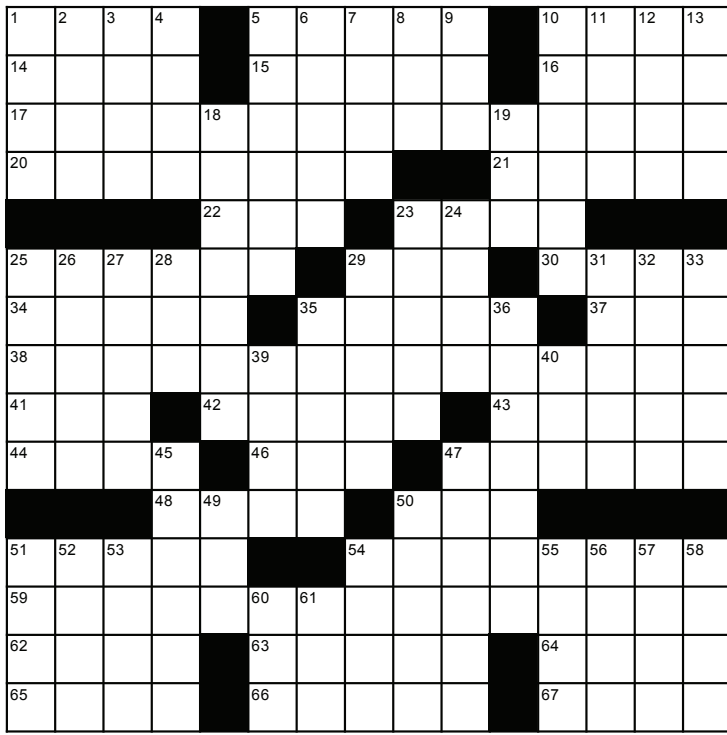


Windy City

ACROSS

1. Big bash
5. Propelled a dinghy
10. Warming in relations
14. Passed with flying colors
15. "___ porridge hot ..."
16. Lamarr of "Samson and Delilah"
17. Chats idly
20. Battle of Trenton losers
21. Van Gogh's town
22. Peeples or Vardalos
23. PC pop-up
25. Tear into
29. "___ for Alibi" (Grafton novel)
30. Dumb cluck
34. ___ Island Red (kind of chicken)
35. Dwight's two-time opponent
37. "The Simpsons" storekeeper
38. Audience response to a great comedy act
41. Miner's find
42. Holy shroud city
43. Prophetic events
44. Hardy heroine
46. Picnic throwaway
47. Peak of NE Greece
48. "Draft Dodger Rag" singer Phil
50. "Wait a ___!"
51. Pitched too high
54. Hardly virtuous
59. Boxer in a Bob Dylan song
62. "Cogito, ___ sum"
63. IV part
64. Talk show retiree of 2009



American Profile Hometown Content

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DOWN

1. Cause for stitches
2. Need ibuprofen
3. Many August births
4. Hubbubs
5. Tall ships celebration, for short
6. MetLife rival
7. Cheerleaders' cheers
8. Language suffix
9. Society newbie
10. "Ay, there's ___": Shak.
11. Bread end
12. Timber-shaping tool

13. Road-fork shapes
18. Hardest to spot
19. Vied for a seat
23. Home to La Scala
24. Jacob's twin
25. Shop lingo
26. Don't hog
27. Loafer bottoms
28. Sidewalk stand quaff
29. Go off script
31. Rock's Hall & ___
32. Starts the concert
33. Fluid-filled sac
35. Jackson 5 'dos
36. Prankster's cry
39. "That hurts!"
40. Med. insurance group
45. Blue feeling
47. Tourist centers

49. Cost-of-living no.
50. Dummy Mortimer
51. Herding dog's name
52. Take the mound
53. Golden Fleece transporter
54. Golden Rule word
55. Woody's musical son
56. "___ lively!"
57. Caterpillar's creation
58. Libidinous god
60. Smoke, slangily
61. "It's ___-brainer!"

