

Logan school board meeting was held

The Logan Unified School District #326 Board of Education met in regular session on Monday, Dec. 9., and the following are excerpts from that meeting.

Principal's Report

Kellen Adams' report included an update on open positions. The coaching position for assistant high school basketball is being offered to Michael Kats, assistant track coach to Crystal Dunlap as well as Forensics and Play Director, and Dustin Patee as assistant track coach. (The board approved these positions, 6-0).

Mr. Adams suggested the cook position be offered to Katie McFerrin. (The board approved this contract, 7-0). The concession manager position was offered to Aubrey Ruff. (The board approved offer, 7-0).

Mr. Adams' final report was an update of the WKLL League meeting. It was decided to rotate

the league track meet every year with an east location one year, and a west location the next. Logan will host next year's meet beginning with the junior high school at 11 a.m. and the high school beginning at 3 p.m. Goodland will be the site for the west location provided there is no conflict in their schedule.

Superintendent's Report

Michael Gower's report addressed the results of the state audit. The next item discussed was a recap of the football field lights. The board passed a motion, 7-0 vote, to replace two poles with new light fixtures and new boxes, not to exceed \$14,000.

Mr. Gower then reported on the shop improvements. At this time, all new equipment purchased through the Hansen Grant has arrived. The shop needs more power and new wiring to cover the exhaust system and new equipment. Mr. Gower

recommended the use of donated money to cover the expense to rewire. The board voted in favor of J & L Electric putting in the needed wiring, at a cost not to exceed \$12,981.32.

Mr. Gower asked the board for recommendations on four different school calendar options presented to the committee. Mr. Gower reminded the board of the Superintendent's evaluation scheduled for January. The evaluation sheets will be mailed out to all board members and will be discussed in January. The final item was appointing two members of the board to the teacher negotiation team, which will be Lynette Stockman and Ryan Grammon.

NCKSEC Report

Jeff Hofaker reported on the recent meeting informing the board that Wes Topel will become the assistant director, and they will be looking to hire someone as director.

LYLE NEWS

By Veda Wood

Judy Easton stayed last weekend with her mother, Toots Magers and took her to McCook, Neb., on Sunday, where 26 family members met at Allen Powell's for their annual Thanksgiving Powell "soup dinner." All the family was present except Mike and Pam Hornung of Denver, Colo. When Pam had her thyroid surgery, they found she needed extra calcium, which was causing numbness in her hands. Joanie and children, Madison and Cody, were driving to Abilene, then on Sunday to Topeka, and Wichita, and flying back to Florida on Monday.

Kathy Van Meter and Lloyd Frandsen were in Hastings, Neb., on Thanksgiving visiting Lloyd's grandson and family. Weekend company were Jack and Sylvia, Wichita, Kip, Danielle and Colton of Glen Elder, and Kim and Jolene of Quinter.

Ten friends ate at the Lyle Community Building on Sunday. Larry Sumner announced that they are having a birthday party on December 26 at the Norton Public Library for his mother, Joyce's birthday. I think she will forgive me if I say it will be number 90. I can't believe she is almost my age-but I'm still ahead.

We had fifteen at my house on Thursday. Denny reminded me, we had five generations present. Of course I was number 1, Carol, number 2, Tracey and Tielia, number 3, Adrienne and Brooke, number 4, and Kylie, Skylar and Kiyra, number 5. Sandra and Larry didn't make it, but came on Friday. And speaking of birthdays, my sister, Twila

Vernon, of Arvada, Colo., is 87 today.

June Jolly, Louie and Laveda McFarland, Megan, Linda and Dennis McFarland went to Dean and Rhonda Jolly's home on Saturday where they celebrated Kimberley's son Xavier's second birthday. Sarah and Colt McDonald and family were also guests. The birthday boy only wanted a cowboy, "Woody," complete with hat and boots. June played Bingo, but says she is going to give it a rest for a while.

