

# Farmers got long-awaited phone service

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*Sherman County Historical Society*  
**February 19, 1905:** Muldrow News — For a long time the people in this vicinity have felt the need of a telephone line, and at last, it is in sight.

At a well attended meeting at Brewster, in which Sherman and Thomas counties were represented, a company was formed to put in lines in several directions, with Brewster as a central point.

There is a line at present extending ten miles southeast of Brewster, and with the phones already ordered, it will reach within six miles

## today in history

of Colby. Phones were ordered for a line running northwest to this place with the end at present at the Payson ranch, nine miles from Brewster.

There is no doubt that there will be a dozen families connected with this line in a short time.

The Mercinger home is quarantined for the small pox. Dr. Smith was in attendance one day last week. At present four of the children are sick. — Roy Freeland was

helping Jim Hartley build his barn several days recently. — School commenced at Muldrow Monday morning with Miss Kimmel of Goodland as teacher.

**February 20, 1905:** C.J. Shimeall's fine Jersey cow left home three weeks ago. Last week, he put a three line local in this paper, which was mailed Friday, and on Sunday the cow walked leisurely into Mr. Shimeall's yard.

The Jersey was away from home

during the severest weather, but returned in as good condition as when she strayed away. We do not know whether the neighbors or the cow saw the advertisement. All we know is, it pays to advertise.

**February 21, 1905:** A good many cattle froze to death on the Robidoux ranch in Wallace County in the continued and severe storms of late.

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# matters of record

## District Traffic

The following fines were paid in the Sherman County District Court:  
**Jan. 21** — Daniel J. Miller, 34, Boynton Beach, Fla., \$132 for speeding.

Denise I. Davis, 43, Wellington, Okla., \$150 for improper parking.  
Jose S. Hernandez, 24, Aurora, Colo., \$150 for speeding.

**Jan. 24** — Shawndra J. McReynolds, 25, Wichita, \$414 for driving under suspension.

Lara E. Schanzer, 19, Overland Park, \$181 for speeding.

Jesse R. Folsom, 21, Orem, Utah, \$126 for speeding.

Howard W. Seal, 39, Kansas City, Kan., \$175 for speeding.

Alejandro Deleon-Torres, 35, Georgetown, Texas, \$159 for speeding.

Susan D. Muldrow, 37, Wheatridge, Colo., \$204 for speeding.

Victor L. Sanchez, 37, Denver, \$138 for speeding.

Sean M. Looney, 31, Louisville, Ky., \$132 for speeding.

David L. Cochran, 31, House Springs, Mo., \$168 for speeding.

Cassandra L. Ford, 24, Aurora, Colo., \$150 for speeding.

Francisco H. Gonzalez, 29, \$177 for speeding, \$20 for no child restraint and \$10 for no seat belt.

John D. Ripley, III, 58, Superior, Colo., \$330 for speeding.

Laura Llamas, 29, Greeley, Colo., \$126 for speeding.

Bret C. Maceyak, 21, Durango, Colo., \$204 for speeding.

James S. Reynold, 20, Alamosa,

Colo., \$150 for speeding.

Katherine D. Sims, 26, Independence, Mo., \$159 for speeding.

Dawn M. Lucas, 27, Phoenix City, Ala., \$180 for speeding.

Nell M. Bradford, 55, Chicago Heights, Ill., \$132 for over weight limits on wheels and axles.

Anast Holguin-Cervantes, 33, Garden City, \$160 for loads not secure.

Justin K. Krieger, 28, Middleton, Iowa, \$96 for speeding.

Dax A. Webring, 31, Goodland, \$114 for speeding.

Michael A. Martinez, 44, Arvada, Colo., \$114 for over weight limits on wheels and axles.

Ryan D. Gibson, 19, White, Ga., \$500 for speeding.

Leslie A. Harris, 20, Eureka, Mo., \$138 for improper parking.

**Jan. 25** — Aaron P. Danbury, 33, Colorado Springs, \$213 for improper parking.

Melissa A. Sipes, 26, Denver, \$132 for speeding.

Wilhelm W. Giesbrecht, 47, Sublette, \$160 for not secured loads.

Edward G. Bodenhorn, 28, Brookville, Pa., \$144 for speeding.

Steven Hohn, 46, Chicago, Ill., \$210 for tractor trailer violations.

**Jan. 26** — Jared M. Randle, 23, Denver, \$108 for speeding.

Victoria A. Hoffmann, 40, Centennial, Colo., \$159 for speeding.

Josiah A. Goodley, 16, Goodland, \$159 for improper parking.

Dirk E. King, 40, Goodland, \$120 for failure to yield or stop.

Brady M. Ott, 19, Evergreen, Colo., \$159 for speeding.

Matthew R. Rosenthal, 19, Centennial, Colo., \$195 for speeding.



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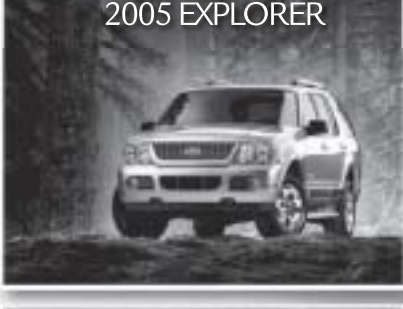
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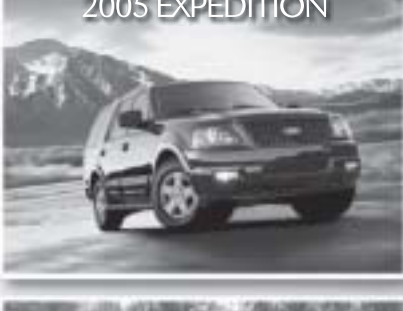
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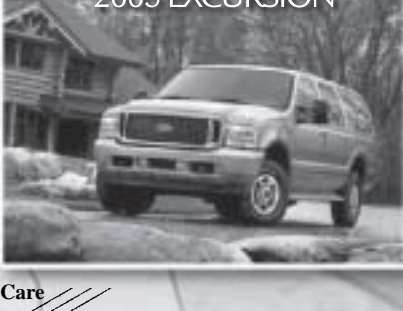
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