Idalia News

By **Angela DeLeon**



Write your family stories and history in a one-day class Saturday, Feb. 27 from 9-3. You will leave a priceless gift for future generations, aided by local St. Francis expert Lucille Rossbach who has taught her skills to students of all ages. The class is sponsored by Idalia Cornerstone Community Center (formerly the Baptist Church), where the session will be held. There is a small fee. Bring your own lunch. For further details contact Lucille at 785-332-8903 or Betty Moellenberg at 970-354-7343.

Bryce benefit

A benefit is being planned for Feb. 21, at 3 p.m at the Idalia School! The benefit will be for Bryce Richards who is a little boy who has lost his left eye due to cancer and is undergoing

treatments and surgeries. Those who wish to come can contact the Idalia school for more information call 970-354-7298.

St. John's news

Men's Bible study is weekly on Thursday mornings from 7 to 7:30 at St. John's Church. All men are welcome.

On Sunday, Feb. 21, St. John church will celebrate the first Sunday of Lent in worship with Holy Communion. Pastor Chuck will begin a Lenten sermon series, "God 101." Lenten devotional resources for adults and children will be available at the church.

On Wednesday, Feb. 24, 6 p.m., St. John will continue the weekly Community Soup suppers. Everyone is welcome to join in a simple soup supper provided by the Christian Edu-

cation Committee. There will be a brief "Children's Time" activity before the meal. Following the meal, Pastor Wright will lead an adult bible study, "Tough Faith for Tough Times," based on Romans 5:1-5. Everyone is welcome to come to all or part of these activities.

School news

Thursday, Feb. 18, fifth and sixth graders will be taking a field trip to Denver for a look at how money is made and also visiting the capital. Bus leaves at 6:45 a.m. If you need any more information, call Kendra Mann at 354-7298.

Haigler News

The Haigler community has received news of the deaths of Richard Hoover (class of 1960), who lived in California; and David Sims, (class of 1955), who lived in Arizona.

On Saturday afternoon, Feb. 13, the Collicott sisters (LaNeta, Myrna, and Galena) visited in the homes of their aunts and uncle, Grace Adams and Betty and Gerald Myer. The occasion was to deliver handmade New Year's sequin calendars (a tradition started over 40 years ago by the sisters' mother, Opal); and to celebrate Valentine's Day and birthdays. Refreshments of angel food cake, ice cream, fresh strawberries, and strawberry jam topping were enjoyed by everyone.

If you have been driving on the streets of Haigler; please watch out for the newest resident---a wild turkey hen! First



Haigler's very own Tomasena has her own habitats.

named Steve, then Stevette by the school children; others call her Tomasena. She especially enjoys visiting the protected wildlife habitat yards at the Carlock residence ... where she knows there is food and water.

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Public Notices

Public hearing set for Monday, March 1

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PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

The City of Bird City will hold a public hearing on Monday, March 1, 2010, at 7:00 p.m. in City Hall, 111 E. 4th Street, Bird City, Kansas. The purpose of the hearing is to receive public comment on possible conflicts of interest in regards to the City of Bird City Community Development Block Grant (CDBG #09-HR-909).

The City Council would appreciate your comments concerning any possible conflicts of interest for local governing body, participants in the decision-making process, hired consultants or administrators to be a beneficiary of the City of Bird City Housing project. The specific conflict of interest is: 1) Brad Schneider who has applied for housing demolition and rehabilitation and is a City Employee.

This particular conflict will be discussed; oral and written comments will be recorded and become part of the City of Bird City's CDBG project file. Reasonable accommodations will be made available to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodations should be submitted to DeAnza Ambrosier, City Clerk, by Friday, February 26, 2010.

Notice published of conservation meeting

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF THE CHEYENNE COUNTY CONSERVATION DISTRICT

To all qualified electors residing within the boundaries of the Cheyenne County Conservation District, notice is hereby given that pursuant to K.S.A. 2-1907, as amended, on the 23th day of February, 2010, at 6:30 p.m. an annual meeting of the Cheyenne County Conservation District will be held at the St. Francis High School at St. Francis, Kansas.

