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**COUNTY COMMISSIONERS** 

# Marijuana Ordinances Get First Reading

Drought declaration also approved by commissioners.

**COLLEEN BRUNNER** news@bellefourchebeacon.com

BUTTE COUNTY – An Ordinance to regulate medical cannabis within Butte County as well as one regarding the issuance of local medical cannabis establishment permits and/or use licenses took more than the allotted time allowed on the agenda for the second monthly meeting of the Butte County Commissioners on May 18 at the courthouse.

State's Attorney Cassie Wendt said the ordinances are merely a Stop Gap for regulations within Butte County, until the state finalizes their stance on the newly passed regulations.

In the ordinance on regulation, Assistant State's Attorney LeEllen McCartney said, "This only relates to medical marijuana, not recreational cannabis." When talking about facilities, it only affects the cultivation, testing, manufacturing, and dispensing of the product. It also regards those who will receive a registration card from the state, people who have been diagnosed with a disease that could benefit from use, according to McCartney.

"They would have to show a ID card, similar to a driver's license," Wendt said in answer to how people would be able to purchase this product. "There are other ways as well (to secure the purchase)." That includes showing proof of application for a registration card. Wendt said there would be many regulations, really whatever the county felt was necessary including or that state regulations covered, including not using while driving. People under the influence of medical marijuana could potentially be pickup up by law enforcement. As a passenger in a vehicle a person could use marijuana-laced gummies, but could not smoke as that would affect the driver.

"They (law enforcement) will have to rely on a field sobriety

MARIJUANA B4

## 2021 Senior's High School Years Over and Done



The Senior Class of 2021 listens to welcoming remarks as they await receipt of their diplomas. A cool Saturday morning ceremony was warmed by the large turnout of students, family, and friends. - Beacon Photo

## **Council Hears Proposal for City Liquor Store Employees**

BEACON STAFF

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BELLE FOURCHE – At the regular city council meeting on May 17th city leaders received a report from city-owned Belle Fourche Package Liquor Store Manager Brenda Allen regarding an employee shortage. Allen told the council that she was in need of more help.

"We have staffing issues," she said. "We are short on employees and burnout happens when you don't have enough employees. And also, we have low pay."

Currently Allen has positions for a 40-hr per week assistant manager, one part-time receiving clerk, one regular part-time clerk and two part-time employees. She has openings for an assistant manager, and two part-time clerks.

The proposal brought forth to the council calls for elevating the part-time receiving clerk to full-time status giving the store a full-time manager and 2 full-time clerks at \$14.91 per hour, a 35-hr per week receiving clerk at \$14.20 per hour and 2 part-time employees at \$11.85 per hour.

Allen's request also addressed public complaints of limited store hours. She proposes staying open until 8pm on Monday through Thursdays, 10pm on Friday and Saturdays and having expanded hours on Sunday from 10am – 7pm. The extended hours would increase payroll costs by 13% but could possibly generate an additional \$29,500 in revenue and increase the bottom-line profit to \$176,000, according to the proposal.

"If you want to keep people in Belle working, we've got to be competitive with what's in Belle," Allen said. "With a full staff we could increase our hours and increase our revenue."

To hire workers at the liquor store employees must pass a certification test and be at least 21 years of age.

The item on the council's agenda was intended for informational purposes with possible action. After much discussion the council decided to send the matter to the Legal and Finance Committee for further recommendations. The issue was set to be discussed this past Monday night with the broader issue of ownership of the store, specifically, if the city should continue to own the enterprise or let private ownership take

In a related matter the council did approve Allen's request to hire an Assistant Manager as Cynthia Lewis-Primeau will take the position with a possible 2.5% pay increase upon a favorable six-month review.

The council also approved the renewal of Contract for City Legal Services with the Belle Fourche firm of Bennett Main Gubbrud & Willert, P.C. The new agreement will run through the first council meeting of May, 2022. The rate is set at \$175 per hour.

Approval was also given to the Belle Fourche Lions Club to have a Roundup Cowboy Breakfast on the morning of Sunday, July 4, 2021, on 7th Avenue south of the State Street intersection for half of a block from 6:00 A.M. until approximately 11:00 A.M.

Also the council awarded the Hermann Park Band Shell Restoration Project to Coyle Construction in the amount of \$23,500. The other estimate received was DV Construction, Inc. in the amount of \$26,826.00. There is also an historic preservation grant from the state in the amount of

COUNCIL B4

## **Bronc Boys Track Team Wins Region 8A Track Title**

The Belle Fourche Bronc boys Track team won the Class A Region 8 title and the Lady Broncs finished second.

