

Junior High wrestlers fourth in league

The Decatur Community Junior High wrestling team came in fourth in the Northwest Kansas League tournament last month. The young Devils had 129 points. They were behind Colby, 275; Goodland, 259; and Oakley, 149; and ahead of Hoxie, 106; Atwood, 93; St. Francis, 70.5; and Quinter, 35.5. "We had a pretty good tournament, but I was a little disappointed once we got to the medal rounds,"

said Coach Jim Andersen. "Some days, that's how it goes. These boys had a great season, and this was a good way to end it." While Oberlin had numerous third- and fourth-place finishes, the Red Devils had only one champion and four silvers. David Urban completed an unbeaten season with a pair of victories for the championship in the 145-pound class. Jacob Fortin, Gage Reichert, Jebb

Tally and Jared Marcuson took second in their weights. Wrestling were:
 • 75 pounds, Jordan Tally, pinned by Brandon Harlow, Colby, and by Kade Sheldon, Goodland, for third place.
 • 85 pounds, Andrew Richards, lost to Cody Wark, Colby, beat Josh Carpenter, St. Francis; and lost to Wark for fourth.
 • 95 pounds, Fortin, beat Allen Normandin, Goodland, and lost to Bryan Brewer, Colby, for second.
 • 100 pounds, Everett Urban, beat Trent Kinen, St. Francis; lost to Jordan Albers, Goodland; beat Alex Bebb, Atwood; and lost to Bradley Halbleib, Oakley, for fourth.
 • 105 pounds, Ace Manning, beat Joshua Heier, Quinter; lost to Michael Ledesma, Goodland; beat Kevin Moss, Hoxie; and lost to Tyler Hamilton, Oakley, for fourth.
 • 110 pounds, Lucas Juenemann, lost to Ben Davis, Goodland; beat Scott Ford, St. Francis; and lost to Aaron Sperber, Oakley, for fourth.
 • 115 pounds, Reichert, beat

Shelby Mollenkamp, Quinter; beat Ryan Taylor, Goodland; and lost to Hunter Olsen, Colby, for second.
 • 120 pounds, Jamie Miller, lost to Andrew Vrbas, Atwood; beat Grant Kahle, Oakley; beat Julian Simms, Quinter; and lost to Jake Kling, Goodland, for fourth.
 • 125 pounds, Royal Fisher, lost to Mikel Ladenburger, Colby; beat Josh Gaede, Hoxie; and lost to Drew Basgall, Atwood.
 • 135 pounds, Tally, beat Jace Mosbarger, Goodland, beat Chase Vaughn, Colby; and lost to Kelly Younkin, Oakley, for second place.
 • 140 pounds, Marcuson, beat Quina Aumiller, Hoxie, and lost to Mitchell Tuma, Colby, for second.
 • 145 pounds, Urban, beat Joe Ratchliffe, Hoxie; and beat Ashley Deaton, Quinter, for first.
 • 160 pounds, Ethan Long, lost to Cody Klein, Atwood, and lost to Keaton Fewen, St. Francis.
 • 275 pounds, Colt Diederich, lost to Shannon Bird, Hoxie; beat Ryan Ochs, Quinter; and lost to Clay Schilling, Goodland.

Herndon team loses last one in substate

The Herndon High Beavers lost 81-61 to Weskan in the championship game of substate play Saturday to end their season and write their basketball program into the history books.

The Beavers traveled to Russell on Thursday for the first round of substate basketball and beat the Sylvan Grove Mustangs 50-47. Herndon led 23-11 at halftime in a game that was mostly defense. At the end of three, the Beavers were still ahead 36-25. In the fourth quarter, Herndon held off a determined Sylvan Grove team for the victory. Scoring against Sylvan Grove were Lance Basgall, 18 points and

nine rebounds; Curtis Brown, 12; Brett Chambers, 9; Abe Marintzer, 8; and Jeff Rieneer, 3. Weskan is the only team to beat Herndon this year. In January, the Coyotes beat the Beavers in overtime 74-71. The Beavers ended their year with a 23-2 record.

Coyotes just miss a big win

It was only one point, but it was the one that mattered as the Jennings High School Coyotes ended their basketball season on Thursday with a 49-48 loss to Sharon Springs in substate play.

