

# Farming businesses are invited to nearby workshop

The Haxtun, Sedgwick, and Yuma County Conservation Districts have joined with the Upper Republican Natural Resource District to host "The Farming Evolution - Where Do I Fit?" The workshop will be Thursday, February 13, 2013, at the Phillips County Event Center in Holyoke, CO.

Workshop attendees will discover the tremendous power of the soil and how to unleash that power. Speaker will explore how technology and cover crops can be part of the farm operation. There will also be a rainfall simulator demonstration of how water moves through and over soil. Presenters will be natural resource professionals, extension personnel, and farmers.

Anyone with a business or product that fits the workshop theme is invited to set up an information booth. Contact Denise Swanson at 970-854-2812 ext. 110 between 8 and 4 weekdays, or you can leave a message anytime. You may also email Denise. Swanson@co.usda.gov. There is no charge for the booth space.

## Club Clip

### Hospital Guild

The Cheyenne County Hospital Guild met on Monday, Nov. 4, at the conference room of the Cheyenne County Clinic. Twenty-one members were present.

President Betty Loudon opened the meeting by welcoming our members. DeEtta Knorr introduced Candi Douthit, the facilitator for the program on organ and tissue donation. Candi introduced John Johndrow who spoke via

telephone and power-point presentation. He presented many interesting facts on being a donor and how many lives can be saved. He also informed us of how to register to be a donor. His presentation was followed by a question-and-answer session.

There was no old or new business to be discussed.

Janice Krien moved and Lee Russ seconded that the meeting

adjourn. Hostesses Jo Ford and Carol Rogers served cake and coffee for refreshments.

The next meeting will be 2 p.m. on Monday, Dec. 2, at the Senior Citizens Center. The program will be presented by the St. Francis High School Music department. Hostesses will be DeEtta Knorr and Phyllis Crandall.

## Book Reviews

### Doing HardTime

By Stuart Woods

When Stone Barrington embarks on a trip to Bel-Air to check in on some business and personal concerns, he expects a relaxing break from the fast pace and mean streets of New York. But trouble never takes a vacation, and it has a way of finding Stone. A case that had seemingly been resolved has returned in full force - with lethal results. And this deadly situation makes for strange bedfellows when Stone finds himself teamed with the least likely ally... a gentleman of unique abilities, who can fly below the radar and above the law.

From the high-stakes poker tables of Las Vegas to California's lush beachside resorts, the trail of disguise, subterfuge, and murder leads to a shocking conclusion.

### Gone

By James Patterson

Manuel Perrine doesn't fear anyone or anything. A charismatic and ruthless Mexican strongman, Perrine slaughters rivals as effortlessly as he wears his trademark white linen suits. Detective Michael Bennett is the only US official ever to succeed in putting Perrine behind bars - but now Perrine is out, vowing to find and kill Bennett and everyone dear to him.

Bennett and his ten adopted children are living on a secluded California farm, guarded by the FBI's witness protection program. Perrine begins a campaign of assassinations, brazenly murdering powerful individuals across the country. The FBI has no clue where Perrine is hiding or how he is orchestrating his attacks. It is forced to ask Bennett to risk

it all - his career, his family, his own life - to fight Perrine's war on America.

With intensity, speed, and explosive action to rival James Bond movies at their best - and one of the most complex and chilling villains ever created - Gone is the newest astounding novel by James Patterson.

### Mistress

By James Patterson

Ben isn't like most people. Unable to control his racing thoughts, he's a man consumed by his obsessions: movies, motorcycles, presidential trivia - and Diana Hotchkiss, a beautiful woman Ben would do anything for.

When Diana's body is found outside her apartment, her death

is ruled a suicide. But Ben knows that the bubbly, vivacious girl he loved would never have killed herself. His infatuation drives him on a hunt for the truth - and he soon discovers that the woman he pined for was hiding a dangerous double life.

And now Ben is convinced that someone is out to stop him from uncovering the secrets behind Diana's illicit affairs.

In his scariest and sexiest thriller since Guilty Wives, James Patterson plunges into the depth of a mind tortured by paranoia and obsession, on a relentless chase through a world of danger and deceit.

Book reviews from the St. Francis Public Library

## Public Notices

### Public meeting set for Thursday, Nov. 21

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#### ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

**CHEYENNE COUNTY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION**  
The Annual Membership Meeting of the Cheyenne County Development Corporation (CCDC) will be November 21, 2013, at Captain Hook's located on Highway 36 in Wheeler, Kansas, at 7:00 p.m. CT. All members (registered voters in Cheyenne County, Kansas) are encouraged to attend.

### Petition filed in matter of the Mills estate

First published in The Saint Francis Herald, St. Francis, Kansas, Thursday November 14th, 2013. (46, 47, 48)

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CHEYENNE COUNTY, KANSAS

In the Matter of the Estate of

Case No. 12-PR-27

MERLE L. MILLS, Deceased.