Belle outscored Custer 169.5 to 156. St. Thomas More finished third with 127.

In the women's division the Lady Broncs ran second to Custer 150-167 and ahead of third place Hill City 135.5.

The Broncs had two competitors both take home a pair of first places.

Sawyer Clarkson won the 1600 meter run in 4:47.52 and the 3200 meter in 9:41.96.

Aiden Giffin won the long jump going 21-00.50 and the 100 Meters in 11.42. Aiden finished 2nd in the 200 Meter run clocking 22.85 and was on the second place 200 Meter Relay team with Devin Nowowiejski, Anthony Budmayr, and Wyatt

Keegan who turned the lap in 44.34.

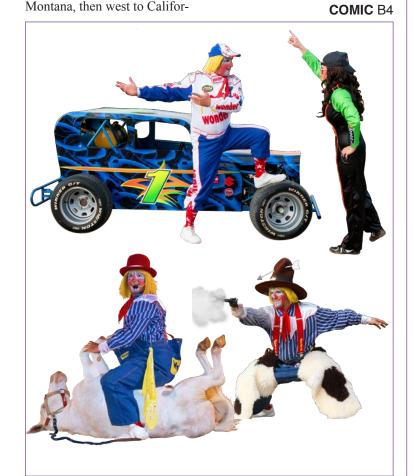
On the women's side Bella Jensen won the WomensTriple Jump going 33-05.00 and the Long jump at 15'11". Team mate Mataya Ward took second in both events with (33-00.00) in the Triple Jump and 15' 5.5" in the long jump.

Allison Hayes crossed the finish line in the 3200 Meters in 13:13.30 to win the event.

Performances were strong throughout the day on both squads with many personal bests achieved.

The 4x200 Meter Relay of Devin Nowowiejski, Anthony Budmayr, Ethan Staley, and Wyatt Keegan were second at 1:35.09.

Anthony Budmayr, Charles Alberts, Ethan Staley, and Devin Nowowiejski placed fourth



Trent McFarland, rodeo clown for this year's Black Hills Roundup, "drives" his trick mule and Wrangler Roadster, loves to make rodeo fans laugh. The Alabama cowboy will entertain during all four performances of the Roundup in Belle Fourche July 1-4. - Courtesy Photos



Sawyer Clarkson in stride on his way to a first place finish in the 1600 meter run. Sawyer finished in 4:47.52, his first of two distance victories of the day. Hunter Anderson Photo

## Comic Relief At The Black Hills Roundup

RUTH NICHOLAS
Special to the Beacon
BELLE FOURCHE - Rodeo clown Trent McFarland loves to make people laugh, and that's exactly what he plans on doing when he gets to the 102nd annual Black Hills Roundup June 30-July 4.

The Autaugaville, Alabama man will bring a bevy of acts with him, all with the goal of tickling fans' funny bones throughout the two and a half hour show in Belle Fourche.

From his Wrangler Roadster to his mule named Barthol-The-Mule and trick rope, McFarland knows how to entertain.

He grew up the son of Sid McFarland, who also works as a rodeo clown. By the time he was twelve years old, he was working alongside his dad, in the rodeo arena, and when he was fifteen, he was doing it every weekend.

During the week, McFarland serves as a registered nurse first assistant in surgery. His schedule is flexible; he works on the days he's home in Alabama, and because of the need for RNs, he knows his job will be there when he takes time off to clown rodeos. This summer, he'll leave the operating room for the rodeo road for two months before coming back home. "Luckily for me, the demand is so high for nurses that they need me."

McFarland works forty weekends a year, traveling from

coast to coast and border to border. Two years ago, within one month's time, he worked a show in Florida, then headed to northern Minnesota. From there, he went to a rodeo in

nia, then to New Jersey a few weeks later. "I ended up firing the guy who booked that run," he laughed, since he does his own booking.

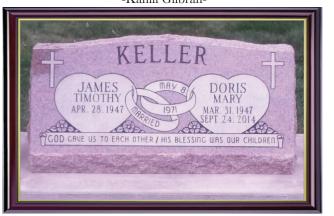
Like a typical clown, McFar-





When you are sorrowful, Look again in your heart and you shall see that in truth you are weeping for that which has been your delight.

-Kahlil Gilbran-





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## **Obituaries**

Anita Theresa Marie Wetherelt, age 87, passed away on Monday, May 10, 2021 at the Campbell County Hospital in Gillette, Wyoming.

