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CHEYENNE COUNTY Burial Book. Please send a stamped addressed envelope to me, and I will send the right page 77 for this book. I will also include a page of additions and corrections for this book. Sorry about the mix-up. Marilyn Holzwarth, Box 671, St. Francis, Ks. 67756. 20*

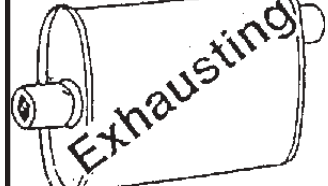
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Thank You

An apology is in order for the carry in of McDonald Senior Center, May 5. Disrupting the eating time. Thanks to Rawlins County nurses and friends for putting up with me and engaging the Atwood and McDonald ambulance and EMTs to enter me in the Cheyenne County Hospital. Also gratitude to the hospital staff. Ed Meyer

Thank you to family and all my wonderful friends for the phone calls, cards and concerns. It has surely helped me go through this long season of sickness. I appreciate everyone that has been so kind and thoughtful. I am doing fair, so tired. Love you all! Mary Walden

We received so many lovely cards from our friends in St. Francis and Bird City for our 50th wedding anniversary. It was wonderful hearing from you. Marj and Jim Kramer

On behalf of the European Aid Association, I would like to thank those of you who donated coats last spring and those who helped ship seven hundred plus pairs of new shoes to EEAA recently. Your generosity has been a blessing to someone. Kim Queen

Thank you to my family, friends and neighbors for the surprise birthday party, cards and gifts. You really surprised me. Janice Barnhart

Thanks to everyone who remembered me on my 97th birthday with cards and stopping by for a visit and enjoying ice cream and cake with me on Sunday, May 11. It was a great beginning for my 98th year. Alvin Hempler



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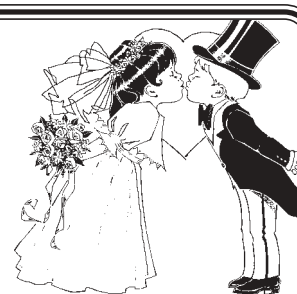
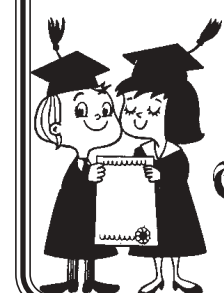
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On the Plains

Idalia News

By
Elsie
Shanks



Surgery
Bill Thompson underwent heart by-pass surgery last Monday at North Colorado Medical Center in Greeley and did okay, but is having trouble with his lungs and is still in I.C.U. Debbie, his wife returned home Tuesday to check on her dog and returned to Greeley Friday. They have a replacement on the grader for the county roads while Bill is in the hospital and after he comes home to recuperate.

Reception
There was a reception at Route 36 Grill and Pub Saturday evening in honor of Talita and Justin "Vic" Hardwick who were married recently.

Welcome Back
Lawrence and Jerry Crites flew to Everett, Wash., Monday, May 5 to welcome Trent Leisy back to his base. He was on the USS Abraham Lincoln after it's historic deployment to the Persian Gulf. He arrived on his son's Gabriel's first birthday. His parents, Bob and Diane Leisy and brother, Kody, his wife Dawn and Dawn's brother and friend and her parents and grandparents were all there to greet him. The ship had nearly six thousand sailors and crew members and eighty-five fighter jets.

Bridal Shower
There was a bridal shower for Rebekah Pattison, bride elect of Dennis Wieser Saturday afternoon at St. John United Church of Christ. A number of ladies watched as Rebekah opened her assorted gifts. Her mother, Theresa Pattison, sister-in-law Tori Pattison and niece Rylie and Dennis' mother, Judy Wieser helped her. Hostesses were Deb Crites, Crystal Zion, Joyce Helling, Cyndie Weyerman, Judy

Soehner and Vickie Schlepp.
St. John United Church Christ

St. John United Church of Christ invites everyone to come join them. Sunday school and adult study is at 10 a.m. Worship service is at 11 a.m. The graduates and mothers were honored Sunday. All mothers received a beautiful carnation. Bill Carpenter Sr. sang two hymns that were enjoyed. Bill was accompanied on the piano by Betty J. Moellenberg.