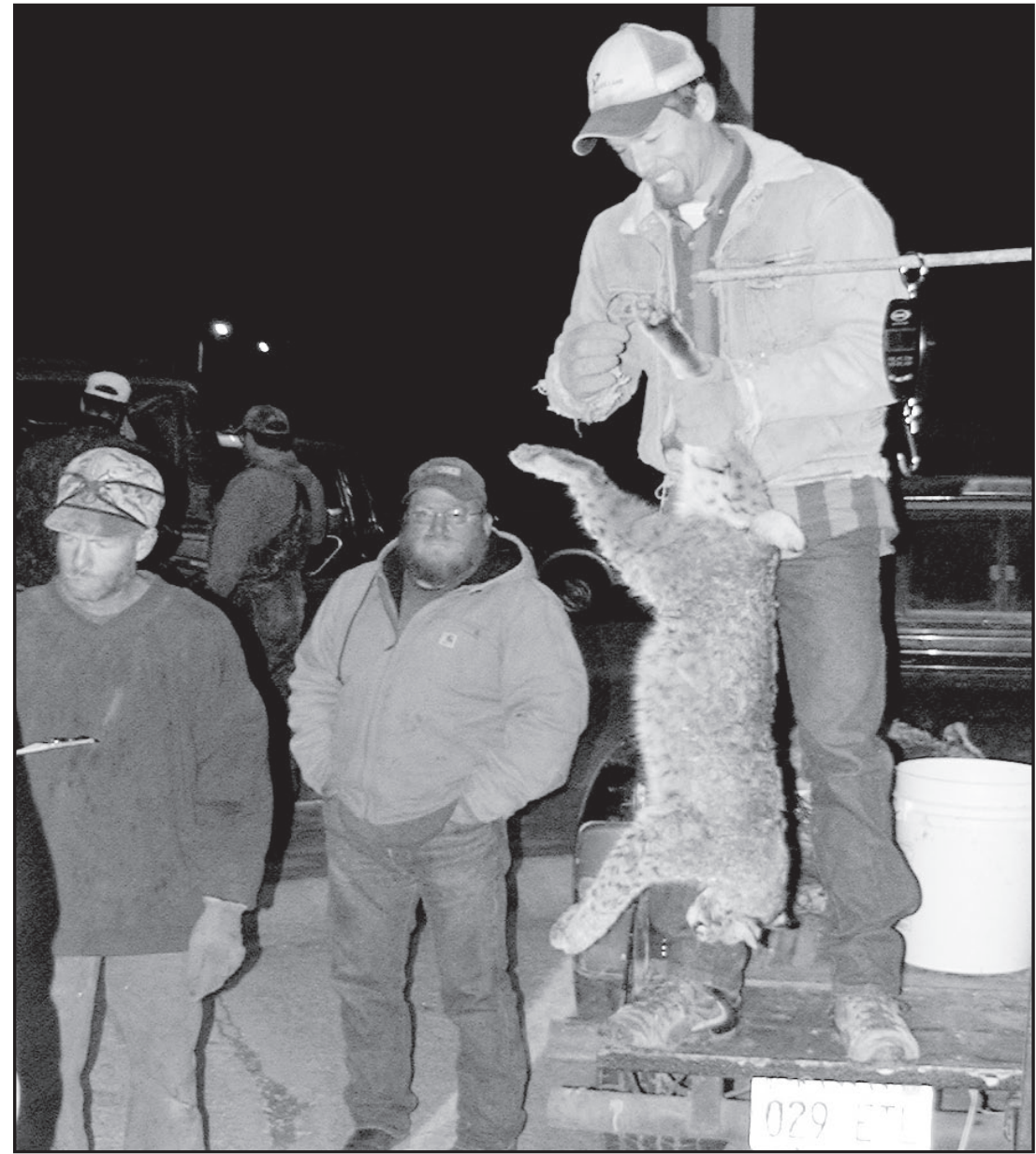
The sun is shining this morning, giving us hopes that things will warm up one of these days. We finally got the snow we had heard predicted for several days, and thankful for it. There was no church in Lyle on Sunday, so [some of us] got to stay in where it was warm. Somehow, I remember the "Good old days" when we got out of a warm bed and went to make a fire in the kitchen where our old washpan had ice in it. I have never wished to relive that time.

Karty Van Meter and Lloyd Frandsen came to check her water pipes, etc. in Lyle, and while there scooped snow for Toots Magers. Such good neighbors! On Wednesday they went to Kearney to the Nebraska Cattlemen's Convention. There were meetings, awards, and food, including a banquet. They came home on Friday.

June Jolly attended a Sunday charity auction at the Eagles club Sunday evening. She has finished another quilt and is knitting a scarf. She skipped swimming today for some reason.

Speaking of good neighbors, I enjoyed reading the story in the Norcat News last week, written by Phil Young, where his parents took care of so many stranded travelers in the 1948 snow storm. We had heard about the situation before, but now we could read "the rest of the story".

Call of the wild...



