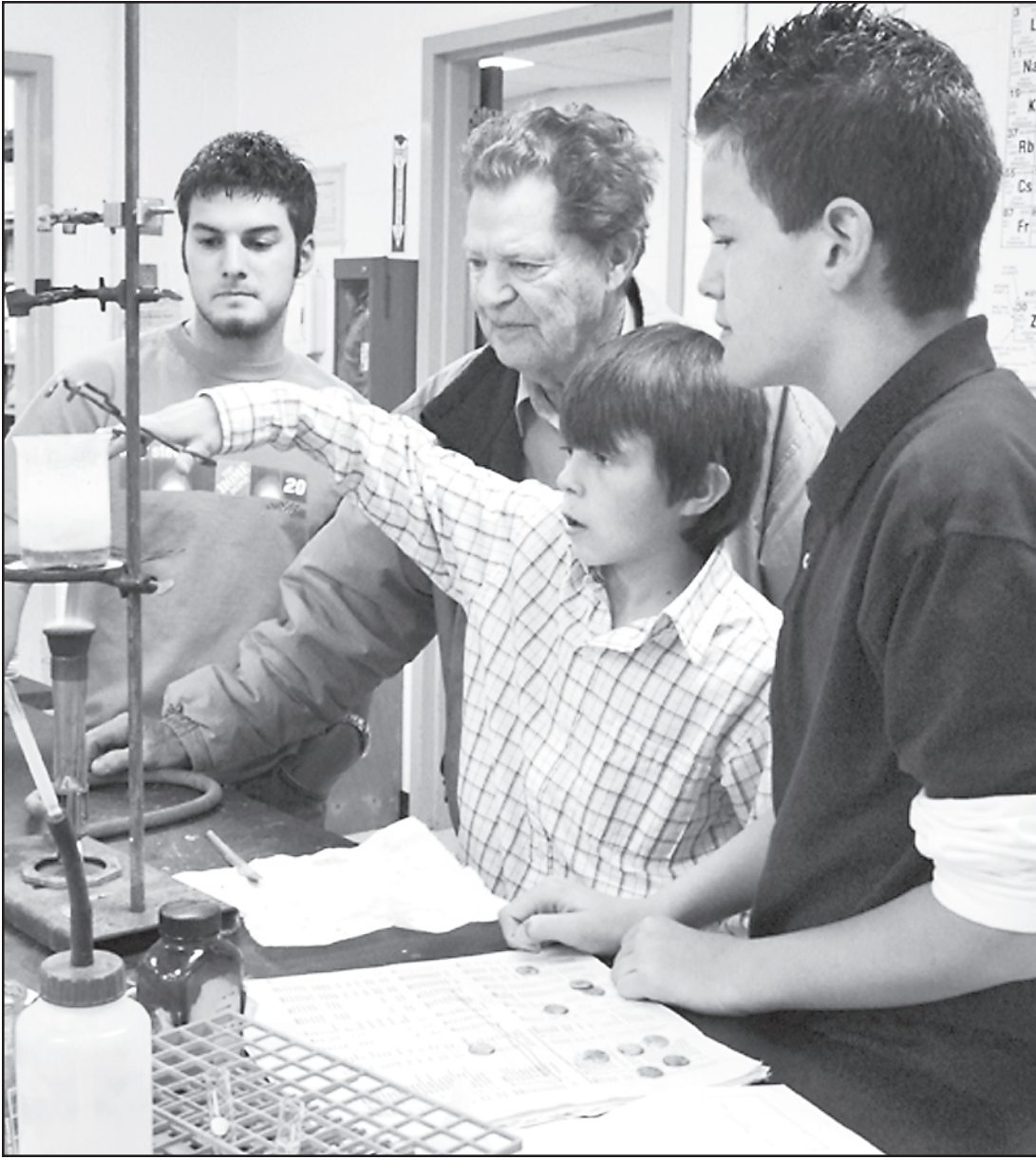


# The right chemistry



DEBBIE SCHWANKE/Colby Community College

Colby Elementary School fifth graders Adam Giersch, foreground; and Spencer Barnes, using tongs, were both interested in learning about the Colby Community College chemistry lab with Dr. Max Pickerill. Colby College freshman Justin Chessmore of Atwood, background, looked on and helped Pickerill and the students. Chessmore is majoring in engineering. Parents of job shadowing student Giersch are Chris and Camille Giersch and Barnes parents are Drew and Julie Barnes. Each year, Colby Elementary School sponsors the job shadowing event, providing its fifth graders with the opportunity to learn more about various occupations.