Wednesday is guest day for all the ladies of area churches and others that would like to attend. Memorial Day service, May 26, Monday at 11 a.m. with lunch afterwards. Food will be provided. Bible school is May 27-30 for all children in the area. 8:30-11:30 a.m. All children are welcome to attend.

Idalia Baptist Church
Idalia Baptist Church congregation and Pastor Gary Fore invites you to come join them. Worship service is at 4 p.m. Bible study Tuesday is at 4 p.m. All are welcome to attend.

Writing Lab
Writing Lab still has copies of the Dust to Gusts books available. If you would like to pick up a copy you should do so before school is out

Celebration of Reading
A celebration of reading for the second and third grade students and their parents was held on April 3. Kathy Bobb told wonderful stories that greatly entertained us. Kendra Mann spoke to the parents about activities to do at home with their children to build fluency and comprehension. Cookies and juice was shared with everyone. Each student was allowed to choose a book to put in his or

her own library at home. A Read-To-Achieve grant funded the party.

2003 Summer Program
Classes will be offered June 9-13 and 16; July 21-25 and 28; Aug. 4-8 and 11-15. Times and dates can be set up by contacting Jessica Towns. Each child will have an individualized program.

Music news
The Idalia music classes have been busy. The middle high school choir and band performed in a music contest at Woodlin. The choir received a three and the band received a one for their performance.

On April 7 the elementary music contest was held in Otis. The fifth and six grade band choir both received ones for their performances. Robbie Parker received a one for her vocal number, Chynna Rose received a two for vocal, Hannah Langendoerfer and Chynna Rose received a one for their duet, Samantha Cure, Hanna Langendoerfer, Chynna Rose and Amanda Royer received a one for their small group ensemble vocal, Jonathan Paul received a two for his vocal, Jordan Rittenhouse with a one for his flute solo, Jake Beckman received a two for his trumpet solo, Jacy Monasmith and Hannah received a two on their trombone duet and Clay Blankenship, Logan Rameier, and Michael Wieser a two on their brass trio.

Thursday, April 17 the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grade music students traveled to Burlington. They visited middle school and listened to and participated with the seventh grade band and the eighth grade jazz band under the direction of Andy Salvador. They then went to Burlington Elementary where they observed the fourth grade in "Tininkling."

Plain Sense "Social Anxiety"

Dear Plain Sense: I get so nervous when I am away from my home and family. I feel like everyone is watching me, that I am being judged. I worry that people will not like me, or that I'm not good enough to be around them. So, it's just easier to stay home. This is hurting my marriage because my spouse is a very sociable person and wants to be more involved in our community and church.

You may be experiencing "social anxiety", a term that is being touted in the media in recent months. Most of us feel uncomfortable when we have to give a speech, or interview for a job, or when introduced to a new group. However, a person with social anxiety always feels self-consciousness in public situations, including work, shopping and in meetings. It is difficult for them to relax and enjoy themselves when other people are around. Even when they know it is not so, they

constantly feel they are being negatively judged or criticized by others. Eventually, they find it easier just to stay away from social situations and avoid other people altogether.

According to Thomas A. Richards, Ph.D., Psychologist (www.social-phobia.org), this disorder is the third largest psychological problem in the nation, affecting 15 million Americans each year. People with social anxiety realize that others are not actually critically judging or evaluating them all the time. They recognize that their thoughts and feelings are somewhat exaggerated and irrational, yet they still continue to have those very uncomfortable and uncontrollable feelings. Along with negative thoughts, are feelings that include

anxiety, intense fear, nervousness, pounding heart, blushing, trembling, and muscle twitches.