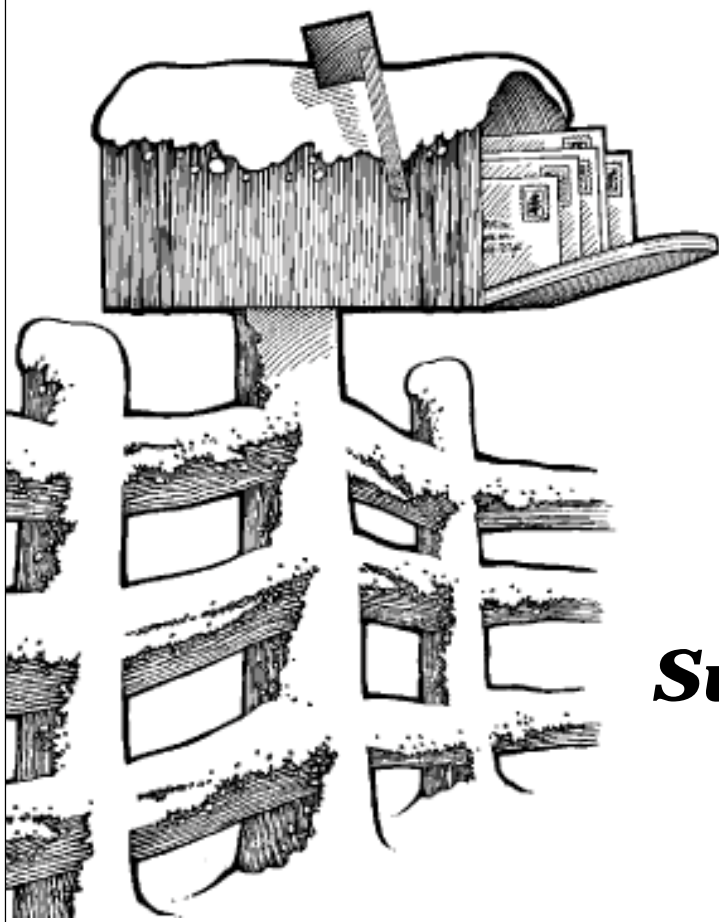
The game was tight throughout. The Jennings boys started off with a 15-14 lead in the first quarter. Sharon Springs came back in a low-scoring second quarter to outplay Jennings 11-7 and lead 25-22 at the half.

In the third and fourth quarters, the Coyotes came back. They were able to outscore the Wildcats 13-12 and 13-12, coming close to a victory.

Scoring for Jennings were Adam Wahlmeier, 16; Adam Miller, 14; Grant Bailey, 8; Brett McKenna, 5; Andy Coiner, 3; and Nick Wahlmeier, 2.

A. Wahlmeier had two three-point shots while McKenna and Bailey each had one. This was the last game for seniors Nick and Adam Wahlmeier, McKenna and Bailey.

Get all the news from Decatur County



Subscribe today!

Subscribers whose mailing address is in Decatur, Norton, Rawlins, Sheridan, Thomas and Red Willow counties \$28
 Elsewhere in Kansas \$32
 Elsewhere in the United States \$35
 To order your subscription, fill out the coupon below and send it with payment to:
THE OBERLIN HERALD
 170 S. Penn Ave. Oberlin, Kan. 67749

Name

Address

City..... State..... Zip.....

Bowling

High Plains

Fredrickson Ins., 42-13; NAPA, 41-14; Decatur Co-op, 28-27; R&M Service Center, 28-27; Warren Bainter CPA, 15-35.
 Rick Klima - 246, 226, 793.
 Karol Evans - 215, 737.
 Leo Hartman, 211.
 John Kingery, 227.

NEWCOMER FURNITURE

Low Overhead Means Low Prices

• Sealy • La-Z-Boy • Broyhill • Whirlpool
 • Chromcraft • Zenith • Eagle • Best Chair
 • La Crosse • England • Peters-Revington

Shop & Compare Save Money

HOURS: 9:00 A.M.-5:30 P.M. MONDAY-FRIDAY • 9:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M. SATURDAY
 FREE DELIVERY • 119 S. Main • WaKeeney, KS • 785-743-2982



New 04 GMC Sierra 1/2t Ext Cab SB
 4wd, 4dr., Fire Red, SLE, 5.3 V8, 271 Offroad HD Trailer Pkg!
 Dealer Keeps Consumer & Bonus Cash!
3.95% APR WAC MSRP \$32,541 Sale \$25,750



New 04 GMC Envoy 4wd 4dr
 Sand Beige Metallic, 4.2 I6, Onstar, Loaded!
 Dealer Keeps Consumer Cash!
3.95% APR WAC MSRP \$34,980 Sale \$28,900



New 04 GMC Envoy XL SLE 4wd
 Cloth interior, 4.2 I6, Running Boards, XM Radio, Onstar, 3rd Row Seating! Blue & Silver in Stock.



New 04 GMC Yukon XL SLT 4wd
 Heated Seats, 5.3 V8, Safe & Secure Pkg., 17" Alloy Wheels, Onstar, XM Radio, DVD Player, All Power Options! Sport Red & White in stock.



04 GMC Yukon 4wd SLE
 Silver, Dark Cloth, 5.3 V8, Safe & Secure Pkg., Onstar, Stabiltrak!
 1-Yukon & Yukon XL with this pkg. In stock.