## Spring freezes hurt crops

WICHITA (AP) — Spring freezes and a storm that brought heavy, wet snow have caused extensive damage to Kansas' winter wheat crop, with preliminary reports estimating nearly 70 percent of fields hurt to varying degrees.

In addition, the state's first cutting of alfalfa hay has been lost and some early corn sown in southeast Kansas will have to be replanted, according to agricultural experts.

Kansas Agriculture Secretary Adrian Polansky, whose own wheat crop suffered freeze damage, said Tuesday that the hardest-hit part of the state is a corridor running from north-central to south-central Kansas. The most significant damage is around Salina and McPherson.

It will take another week to 10 days to assess the significance of wheat-crop losses statewide.

"I certainly believe that there will be a significant reduction in the Kansas wheat crop this year from several days of cold temperatures," Polansky said.

Polansky, who had just come from a state emergency board meeting on the topic, said the Agricultural Statistics Service will do a survey around May 1 in which it will be able to document fairly accurately the yield losses so the state can seek emergency disaster declarations for affected counties. Kansas Agricultural Statistics Service reported Monday that just 31 percent of the winter wheat crop had escaped freeze damage. It estimated freeze damage to the rest of the crop as 25 percent light, 26 percent moderate, and 18 percent severe.

"That has been devastating to the first-cutting alfalfa crop, but the good thing about alfalfa, it can come back," said Jim Shroyer, Kansas State University Extension wheat specialist. "Wheat is not a perennial; it is an annual. If it is dead, it is done."

Damage to the wheat crop was related to the cloud cover during the Easter weekend freeze. It was several degrees warmer in the western part of the state, where the cloud cover helped moderate temperatures, Shroyer said.

Freeze damage symptoms are showing up mostly in the eastern two-thirds of Kansas, he said.

Kansas farmers are trying to determine how destructive the freeze was, and fields are still too wet to replant. "We can't plant corn. We can't plant anything," Shroyer said. "Nobody is doing anything other than wringing their hands."

### NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to KSA 8-1102, the following abandoned motor vehicles, which have been impounded by the Thomas County Sheriff's Office, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, May 5, 2007 at 10:00 AM at the Thomas County Law Enforcement Impound Lot, 225 N. Court, Colby, Kansas.

If a vehicle was previously titled by a state other than Kansas or as a non-highway vehicle, a Motor Vehicle Identification number verification form will also be required to obtain title of any vehicle purchased and will be the responsibility of the buyer to request the verification and pay the costs involved.

The Thomas County Sheriff's Office and the Colby Police Department reserves the right to withdraw any or all of the described vehicles prior to time of sale. No implied warranty of condition shall be understood by such sales.

Owners, if any, have failed to claim impounded vehicles. The owners thereof may claim their vehicles and contents within ten days of the date of the second publication of this notice by paying the removal and storage charges incurred.

All sales shall be made under conditions imposed by the auctioneer representing the Thomas Co Sheriff's Office and the Colby Police Department and all sales must be settled at the time of sale. Titles will be transferred to buyers, if available. Requirements of the state regarding titles to abandoned or unclaimed vehicles will be met by furnishing an Affidavit of Sale and proof of publication.