Anita was born on April 14, 1934 to Louis and Anna (Caretto) Trucano at Boyes, Montana at their family ranch. She was attended to by the local midwife. Anita joined a family of three other siblings: Jack Mills, Catherine Trucano Giacometto, and Charles Trucano. She was the last surviving member of the family that settled in the Boyes, Montana area. Anita grew up in an Italian Catholic family

home where at that time the primary language spoken was Italian. She spent much of her early years running the creek with the Capra children, riding horses, smoking alfalfa and enjoying many other adventures

When Anita went to first grade, she did not know English so her new language began at the Boyes School. She spent her primary years at the Boyes School with the many family and friends nearby. When her high school years began she moved to Lead, South Dakota, living with her aunt, Kate Caretto Manseau and attending her freshman year of school there. The following three years of school were spent at Broadus High School. Boarding with neighbors and friends during the week Anita would return to the family ranch on the weekends. Her dad was often her driver for the 21-mile one-way commute on Friday and Sunday evenings. Anita's grandmother, Teresa Caretto, also resided in the family home, passing away in May 1952 just prior to Anita's high school graduation.

After high school Anita worked at the local drug store for Step & Ruby Holt and later for a short time at the Soil Conservation Service office.

During Anita's later high school years she developed a friendship and love for Wayne Wetherelt, Sr. This love was sealed in marriage on December 31, 1955 and would continue for 65 plus years through thick and thin. She had a new family with all of the Wetherelt clan and loved them all as her own. During the early years Anita and Wayne boarded many nieces and nephews, including: Vivian Mills DeLeo, Jack (Slug) and Steve Mills, Louis, Lawrence and Robert (Bob) Giacometto, Rick and Randy Trucano and also Mike Capra. For these young people Wayne and Anita's was a secure and safe place away from home.

In 1958 Anita and Wayne welcomed their first child, Brenda, then in 1959 Wayne Jr., 1961 Sheri and 1966 Melody. As the children entered the world new love, compassion, faith and strength made this woman what she was, "One of a Kind". The early trials with Brenda's health problems and eventual loss of sight helped to form her to be a pillar of strength. Anita never lost sight of what the communities of Boyes and Broadus, along with family and friends, did for her family during these trying times with Brenda.

In the mid-1960s Anita and Wayne purchased some land and began their adventures in the motel industry. With many good years at the motel during the oil boom she employed several young high school girls and women in the Broadus community. Anita took care of the daily tasks of running the motel as well as teaching her children how to work and do a good job. In the mid-1970s Anita worked along with Wayne at the automotive parts store and then later at the lumber yard store while still maintaining the family home and raising four kids.

After leaving the work force Anita remained active in the community, encouraging and supporting her children and helping with the grandchildren. She was a wonderful wife, mother, gramma, sister, aunt and friend to so many -- becoming "Mom", "Grandma" and "Auntie" to many of her children's, grandchildren's and niece's and nephew's friends.

Anita was one of the founding members of the Nursing Home Committee that pursued and achieved the goal of building the Powder River Manor in Broadus. She was fiercely staunch in this effort; and any effort she believed in, she was never afraid to stand up to anyone and speak her mind. Sometimes our mother was known to be very vocal, and our dad would look at her and say, "Nita". Other committees and boards she was

Anita Wetherelt 87

Volved with were: Eastern Montana Industries, Valley View Tri-County Special Education, Valley View Cemetery and St. David's Altar Society. With every board or committee she put all her heart in it and worked tirelessly for the benefit of others.

Through her lifetime some of the fun activities she was involved with were bowling, golfing, crocheting, painting ceramics, watching her daughters play softball, watching the grandchildren with their activities and attending Bowling and Golf Calcutta Auctions. Anita was such a good sport at bidding up people for the benefit of the event – liking to win as well!

In a break from the daily work, we could hear her say "It's Five O'Clock somewhere". That was her meaning that it was time to enjoy her favorite alcoholic beverage of a shot of Black Velvet and water backed. Mom was also known to sneak away for a cigarette even though she had "quit" many years ago. While having fun at a dance or gathering Mom was known to at a whim's notice dance on a table or two. Many times after a Saturday night outing of dancing, visiting, etc. the party would continue at the family home for an early morning breakfast. Her children would wake to a house full of friends and/or family. Throughout our lifetime we would hear stories of the many escapades Mom and Dad were involved with. The tradition was carried on with Sheri and Melody often bringing friends home for breakfast after proms, dances or the bar closing. Mom and Dad would get out of bed joining us for food, fun and laughter.

Family and friends remained an important centerpiece of Anita's life. Each person, young or old, was important to her. Anita also had a love for birds, bird houses, and keeping her yard in good shape. Her house and yard became a collection point of "witches" through the years. Often sons-in-law, friends and neighbors were to blame but she took it all in magnificent stride and with

Through it all Anita kept her faith and remained true to God and her Church. Having grown up with church in homes, community schools, and the local church she was honored to be served by two special local priests, Fr. Patrick Berther and Fr. Chester Poppa, for over 70 years of her life. She would argue with them and give them a piece of her mind, but kept her love and respect for them, her faith and the Church.