The meeting agenda shall include the following business items:

- ONE:
The supervisors of the Cheyenne County Conservation District shall make full and due report of their activities and financial affairs since the last annual meeting.
- TWO:
They shall conduct an election by secret ballot of qualified electors, there present, of two supervisors to serve for a term of three years from date of said meeting. The term of Lonnie Willis is expiring.
All in the county of Cheyenne in the State of Kansas.

By Roger Orth
Chairperson
Cheyenne County Conservation District

ATTEST
Jeanne Dunn
Manager/Secretary

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Petition filed in court for the Hoyt Estate

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT CHEYENNE COUNTY, KANSAS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM FRANCIS HOYT, a/k/a FRANCIE HOYT.

CASE NO.08-P-17

PURSUANT TO K.S.A. CHAPTER 59

NOTICE OF HEARING

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a petition was filed in this Court by Lenna Weisenhorn, duly appointed, qualified and acting Executor of the Estate of William Francis Hoyt a/k/a Francie Hoyt, deceased, praying Petitioner's acts be approved; account be settled and allowed; the heirs be determined; the Will be construed and the Estate be assigned to the persons entitled thereto; the Court find the allowances requested for attorney's fees and expenses are reasonable and should be allowed; the costs be determined and ordered paid; the administration of the Estate be closed; upon the filing of receipts the Petitioner be finally discharged as the Executor of the Estate of William Francis Hoyt a/k/a Francie Hoyt, deceased, and the Petitioner be released from further liability.

You are required to file your written defenses thereto on or before March 17, 2010, at 3:00 P.M. in the District Court, St. Francis, Cheyenne County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the petition.

Lenna Weisenhorn, Executor

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Attorney for Executor

Housing Authority files public notice

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The St. Francis Housing Authority has developed its Agency Plan in compliance with the Quality Housing and Work Responsibility Act of 1998. It is available for review at the Authority's Office located at 200 North Ash Street - Office, St. Francis, Kansas 67756-9145, USA. The Authority's hours of operation are 8:30 AM to 11:30 AM. In addition, a public hearing will be held on April 1, 2010 at the Authority's Office at 7:00 PM to 7:30 PM. The public is invited.



Results of market study analysis released

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RESULTS OF THE MARKET STUDY ANALYSIS FOR CHEYENNE COUNTY FOR THE ASSESSMENT YEAR 2010 PURSUANT TO K.S.A. 1995 SUPP. 79-1460A

A study of the residential real estate market indicated that the market is stable with no general upward or downward trend.

A study of the commercial real estate market indicated that the market is stable with no general upward or downward trend.

Values on specific properties may not follow the general trend because of the changes in the property, correction of descriptive information, or adjustment of values based on sales of similar properties.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CHEYENNE COUNTY, KANSAS PROBATE DIVISION

In the Matter of the Estate of **DUANE P. WILKENS, Deceased**
Case No. 2010-PR-

NOTICE OF CREDITORS

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a petition dated February 10, 2010, has been filed in this court by Ashley Wilkens, as a surviving daughter and as the executor named in the Last Will and Testament of Duane P. Wilkens, deceased, praying for probate of the will, and for the appointment of Ashley Wilkens as Executor of the estate.

You are further advised that the petitioner in this matter has requested administration pursuant to the Kansas Simplified Estate Act, and if such request is granted the court may not supervise administration of the estate and no further notice of any action of the Personal Representative or other proceedings in the estate will be given except for notice of final settlement of the decedent's estate. Should written objections to simplified administration be filed with the court, the court may order supervised administration to ensue. All creditors are notified to exhibit their demand against the estate within four months from the date of the first publication of this notice as provided by law, and if their demands are not thus exhibited they shall be forever barred.

Ashley Wilkens, Petitioner

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