Up to \$3500 in rebates OR up to 0% APR for 60 mo. WAC. on New GMC's! Depending on model. Call for details. Ends 3/31/04

GMC
 WE ARE PROFESSIONAL GRADE.™
Bernie JONES
 CAMBRIDGE, NEBRASKA

308-697-4661
 866-534-1422

AFTER HOURS: JEFF 308-697-4859
 www.wheelsforyou.com/berniejones

160 ACRES CROPLAND & GRASS LAND AUCTION DECATUR COUNTY

Monday, March 22, 2004 @10:00 AM at the Gateway in Oberlin, KS

SELLERS: Janice Kessler, LeRoy Schissler and Terry Schissler

E/2SW/4 of Section 29-1-30
 S/2NW/4 of Section 29-1-30
 LOCATED: 2½ miles West of Traer

CALL FOR A BROCHURE!!

FARM & RANCH REALTY, INC.

MIKE BAILEY, LISTING AGENT

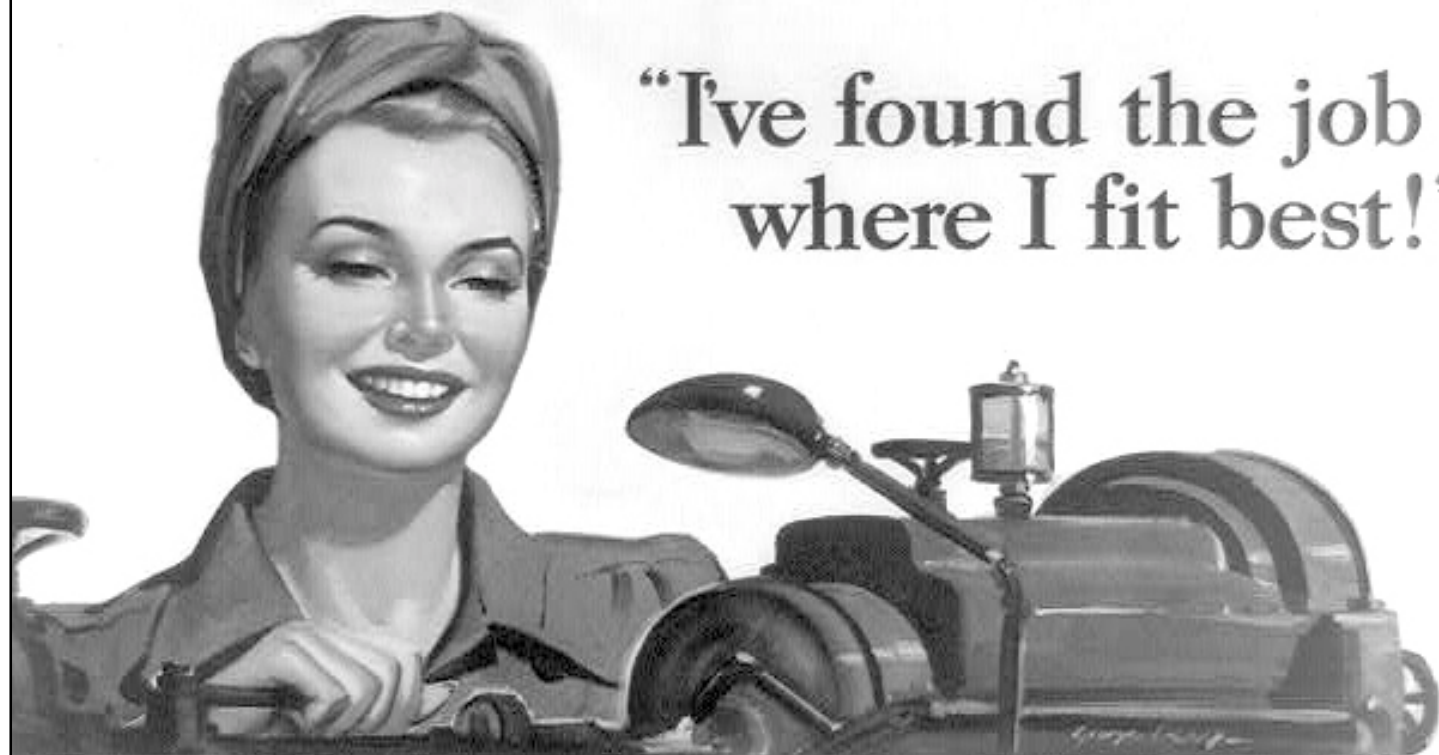
1420 W. 4TH - P.O. BOX 947
 COLBY, KS 67701

785-462-3904 or 800-247-7863

DONALD L. HAZLETT, BROKER

Visit our website @ www.farmandranchrealty.com

"When you list with Farm & Ranch, it's as good as SOLD!"



"I've found the job where I fit best!"

Working Women.....

You won't want to miss this special section in the March 31st edition of

THE OBERLIN HERALD