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Originally, he had planned to run back, but Wednesday, he said he didn't think that was going to happen.

Herman has a shunt to drain fluid off his brain. His mother, Jeanie Herman, had planned on having him checked by a nurse before he ran back to St. Francis.

His medical problems started after he went to a Boy Scout camp

in Kiowa, where he found a tick on his stomach and was bitten by a mosquito, his mother said. After he got home, he wound up with a 104-degree fever and vomiting. He was eventually diagnosed with West Nile Virus, spread by mosquitoes, and Rocky Mountain spotted fever, spread by ticks, she said.

While he was being treated for those things, doctors found a brain tumor, his mother said. They told her the tumor probably had been growing since he was born and had been aggravated by his illnesses and the medications he took for it.

Herman said he had been training by running up to 8 miles at a time. Doctors have cleared him for the run, his mother said, and his coach thought he could do it.

His father followed behind him in a car with flashers on.

Anyone who wants to donate to his fund can send checks to him at 320 Webster, St. Francis, Kan. 67756.

The people in St. Francis were shocked that he wanted to run from St. Francis to Goodland, he said.

"I thought it would be awesome to make the run," he added.



Sawhill Park — 2008

HISTORY

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and the other one was to rebuild the light and power line from the plant to the business district.

These projects fulfilled the administration's goal that "a certain number of people should be put to work doing something worthwhile on full-time pay for 30 hours per week." In Cheyenne County, the payroll for one particular week amounted to \$2,853.96 for 209 workers which, for a 30-hour week, averaged 46 cents per hour per worker.

Sawhill Park was completed at a cost of approximately \$7,000.

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Kansas.

Greg Kite, former St. Francis resident and president of the Historic Preservation Alliance of Wichita and Sedgwick County, attended the board meeting.

"I was elated with the decision!" he said. "This is the culmination of nearly two years of very hard work and Sawhill Park is only the second such designation in Cheyenne County after the courthouse."

Mr. Kite said that since Sawhill Park was approved by the Sites Board of Review, as well as the State Historic Preservation officer, the property will be listed on the Kansas Register of Historic Places. He also said that because the property was approved for state register listing and is being nominated to the National Register, the board will forward its recommendations for listing to the National Park Service in Washington. He also said that notice will be received from the Kansas State Historical Society about the National Register list in three to five months.

"The really great thing about all of this is that it was truly a group effort," he said.

The original idea of placing the park on the historic register was that of Scott Schultz, St. Francis Mayor, who asked Mr. Kite to become involved.

Thereafter, J.R. Landenberger, city superintendent, prepared an initial draft of the preliminary site information questionnaire. Subsequently, Terry Miller, county clerk, and Mr. Kite prepared the final version of the questionnaire

and submitted it to the State for review.

After the State indicated that it was eligible for designation, the arduous task of preparing the actual nomination of the Howard T. Sawhill Park to both the State and National Historic Registers was begun.

Many hours were spent by Margaret Bucholtz, *Saint Francis Herald* columnist, and Janet Carman, vice president of the Cheyenne County Historical Society, at the Cheyenne County Museum. They researched old *Saint Francis Herald* articles to obtain the necessary information. Mike Day, the city attorney, provided a full and complete legal description for the park, and confirmed its ownership by the county and the long-term, 50-year lease to the City.

Superintendent Landenberger provided current photos of the park and Clerk Miller assisted Mr. Kite taking measurements of the band shell, amphitheatre, center fountain and memorial American flag. Official letters of approval for the nomination were prepared by Clerk Miller and Mary Lampe, city clerk.

At the conclusion of her presentation to the Board of Review, Ms. Martin introduced Mr. Kite, to answer any questions.

First, board members inquired about the layout of Sawhill

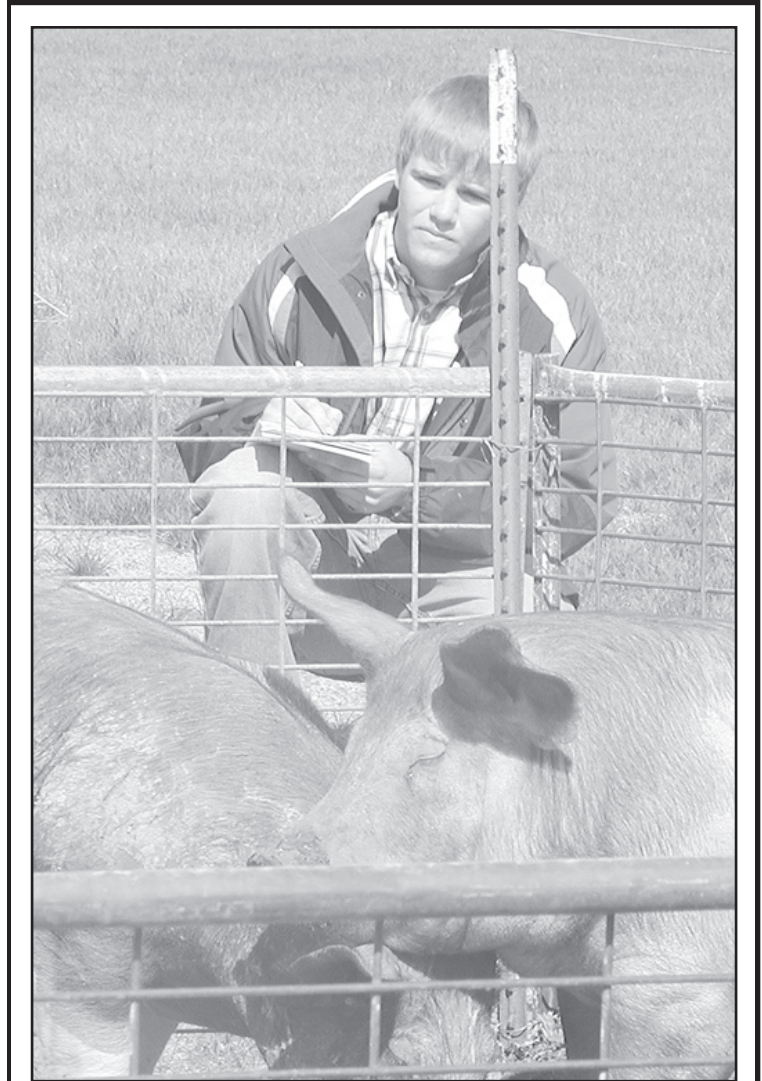
Park. They were curious about the fact that the band shell now stands where the original, Italianate style, two-story, wood-frame courthouse was built in 1889. They also wanted to know about the fact that initially, the park had been planned to be located where the current courthouse, built in 1924, now stands.