Vehicles to be sold:

1989 blue 4 door Subaru station wagon VIN# JF2AN52BXKD407452 registered to Andrew Blackhart and/or Jason Blackhart

1990 gray 4 door Lincoln Town Car VIN# 1LNCM81F7LY786299, registered to Michael G Pritchard

1998 black 4 door Nissan Altima VIN# 1N4DL01D8WC173918, registered Damian Ramirez (wrecked)

1995 white 4 door Taurus Ford VIN# 1FALP52U5SG269214, registered to Richard Hageman

1970 lt blue 2 door Ford Maverick VIN# 0K91L354997, registered to Rusty Montoya and/or Rochelle Blucher

2001 silver 3 door Ford Focus VIN# 3FAFP31371R191360, registered to Donovan A Muth

1997 white Chevrolet Venture mini van VIN# 1GNDU03E7VD247763, registered to Michael Juenemann and/or Michelle Dehart (wrecked)

1997 orange YZ2250 Yamaha dirt bike VIN# JYA4XLW01VA003119, unk registered owner

1991 gray 4 door Nissan VIN# JN1HJO1P0MT558837, registered to John Kuder

1993 green 4 door Toyota VIN# 4T1VK13EXPU102952, registered to Karen Sorensen (wrecked)

1993 black 2 door Mercury VIN# 1MEPM31X3PK648090, registered to Richard J Williams Jr

1991 white Pontiac Grand Prix VIN# 1G2WJ14T8MF207003, registered to Dale A Pearce

1995 green 4 door Hyundai Accent VIN# KMHVD14NXSU010760, registered to Helena Wiebe

1988 blue 4 door Honda Accord 1HGCA5647JA106377, registered to Crystal Jenkins

1994 blue 4 door Chevrolet Corsica VIN# 1G1LD55M8RY287055, registered to Jessica Sherrod

2000 white 4 door Chevrolet Malibu VTN# 1G1ND52J5Y6251188, registered to Francisco Martinez Gonzalez;

1984 blue Chevrolet station wagon VIN# 2G1AW35X4E118888, registered to Anthony Lacore,

1987 silver 2 door Pontiac Grand AM VIN#1G2NE11U4HC769663, registered to Matthew Longowa

1996 green Isuzu station wagon VIN# 4S2CM58VXT4324167, registered to Charles Morrison

1982 red AME Eagle SW VIN# 2CCCK385XCB722821, registered to Stacey Kalihar

1991 tan/brown Dodge Caravan VIN# 1B4GK54R6MX512757, registered to Tom Shoaff and/or Mary Shoaff

1987 white 4 door Oldsmobile Cutlass VIN# 1G3AJ51R3HD376983, registered to Lindsey Jarnagin

### FORFEITURE VEHICLES THAT MAY BE SOLD ARE:

2000 silver 2 door Mitsubishi

2000 red 4 door Ford Focus

2002 white 4 door Hyundai

OTHER VEHICLES THAT MAY BE SOLD BY THE THOMAS CO SHERIFF'S OFFICE ARE:

20003 blue 4 door Ford Crown Victoria

2002 brown 4 door Ford Crown Victoria

2002 white 4 door Ford Crown Victoria

VEHICLE TO BE SOLD BY THE THOMAS CO EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

1985 white Chevrolet step-van 454 cid, on board propane generator, auto transmission