Social anxiety can be successfully treated through a combination of cognitive therapy, which is understanding the thinking process involved, and behavior therapy, which is recognizing and changing patterns of behavior associated with the disorder. There are also medications that can be useful for some people. The involvement of the spouse and other family members in therapy is an important component in overcoming this problem. Contact your physician or local mental health professional for more information about your anxieties.

Contributed Karen Beery, LCPC, Manager, Consultation and Education Department



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Phyllis Long of Goodland was a Saturday all day visitor her parents, Clark and Mildred Rolow and Phyllis took them out for dinner at a cafe for an early Mother's Day.

Laura Lee Kleweno, student of Northern Junior College of Sterling was a weekend guest of her parents, Roger and Qwenn and R.J. Kleweno.

Pat and Harold Madsen of St. Francis were Sunday evening visitor of her brother and wife, Clark and Mildred Rolow.

Bill and Peggy Carpenter went to Aurora last Sunday to visit his aunt, Helen Stonebink of Fruite, who was staying at nephew Tom Brendhorots. Helen had her hip and pelvic replaced at Rose Memorial Hospital on April 30. She is healing properly and will return home to Fruite next Tuesday. On the way home to Idalia the Carpenters stopped in Burlington to visit E.J. and Briar and Aidan Carpenter and Perry and Mary Blanchard.

Mrs. Janie Beckman attended the funeral of Kietg Prentice at the mortuary in Wray Friday.

Roger Wieser took his sister, Joyce Wieser to Denver Friday for his eye surgery and they returned home Saturday.

Reverend Datema and Cheryl were Thursday evening visitors of Chester Wieser Sr. and daughter, Joyce at the Legancy in Burlington.

Junior (Ace) Woller of Stratton was a Friday afternoon visitor of Elsie Shanks.

Jodel Collette of Kirk who works part-time at Joes post office as a substitute postmaster, filled in Tuesday for Bonnie Walters. Jodel will be helping part-time at Idalia post office till Janice Wier recuperates from her surgery.

Ruth Richards is now in Grace Manor Care Center in Burlington. Troy Flick and friend, Beth Gallegos both of Colorado Springs were weekend guests and visitors of his mother, Evelyn Flick to help her celebrate Mothers Day Sunday.

Jason Scheler will marry Lisa Leng of Wray on June 14 at St. Andrews Church in Wray.

Jessica Shively will marry Tyler Bond June 13 at Mountain View Community Church at Fort Collins. Jessica is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Shively and granddaughter of Rowe and Judy Shively.

Joy and Cody Akey and girls of Wray were visitors Sunday and enjoyed Mother's Day dinner with her parents, Delmar and Roberta Moellenberg.

LaVerne and Carol Jean Boden of Idalia and cousin, Everett Collins of Union City, Calif., were Mother's Day dinner guests of Tim and Melissa Clapper of Bethune.

Mrs. Kristy Harris and Son, Rhett, Tara Lengel all of Colorado

Springs were weekend guests of their parents, Ron and Polly Lengel and they all enjoyed Sunday dinner with mother and grandmother, June Redman of Wray.

Tom and Marie Mandis enjoyed dinner at Route 36 in Idalia.

Shirley and Harlan Boden enjoyed dinner in Burlington Sunday then stopped at Alco's.

Alan and Theresa Pattison of Pavillion, Wyo., arrived Friday night to spend the weekend with their daughter, Rebekah. Tori Pattison and Rylie of Castle Rock joined them Saturday afternoon. Alan and Theresa Pattison, Chester and Judy Wieser, Rebekah Pattison, Dennis Wieser and Neil and Marlene McConnell enjoyed lunch together Saturday at the Prairie Vista Restaurant.

Darrell and RoseMary Shanks and Elsie Shanks motored to Peyton, Colo., Sunday morning and enjoyed Mother's Day with Kirk and Rhonda Dienes and Derek. Other guests were Priscilla and Loren Wilkinson, Tanner Shackelford all of Colorado Springs. Helen Gyer and Bill Lawson and her granddaughter, Jessica Gyer all of Irving, Texas.

