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## Haigler News

By  
**Floy  
Fisher**



The Collicott sisters returned home Sunday evening. They had spent the weekend in Estes Park, Colo. Weather was beautiful... even the surprise 3-4 inches of snow Saturday evening. Earlier on Saturday, they enjoyed a picnic in Rocky Mountain National Park... with the elk, deer, sheep, and birds joining them.

Saturday Donna Roberts and Jerrie Wheaton traveled to Cope together. While there they were able to tour the revamping of the Cope School. Definitely worth the trip! They chatted with Jerrie's mother and a few old friends. Monday, March 14 Jerrie Wheaton went to the Jim and Donna Roberts farm sale in Laird.

Kim Zuege and friend, Steve Hallgren of Funk, Neb., visited

grandmothers Laura Pearl Wall and Sophia Zuege over Saturday afternoon and Sunday morning. They were accompanied by Arlene Huber and Kerry Buck of Hastings.

Dode Faylor and Laura Pearl Wall were Thursday dinner guests of Sophia Zuege.

MerryLu Simmons visited her mother on Thursday afternoon. She applied her expertise by fixing Laura Pearl's copier.

Bob and MerryLu Simmons en-

tertained the Perilla family from Westminster, Quentin and Taya Simmons, Sophia Zuege and Laura Pearl Wall for Sunday dinner. Bob is improving from his recent hip surgery.

Floy Fisher's son and daughter-in-law, Garry and Sharon Fisher, were in Hawaii when the sunami hit the island. They had gone there to attend their daughter, Chere's graduation. Chere had been working for the National Guard along with her training. Her plans are to

continue with her education and get her master's degree to teach criminal justice. Garry and Sharon were staying in the low ground area when they heard the warnings. They packed up and drove to higher ground and slept in the car. When Floy talked to Garry, they were driving across on the mountain, trying to find a place to stay for a few more days.

## Beecher Island News

By  
**Bessie  
Dent**



There were 62 at Sunday school. Mary E. Allen had the special number and Jacque Ekberg gave her birthday offering.

The Beecher Island Helping Hand Club met with Judy Willard and Kay Knaub Wednesday. The next meeting will be a potluck the 16th.

Marilyn Bruffett spent this last week with Harry and Beulah Ekberg and the Glenn Chapmans.

Callers this past week at Gwen Shavers were Judy Shively, Katharine Zion and Judy Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brown hosted a surprise birthday party in honor of Violet Brown Saturday. Other guests were Donna and Ray Dodge, Danny and Kindra Brown, Devin and Keithin, Tyson and

Roxann Siegest, Lee and Diana Bowker and Amanda Fisher.

Steve and Jo Ellen Goodman were Saturday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mansfield. Monte and Gail Mansfield joined them Saturday evening.

Walt and Janet Smith had lunch Sunday in Ogallala with John and Terry Parsons.

Gary and Sharilyn Mansfield were last Monday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mansfield.

Deb and Dave Smith were Saturday supper guests of Walt and Janet Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Homm and Helen Meek visited Bessie Dent last Monday. Joyce Brown met them for lunch.

Walt and Janet Smith spent a

few days in Denver last week.

Elaine Criser, Betty Rogers and Paula Leben, Joyce and Riley Brown visited Bessie Dent this past week. Ellen Mansfield called Monday morning.

Celebrating birthdays were Cade Novak, 11-years-old, and Brittany Novak, 9-years-old, at Greeley Fun Center. Helping celebrate were cousins, Jake Jackson, Ryan Jackson and Braxton Scott, parents, Todd and Jennifer Novak, uncles and aunts, Ron and Jeanne Jackson and Ron and Jill Scott and grandparents, Gary and Sharilyn Mansfield.

## Idalia News

By  
**Angela  
DeLeon**



**News items**  
If you have a news item to include in the Idalia news give Angela DeLeon a call at (970)354-7204 or call (719)343-5435. If she is not there leave a message. Also you may e-mail jadd\_delmire2006@yahoo.com

**St. John news**  
Men's Bible study is weekly

on Thursday mornings from 7 to 7:30 at the St. John Church. All men are welcome.

**Sewing Day**  
Women's Fellowship will have a sewing day beginning at 9 a.m. on Wednesday, April 6 St. John Lutheran Church. You can bring a lunch or order out. Everyone is welcome

**Idalia News**  
Easter Eggs are available at the church for the members to take and fill with pre-wrapped candy for the Easter egg hunt. The help would be appreciated.

# Agritourism classes offered to farmers and businesses

Agritourism is a growing business. Farmers, business owners and entrepreneurs interested in becoming part of the industry are encouraged to participate in courses sponsored by the Kansas Department of Commerce Rural Development Division in partnership with the Santa Fe Trail Resource Conservation and Development and the Western Prairie Resource Conservation and Development. The five-part courses will be held in April and May in Colby and Garden City.

The classes will provide an overview of agritourism, including how rural enterprises can start a new agritourism business or incorporate agritourism into

an existing business. Topics to be covered include defining an agritourism business; financing; pricing a product or service; finding customers; and insurance and legal issues. Jan Janzen, owner of Kansas Flint Hills Adventures, will serve as lead instructor. Free information sessions will be held prior to the start of each course.

What: Two agritourism business courses sponsored by the Kansas Department of Commerce Rural Development Division.

When/Where: In Colby the course will be offered from 4 to 8:30 p.m., April 6, 13, 21, 27 and May 4 (Wednesdays). A free information session will be held from 10 a.m. to noon on March

17. Location for classes and information session will be the Thomas County Office Complex, 350 S. Range Ave., Colby.

In Garden City, the course will be offered from 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. on April 7, 14, 21, 28 and May 5 (Thursdays). The free information session will be from 6 to 8 p.m. on March 16 at AmericInn Lodge and Suites, 3020 E Kansas.

