due or Accrued | 120,462 |
| Federal Income Taxes | |
| Due or Accrued | 0 |
| All Other Liabilities | 154,016,237 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES | \$388,922,429 |
| Special Surplus Funds | \$1,212,836 |
| Capital Paid Up | 3,158,420 |
| Gross Paid In and | |
| Contributed Surplus | 63,398,747 |
| Unassigned Surplus | (10,335,868) |
| Surplus as Regards | |
| Policyholders | \$57,434,115 |
| TOTAL | \$446,356,544 |
| BUSINESS IN SOUTH DAKOTA 2011 | |
| Direct Premiums Received | \$92,136 |
| Direct Losses Paid | 9,000 |
| Losses Incurred | 9,000 |
| Life Insurance in Force | 5,199,131 |

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA
DIVISION OF INSURANCE
STATE CAPITOL, PIERRE
COMPANY'S CERTIFICATE
OF AUTHORITY

WHEREAS, the American-Amicable Life Insurance Co. of Texas, a Corporation organized under the Laws of Texas, has complied with all requirements of the Insurance Laws of the State of South Dakota:

NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned, Director of Insurance of the State of South Dakota, pursuant to the provisions of said laws, do hereby certify that the above named Company is fully empowered through its authorized agents to transact the numbered lines of business listed below:

- Life
- Health
- Fire & Allied Lines
- Inland & Ocean Marine
- Workmen's Compensation
- Bodily Injury Liability (Other than Auto)

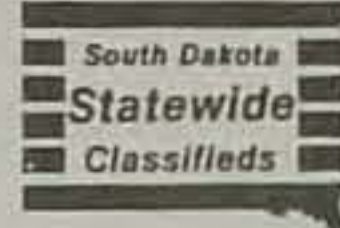
- Property Damage (Other than Auto)
- Auto Bodily Injury
- Auto Property Damage
- Auto Physical Damage
- Fidelity & Surety
- Glass
- Burglary & Theft
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MERLE SCHEIBER
Director of Insurance

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~~ Thank You ~~

Appointed last July, Thomas Nordquist served City Council and Ward 1. Tom resigned May 1 due to health reasons. His 15 years of experience as Wilmot's police officer provided many insights to the Council, and his willingness to serve the public was greatly appreciated.

Tom, on behalf of the Wilmot City Council, we sincerely thank you for the time and energy you invested in our community.

CenturyLink offers telephone assistance to individuals living on Tribal Lands

Low-income consumers may qualify for assistance that will reduce the cost of basic monthly telephone service. The assistance program, known as Lifeline Affordable Telephone Assistance, is available to qualifying consumers in every U.S. state (territory and commonwealth). Qualifications for participation vary by state. In states that follow the federal guidelines, the subscriber must have a household annual gross income at or below 135% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines for a household of that size; or participate in any one of the following programs: Medicaid, Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (Food Stamps), Supplemental Security Income (SSI), Federal Public Housing Assistance (Section 8), Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP), National School Lunch Program's Free Lunch Program, or Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF).

Residents of American Indian and Alaskan Native tribal lands may qualify for up to an additional \$25 of enhanced Lifeline support monthly and a credit of up to \$100 on their initial installation charge. An individual living on tribal lands may qualify for Lifeline and Link-Up discounts if he or she participates in one of the programs listed above, the Bureau of Indian Affairs General Assistance, Tribally Administered Temporary Assistance to Needy Families, or Head Start (only for those households meeting its income qualifying standard).

Lifeline eligible subscribers may also qualify for reliable home high-speed Internet service up to 1.5Mbps for \$9.95* per month for the first 12 months of service. Further details are available at centurylink.com/internetbasics

If you live in a CenturyLink service area, please call 1-800-244-1111 or visit centurylink.com/lifeline with questions or to request an application for the Lifeline program.

*CenturyLink Internet Basics Program - Residential customers only who qualify based on meeting income level or program participation eligibility requirements, and requires remaining eligible for the entire offer period. First bill will include charges for the first full month of service billed in advance, prorated charges for service from the date of installation to bill date, and one-time charges and fees described above. Qualifying customers may keep this program for a maximum of 60 months after service activation provided customer will qualify during this time. Limited High-Speed Internet rate of \$9.95/mo applies for first 12 months of service (after which the rate reverts to \$14.95/mo. for the next 48 months of service), and requires a 12-month term agreement. Customer must either lease a modem/router from CenturyLink for an additional monthly charge or purchase a modem/router from CenturyLink for a one-time charge, and a one-time High-Speed Internet activation fee applies. A one-time professional installation charge (if selected by customer) and a one-time shipping and handling fee applies to customer's modem/router. General - Services not available everywhere. CenturyLink may change or discontinue services or substitute similar services at its sole discretion without notice. Offer, plans, and stated rates are subject to change and may vary by service area. Deposits may be required. Additional restrictions apply. Terms and Conditions - All products and services listed are governed by specific terms of service, or terms and conditions posted at centurylink.com. Taxes, Fees, and Surcharges - Applicable taxes, fees, etc.; surcharges include a carrier Universal Service charge, carrier cost recovery surcharges, state and local fees (if any) by area and service location surcharges. Cost recovery fees are not levied on government-required charges for use. Taxes, fees, and surcharges apply based on standard monthly, not promotional, rates.