Helen, Bill and Jessica arrived Friday evening to visit Loren and Priscilla Wilkinson and family for a while.

Darby Shanks was a Tuesday visitor and helper of the Shanks to celebrate her birthday. she was also supper guest of her parents.

Ralph and Cherlyn Datema enjoyed Mother's Day dinner at Runaway Inn at Joes with Dana and Sonja Shaw and family of Joes.

Public Notices

CERTIFICATE

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the above resolution was duly adopted by the Board of Education of Unified School District No. 297, Cheyenne County, Kansas, on the 8th day of May, 2003.

/s/ Sharon K. Olofson

Clerk of the Board of Education

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RESOLUTION TO ADOPT A LOCAL OPTION BUDGET

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of Unified School District No. 297, Cheyenne County, State of Kansas, hereby determines that adoption of a local option budget would be in the best interests of the school district; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education, having made such determination, is authorized by K.S.A. 1998 Supp. 72-6433 to adopt such a local option budget in an amount not to exceed the state prescribed percentage of the amount of state financial aid determined for the district in the school year; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education has determined to exercise the authority vested in it by said law;

NOW, THEREFORE, RESOLUTION

Be It Resolved that:

The Board of Education of the above-named school district shall be continuously and permanently authorized to adopt a local option budget in any school year in an amount not to exceed 25 percent of the amount of state financial aid determined for the current school year. The local option budget authorized by this resolution may be adopted, unless a petition in opposition to the same, signed by not less than 5 percent of the qualified electors of the school district, is filed with the county election officer of the home county of the school district within 30 days after publication of this resolution. In the event a petition is filed, the county election officer shall submit the question of whether adoption of the local option budget shall be authorized to the electors of the school district at an election called for the purpose or at the next general election, as is specified by the board of education of the school district.

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In the Matter of the Estate of George R. Thacker, Deceased. Case No. 00-P-25

NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR FINAL SETTLEMENT

The State of Kansas to All Persons Concerned:

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed on May 5, 2003, in this Court by Kari Milliken, administrator of the Estate of George R. Thacker, deceased, praying for a final settlement of the estate, approval of her acts, proceedings and accounts as administrator, allowance for attorney's fees and expenses, determination of the heirs, devisees and legatees entitled to the estate and assignment to them. You are hereby required to file your written defenses thereto on or before June 5, 2003, at 2:30 o'clock P.M. C.T. on such day, in such Court, in the City of St. Francis in Cheyenne County, at which time and place such cause will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon said petition.

Kari Milliken, Petitioner

Kari Milliken
James M. Milliken, Chartered
P.O. Box 627
St. Francis, KS 67756
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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CHEYENNE COUNTY, KANSAS
First National Bank,
Bird City, Kansas,
Plaintiff

vs. Case No. 03-C-04
Dale W. May and Judy K. May, husband and wife; John C. Lambotte; and Board of County Commissioners of Cheyenne County, Kansas,
Defendants

PUBLIC NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued to me out of the District Court of Cheyenne County, Kansas, in the above-entitled action, I will on the 3rd day of June, 2003, at 9:30 o'clock A.M. C.T., of said day, at the front door of the Courthouse in the City of St. Francis, County of Cheyenne and the State of Kansas, offer a Public Sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all the following-described real estate, to-wit: Southwest Quarter (SW1/4) of Section Thirty-six (36), Township Five (5) South, Range Thirty-nine (39), West of the 6th P.M., Cheyenne County, Kansas.

The above-described real estate and property is taken as the property of Dale W. May and Judy K. May, defendants, as described by said Order of Sale to be sold and will be sold without Appraisalment to satisfy said Order of Sale.

Eddie Dankenbring
Sheriff of Cheyenne County,
Kansas

Jerry D. Fairbanks
General Counsel
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