Then, they asked Mr. Kite about any personal recollections he had about the park. He said that he had fond memories of being taken as a

little boy for walks in the park by his grandmother, Ruby Kite.

The Board concluded its comments with congratulations to both the city and county for having a successful nomination to the State and National Registers.

With the State and National Historic Register listing, as is the case with the courthouse, Sawhill Park will be eligible for Heritage Trust Fund Grants from the State of Kansas for things such as restoration and maintenance.



GRADY BRUNK judges hogs at a recent livestock judging contest held in Bird City. Times staff photo by Linda Schneider

FILLED

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Roger Moore has filed for trustee for Wano II township. Ryan Shay and Diane Shay, precinct committee man and committee woman for Wano II.

Jack Burr retired as District court judge for the 15th Judicial District. Filing for the position is Kevin Berens, (R), St. Francis, Andrea Wyrick, (R), and Scott Showalter, (R), Colby.

Primary election

The primary election has been set for Aug. 5.

Those who have changed their name by marriage, divorce or legal proceedings or have changed their residence, need to register before they can vote. Also, those who have turned 18 (or older but

have never registered) and want to vote for the first time will need to register.

Registration can be taken care of at the clerk's office at the courthouse in St. Francis, or at the First National Bank or city clerk's office in Bird City.

Any person can apply to be registered in person or by mail to the election officer. Application forms will be provided by Terry Miller, county election officer, upon request in person or in writing.

The registration books will close on Monday, July 21, and will remain closed until Aug. 6, the day after the primary election.

Sat., June 21, 2008
10:00 a.m. CT

Antiques, Collectibles, Furniture, Guns, Hunting, Fishing, Mowers, Shop, Glassware, Household, and Miscellaneous

Sellers:
Jim and Pat Johnston

Sale Site: 4-H Building, Atwood, Kansas

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<p>Antiques & Collectibles</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2 Oak buffets (1 w/mirror) Oak wardrobe, unusual Oak trestle sewing machine cabinet 2 Oak curio w/glass doors Oval coffee table w/glass top Koala camera Oval curved glass picture frame Time-Life western & civil war book collection Amico Clock Hall chime clock (nice) 1945 Original silk picture from Japan Ant. trunk car Sev. Oil Lamps, hurricane lamps Admiral Oil Lamp Set of Lewis & Clark whiskey decanters 	<p>Furniture</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Green & Maroon recliners 7-shelf curio stand Flat backed oval stand Round end table Roll top desk Solid oak 5 drawer dresser Jewelry Armoire Oak coffee table
<p>Guns, Hunting, Fishing & Related</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Iver Johnson 12ga Long Tom 36" barrel Winchester Model 1890 22 short octagon barrel Winchester Model 1894 38-55 octagon barrel Sev. antique Bamboo fly rods w/ case Mitchell Garcia salt water reels- Ambassadors 9000, 440, 408 Pfizerer Fly Reel w/ spool Tackle box - full of fishing gear Sev. Ant. Wood Lures 	<p>Mowers & Shop</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> DeWalt radial arm saw w/ dials blades HD 5hp drill press 2 Appliance dollies Rockwell 1/2" air impact wrench 3x sheets of diamond plating Hand tools- scoops, brooms, axes, rakes, etc. Extendable scaffold Homemade car ramps 4 door storage cabinet Nuts, bolts, screws, washers, misc. HD socket set impact Deep socket impact Wagner paint sprayer 2-Wood cutters (elect & gas) McCallch chain saw Metal shelving, 3 units Sandborn port. Air compressor 1/2hp Air hose Wood bench Sewer clean out tap Com-alongs Concrete finishing tools Ext. pruner & saw Hyd. Jacks 2-Wheelbarrows Scaffolding - like new DeWalt compound miter saw Mapps gas cutting torch
<p>Glassware & Household</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 40+ per war glassware pieces Light shades, desk set, fruit bowls, pitcher, Cream, sugar, ice cream dishes, covered butter dish, etc. Pink steamer 	<p>Miscellaneous</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bev Doolittle prints Oil paintings & other pics Mink cape Full length fur coat Sev. Dollies "Pool" light & pool cues Misc. wall hangings Start w/ games Golf practice net Carpet shampooer Arts rug and matching runner Storage cabinet Golf practice net Carpet shampooer Arts rug and matching runner

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ALUMNI!!!!

The St. Francis Community High School's Alumni Reunion is set for June 21. This year's honored classes: 1933, 1938, 1943, 1948, 1953, 1958, 1963, 1968, 1973, 1978, 1983, 1988 and 1998 will be featured in The Saint Francis Herald the first part of July.

An issue to treasure!