Michael L. Baughn as County Sheriff

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# TV LISTINGS

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## WEEKDAYS

**APRIL 17 - APRIL 23**

	6 AM	6:30	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30
KLBY/ABC (4) (6)	Good Morning Kansas		Good Morning America				Martha		The View		Millionaire	News
KSNK/NBC (8) (8)	News Cont'd		Today						Live With Regis and Kelly		Paid Program	Paid Program
KBSL/CBS (12) (11)	News Cont'd		News		The Early Show		The 700 Club		The Price Is Right		The Young and the Restless	
K15CG (2)	Business	Body Electric	Curious George	Clifford-Red	Dragon Tales	Big Big World	Beren. Bears	Lions	Sesame Street		Teletubies	Barney-Friends
ESPN (28)	SportsCenter		SportsCenter		Sports-Center	Varied	SportsCenter		SportsCenter		Varied Programs	
USA (37)	JAG		JAG		Walker, Texas Ranger		Walker, Texas Ranger		Texas Ranger	Varied Programs		
TBS (38)	Saved by Bell	Saved by Bell	Saved by Bell	Saved by Bell	Dawson's Creek		Movie				News-Radio	Cosby Show
WGN (39)	Changing	Believer Voice	Hillbilities	Hillbilities	Matlock		Magnum, P.I.		Homicide: Life on the Street		Da Vinci's Inquest	
TNT (40)	Angel		Charmed		Charmed		ER		ER		Judging Amy	
DSC (42)	Paid Program	Paid Program	Joyce Meyer	Paid Program	How It's Made	How It's Made	Deadliest Catch		MythBusters		How It's Made	How It's Made
A&E (47)	The District		24		Crossing Jordan		City Confidential		American Justice		Cold Case Files	
HIST (48)	Varied Programs											
NICK (55)	Danny Phantom	OddPar-ents	Spon-geBob	Spon-geBob	Dora the Explorer	Go Diego	Blue's Clues	Backyar-digans	Wonder Pets	Dora the Explorer	Go Diego	Blue's Clues
DISN (56)	The Wiggles	The Higgly-town	Little Mickey Mouse	Mickey Mouse	Handy Manny	Doodle-bops	Charlie & Lola	Koala Brothers	The Wiggles	Higgly-town	Lilo & Stitch	Little Mermaid
FAM (58)	Family Matters	Family Matters	Boy Mts. World	Boy Mts. World	Home Videos	Living the Life	The 700 Club		Gilmore Girls		Full House	Full House
HALL (60)	New Morning		The Waltons		The Waltons		Little House on the Prairie		Little House on the Prairie		Touched by an Angel	

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**APRIL 17 - APRIL 23**

	12 PM	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30	
KLBY/ABC (4) (6)	All My Children		One Life to Live		General Hospital		Millionaire	Judge Judy	News	Judge Judy	News	ABC Wld News	
KSNK/NBC (8) (8)	News	Extra	Days of our Lives		Passions		The Ellen DeGeneres Show		Jeopardy!	Jeopardy!	News	NBC News	
KBSL/CBS (12) (11)	News	Bold, Beautiful	As the World Turns		Guiding Light		Dr. Phil		Oprah Winfrey		News	Evening News	
K15CG (2)	Reading Rainbow	Caillou	Varied Programs			Curious George	Cyberchase	Arthur	Maya & Miguel	Postcards	Cliff Pup	Business	
ESPN (28)	Varied Programs		Mike and Mike	1st and 10	Outside Lines	NFL Live	SportsCenter	Rome-Burning	Around the Horn	Interruption	SportsCenter		
USA (37)	Movie		Varied Programs									Law & Order: Criminal Intent	
TBS (38)	Steve Harvey	Steve Harvey	Steve Harvey	Steve Harvey	Home Improve.	Home Improve.	Yes, Dear	Yes, Dear	King of Queens	King of Queens	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	
WGN (39)	WGN News at Noon		The Greg Behrendt Show		America's Funniest Home Videos		Moesha	Cosby Show	Even Stevens	Lizzie McGuire	Home Improve.	Home Improve.	
TNT (40)	Judging Amy		Law & Order		Law & Order		Charmed		Charmed		Varied Programs		
DSC (42)	Varied Programs			Deadliest Catch			MythBusters		Cash Cab	Cash Cab	How It's Made	How It's Made	
A&E (47)	CSI: Miami		24		Crossing Jordan		City Confidential		American Justice		Cold Case Files		
HIST (48)	Modern Marvels		Varied Programs										
NICK (55)	Backyardigans	Varied	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	Jimmy Neutron	Danny Phantom	OddParents	Avatar-Last Air	SpongeBob	Drake & Josh	Ned's School	OddParents	
DISN (56)	Timon & Pumbaa	Buzz Light	Whiskers	Proud Family	American Drgn	Kim Possible	Varied Programs					That's-Raven	
FAM (58)	Family Matters	Family Matters	Step by Step	Step by Step	Full House	Full House	Sabrina-Witch	Sabrina-Witch	Gilmore Girls		7th Heaven		
HALL (60)	Matlock		Matlock		Little House on the Prairie		Little House on the Prairie		M*A*S'H	M*A*S'H	M*A*S'H	M*A*S'H	