There is a registration fee. Register online or download a registration form at [kansasagritourism.com](http://kansasagritourism.com). For more information contact Becki Rhoades, Kansas Department of Commerce at (785) 296-1847 or [brhoades@kansascommerce.com](mailto:brhoades@kansascommerce.com).

### Kennel Mixups

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American Profile Hometown Content

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### ACROSS

- Capt.'s superior
- salts
- Wisdom tooth, e.g.
- "Maria"
- Part of a ream
- St. Theresa's birthplace
- Card player's cry
- Hypnotized or anesthetized
- Part of SST
- Mixed-up headline?
- She raised Cain
- "Tennis, \_\_\_?"
- up (bungled)
- Towel holder
- "Dallas" matriarch
- Test tube glass
- Mixed-up coward?
- Lawyer's take
- Tends to the socks
- "Lazy River"
- Mixed-up kaleidoscopic critter?
- Hell night heavy
- More reserved
- Little pooch
- Rita of "West Side Story"
- Post-review rewards
- DDE's arena
- Mixed-up night guard?
- Rich kid in "Nancy"
- Diarist Nin
- Gone by
- Autograph hound's target
- On tenterhooks
- Sound from a Siamese
- Pothook shapes
- "Like a Rock" singer Bob

- \_\_\_-K (toddlers' school)

### DOWN

- Molten rock
- Birdlike
- Lind, "The Swedish Nightingale"
- Vernal or autumnal \_\_\_
- Gave up the football, in a way
- Beef unit
- Smelter materials
- Chicago exchange, for short
- \_\_\_ bone (protuberance behind the ear)
- Ab \_\_\_ (from day one)
- Actor's memorization

- Still in the game
- Competed at Indy
- Party pooper
- "... and \_\_\_ well"
- Reversal of direction, slangily
- Box score blemish
- Singer k.d.
- Rank below cpl.
- Thumbs-up vote
- Prot. or Cath.
- Fall out of contention
- Detergent brand of old
- Unlock, poetically
- Long-snouted fish
- "\_\_\_ Believe in Magic?" (Lovin' Spoonful hit)
- Diamonds, to hoods

- Shady deals
- More throaty
- In the thick of
- Pat on the back, e.g.
- Choreographer Cunningham
- Siouan speakers
- Kaiser and egg
- Rascal
- Rarin' to go
- "Uncle Tom's Cabin" penner
- DC baseballers, for short
- \_\_\_-jerk reaction
- Yin's counterpart
- Chanteuse Peggy

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# The Saint Francis Herald

## Public Notices

### Notice of hearing set in the Wierick estate

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CHEYENNE COUNTY, KANSAS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE )  
OF BISBY H. WIERICK, JR., ) Case No. 11-PR-06  
a/k/a B. H. WIERICK, Deceased )

#### NOTICE OF HEARING

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that on March 7, 2011, a Petition for Admission of Foreign Will and Estate Partition, Testamentary Trust Funding and Distribution Agreement to Probate and Record Without Administration was filed in this Court by Bisby H. Wierick, III, successor independent executor, praying that the foreign Will of Bisby H. Wierick, Jr., deceased, and said Agreement be admitted to probate and record in this Court; that no administration of this estate is necessary; that the Will and said Agreement be construed; and that the property described in that Petition be assigned in accordance with the terms of the Will and said Agreement.

You are required to file your written defenses to the admission of the decedent's foreign will to probate on or before April 12, 2011, at 9:00 o'clock a.m. in this Court in the City of St. Francis, in 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.

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### Petition filed in court in the Connett estate

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CHEYENNE COUNTY, KANSAS

In the Matter of the Estate of )  
HAROLD L. CONNETT, a/k/a ) Case No. 11-PR-05  
LEE CONNETT, Deceased. )

(Petition Pursuant to K.S.A. Chapter 59)

NOTICE OF HEARING AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that on March 3, 2011, a petition was filed in this Court by Carol Connett, an heir, devisee and legatee, and executor named in the "Last Will and Testament of Harold L. Connett a/k/a Lee Connett," deceased, dated July 26, 1996, praying the will filed with the Court be admitted to probate and record; petitioner be appointed as executor, without bond; and petitioner be granted Letters Testamentary.

You are required to file your written defenses thereto on or before April 5, 2011, at 10:00 a.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.

All creditors are notified to exhibit their demands against the Estate within the latter of four months from the date of first publication of notice under K.S.A. 59-2236 and amendments thereto, or if the identity of the creditor is known or reasonably ascertainable, 30 days after actual notice was given as provided by law, and if their demands are not thus exhibited, they shall be forever barred.

Carol Connett, Petitioner

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### Petition filed in court in the Wierick estate

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CHEYENNE COUNTY, KANSAS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE )  
OF DARLINE D. WIERICK, Deceased ) Case No. 11-PR-07

#### NOTICE OF HEARING

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that on March 7, 2011, a Petition for Admission of Foreign Will and Agreement Providing for Partition and Distribution of Estate and Funding and Merger of Exempt Descendants Trusts to Probate and Record Without Administration was filed in this Court by Bisby H. Wierick, III, independent executor named under the Last Will and Testament of Darline D. Wierick, deceased, praying that the foreign Will of Darline D. Wierick, deceased, and said Agreement be admitted to probate and record in this Court; that no administration of this estate is necessary; that the Will and said Agreement be construed; and that the property described in that Petition be assigned in accordance with the terms of the Will and said Agreement.

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