The Norton Archery Club held its Coyote Calling Contest on Saturday, and 49 hunters participated in the event. (Pictured) Rick and Brett McChesney weighed and cataloged a bobcat while another hunter looks on. The winners of the Contest were Matt Armknecht and Lon Ninemire of Hill City, with two bobcats and one crow. Brett Gallintine and Scott Esslinger were second with two coyotes and one crow, and Rusty and Shannon Goss were third with one coyote. -Telegram photo by Mike Stephens

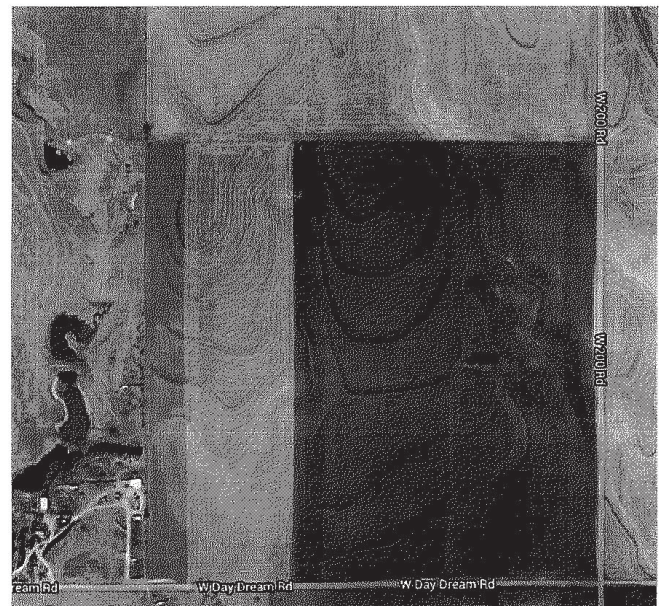
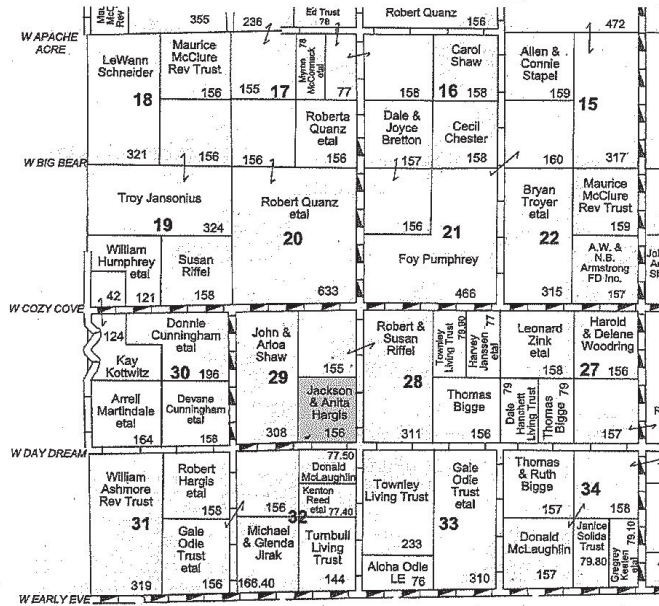
LAND AUCTION

Seller: Jackson Hargis

LOCATION: Logan Community Center
Logan, Kansas

DATE: December 23, 2013 TIME : 10:30AM

Land Location: SE 1/4 , 29-5-18
Phillips County, Kansas



Selling as a contract for Deed

MINERAL RIGHTS: All the sellers mineral rights sell with the property and are intact.
CROPS: Planted wheat will be retained by tenant with buyer to receive landlords 1/3 share, and pay 1/3 the fertilizer to seller.
TAXES: Seller will pay 2013 taxes but buyer will be responsible for 2014. Taxes for 2013 were \$1,070.00.
Possession of growing wheat after harvest. Stubble acres after March 1,2014

TERMS: 10% Down day of auction at signing of contracts. Personal checks will be acceptable for the down payment but certifiable funds will be needed for final payment. Escrow funds will be held by Phillips Co. Abstract and they will be the closing agent. Financing if needed must be arranged prior to auction. **Auction house has right to refuse any and all bids.**

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team the authority to act on behalf of U.S.D. 211 in regards to making decisions and taking necessary actions related to the expansion of the MCL and MCEL.

-the recommendation to discontinue the Explorations of Technology program at NJHS/NCHS was presented. Action on the recommendation will be taken at the January meeting.

-April Karnopp reported on the NCSEC Board of Directors

meeting.

-April Karnopp and Superintendent Mann reported on the KASB State Convention in Wichita.

-approved the PDC points as presented.

-approved consent agenda. Items approved in the consent agenda include the agenda, minutes from the regular meeting on Nov. 11, acceptance of \$380 donation from Knights of Columbus for use in special education programs and payment of bills as presented.

Bills approved for payment total:		
	PAYROLL	BILLS
General Fund	338,824.69	54.97
Vocational	8,965.71	2,152.72
Capital Outlay		18,525.00
Food Service	23,132.22	25,661.72
Drivers Ed.		20.16
Title I	8,338.44	508.98
Special Education	12,500.47	736.96
Recreation Commission		56.36
At-Risk	29,195.17	
Professional Development		30.26
Supplemental General	23,480.44	44,480.41
Title II-A	4,025.53	1,327.94
Gifts & Grants		165.98
TOTALS	448,462.67	93,721.46