## THURSDAY

**APRIL 19**

	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
KLBY/ABC (4) (6)	News (CC)	Entertainment	Ugly Betty Punch Out (N) (CC)		Grey's Anatomy Time After Time (N)		October Road Forever. Until Now		News (CC)	Nightline (N) (CC)	Jimmy Kimmel Live (N) (CC)	
KSNK/NBC (8) (8)	News	Wheel of Fortune	Name Is Earl	The Office	30 Rock (N) (CC)	Scrubs (N) (CC)	ER Family Business (N) (CC)		News	The Tonight Show With Jay Leno (CC)		Late Night
KBSL/CBS (12) (11)	News (CC)	Inside Edition	Survivor: Fiji (N) (CC)		CSI: Crime Scene Investigation		Shark Fall From Grace (N) (CC)		News (CC)	Late Show With David Letterman		Late Late
K15CG (2)	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer (N)		Sunflower	Kansas Spotlight	America at a Crossroads (N) (PA) (CC) (DVS)				BBC World	Keeping Up	Charlie Rose (N) (CC)	
ESPN (28)	SportsCenter	NFL Live (Live)	SportsCenter Special (Live)			Baseball Tonight (Live)			SportsCenter (Live) (CC)		Baseball Tonight (Live)	
USA (37)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: Criminal Intent		Law & Order: Criminal Intent		Painkiller Jane Pilot (CC)	
TBS (38)	Raymond	MLB Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Atlanta Braves. Turner Field. (Live) (CC)						Friends (CC)	Friends (CC)	Movie: The Matrix Reloaded *** (2003) Keanu Reeves.		
WGN (39)	Home Videos	MLB Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Atlanta Braves. Turner Field. (Live) (CC)						WGN News	Sex and the City	Scrubs (CC)	Scrubs (CC)	Becker (CC)
TNT (40)	Without a Trace Freefall (CC)		Movie: Underworld ★★½ (2003) A vampire protects a medical student from werewolves. Kate Beckinsale.					Movie: Underworld ★★½ (2003) A vampire protects a medical student from werewolves. Kate Beckinsale.				
DSC (42)	Survivorman Snowy wilderness.		Deadliest Catch A Tragic Beginning		Deadliest Catch A fishing boat sinks.		Deadliest Catch Pain and Paybacks		Cash Cab (CC)	Cash Cab (CC)	Deadliest Catch A Tragic Beginning	
A&E (47)	Cold Case Files A murder goes awry.		CSI: Miami Spring Break (CC)		The First 48 Last Dance; Deadly Deal		Jacked Unit		The First 48 A Serial Killer Calls A serial killer calls 911.		CSI: Miami Spring Break (CC)	
HIST (48)	Modern Marvels Tunnels of Vietnam		Modern Marvels (CC)		Mega Movers Biggest Moves (CC)		Modern Marvels Mackinac Bridge		Modern Marvels Mountain Roads		Modern Marvels (CC)	
NICK (55)	OddParents	Jimmy Neutron	SpongeBob	Drake & Josh	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	Cosby Show	Cosby Show
DISN (56)	Phil of Future	Zack & Cody	That's-Raven	Zack & Cody	Hannah Montana	Suite Life	Life With Derek	Phil of Future	Zack & Cody	That's-Raven	Phil of Future	Kim Possible
FAM (58)	Smallville Precipice (CC)		Movie: My Girl ★★★ (1991, Drama) A funeral director's daughter has a summer of awakenings. (CC)					Whose Line?		The 700 Club (CC)		Home Videos
HALL (60)	Walker, Texas Ranger (CC)		Walker, Texas Ranger (CC)		Movie: Love's Unending Legacy (2007, Drama) Erin Cottrell, Dale Midgiff. (CC)				Movie: Harvest of Fire ★★ (1996, Drama) Patty Duke, Lolita Davidovich. (CC)			