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

#### NOTICE OF HEARING

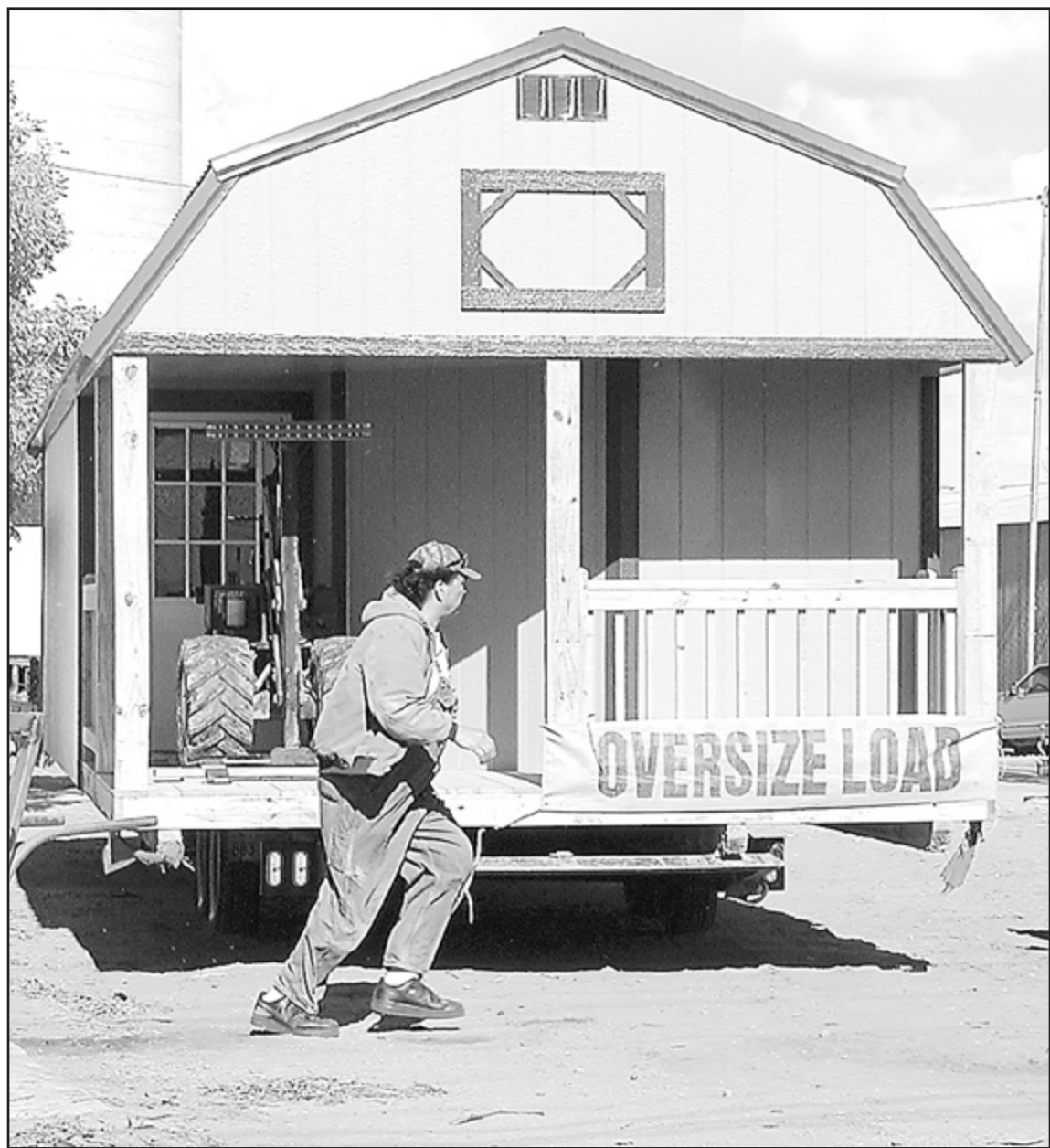
THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in this Court by James M. Milliken, duly appointed, qualified and acting Executor of the Estate of Merle Mills, deceased, praying Petitioner's acts be approved; account be settled and allowed; the heirs be determined; the Will construed and the Estate be assigned to the persons entitled thereto; the Court find the allowances requested for attorneys' 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 Merle Mills, deceased, and the Petitioner be released from further liability.

You are required to file your written defenses thereto on or before December 10th, 2013, at 10:00 o'clock a.m. in the District Court, in Saint 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.

James M. Milliken, Executor

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## Herald And Times Happenings:

### Christmas seen through the eyes of a child is priceless

This year, as in the year's past, the Special Christmas section will be published before the holidays. The section will feature letters from Santa, answers of questions asked of school children, memories and recipes.

The Saint Francis Herald and Bird City Times staffs welcome participation from children to adults. All items must be received by Dec. 6 in order to get them into the special section.

Send letters, special memories, articles and recipes to The Herald at P.O. Box 1050, St. Francis, KS 67756 or fax 785-332-3001, or drop them off or e-mail to sferald@nwkansas.com titling the subject as "Christmas for the Paper."



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## FIRST BABY CONTEST

With the oncome of the New Year comes the new arrival of that bundle of joy!  
Coming in January a bundle of businesses ready to congratulate the new baby and the parents!

To participate in a Special Section contact Tim at:

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— and —  
Bird City Times  
PO Box 220, Bird City, KS 67731

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