Lastly, this lady left a legacy of afghans to friends, family and through her many donations of afghans for raffles or fundraisers. Anita was always working on an afhgan, even as her health and hands deteriorated, she kept persevering. On Mother's Day Anita gave an order for more yarn to her niece, Roxy Giacometto Killens, to be picked up the next day. Unfortunately, that order could not be fulfilled as God had other plans for Anita. As we walk through the house, we can find four different afghans that were in progress and destined for some special person.

Anita was preceded in death by her grandmother, Teresa Caretto, her parents Louis and Anna Trucano, her in-laws Norman and Mildred Wetherelt, brother Jack Mills and Margaret Mills Schmaus, sister Catherine and John Giacometto, and brother Charles and Theoline Trucano as well as numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, nephews and close friends.

Anita is survived by her husband, Wayne. Children: Brenda Wetherelt (Ken Ketterling), Wayne (Serena) Wetherelt, Jr., Sheri (Don) McDowell, and Melody (Colin) Hanzlik. Sister-in-law: Patsy Wetherelt Stephens. Grandchildren: Jason (Maddey) Ketterling, Courtney (Chris) Sheriff, Carrie (Rowdy) Anderson, Shannon (Carson) Breipohl, Derek Knowshisgun, Tiffany Bad Bear, Peyton Bad Bear, Trent McDowell, Dan (Amber) McDowell, Derek (Sam) McDowell, Tyson (Tausha) McDowell, Morgan (Zac) Hanzlik and Hailey Hanzlik. There are also 14 great grandchildren and numerous special nieces and

nephews. Should friends desire donations can be made to Powder River Manor, Rolling Hills Golf Course or a memorial of your choice.





## **Christine Ruth Keiry Hoag 69**

Christine Ruth Keiry Hoag, 69, Seward, Nebraska, passed away in Lincoln, Nebraska on Jan. 18, 2021.

A Celebration of Life Service will be held at the Nisland Independent Church, in Nisland, SD, at 10:30 am on Saturday, May 29th. She graduated from Newell High School in the Class of 1970.

## **Teresa Califf 83**

Teresa Lorraine Califf, 83 of Kimball Nebraska passed away April 22, 2021 at Weston County Manor in New Castle Wyoming. Teresa was born in Beulah, Wyoming on February 12, 1938 to parents Hubert and Evelyn (Hise) Mathews.

Teresa graduated High School at Kellogg (Idaho) in 1956. Teresa went to college at Black Hills State in Spearfish, SD. Teresa married Wilfred Tope of Belle Fourche (South Dakota) on September 16th 1960. To this Union two children were born Cindy and Doug.

Teresa worked at the bank and the Sale Barn in Belle Fourche South Dakota. She owned and operated Rushmore Trucking Company in Sturgis South Dakota. Teresa was married to Charlton (Chuck) Califf in New Castle Wyoming. Teresa and Chuck moved to Kimball Nebraska. After Charlton's death Teresa worked at the Coop Grocery store in Kimball Nebraska. Teresa liked to read, garden, have coffee with friends and spend time with her beloved dogs. Due to health issues she moved to Weston County Manor in New Castle Wyoming to be closer to family where she passed away.

Left to cherish her life includes son Doug Tope of Belle Fourche, South Dakota, daughter Cindy Nieber and her husband Brett of Sioux Falls, South Dakota. Grandsons Justin and Blaine

Nieber(Karissa Meyer) and; great granddaughters KyAnn, Kira, Briar, and Willow Nieber. Brothers Edward Mathews of Belle Fourche South Dakota, Bill Mathews of Pine Haven Wyoming, Bob Priebe Jr. of Osburn Idaho, Mike Priebe of Osburn Idaho and numerous nieces and nephews. Teresa was preceded in death by her parents, Robert Priebe Sr., sister Bonnie Brown (Jack) of California and husband Charlton (Chuck)

#### Pastor's Perspective

This week's Pastor's Perspective is provided by Rev. Sheri Fadley, BF United Methodist Church

#### "A House of Prayer"

At the beginning of the week Jesus was crucified, he entered the temple and created quite the raucous by turning tables over and chasing the merchants and money changers out. In the midst of this upheaval, Jesus said the above statement, "My house will be called a house of

Prayer is the key to our relationship with God. Scripture explicitly and implicitly says in many places that we are to pray continuously with

the Lord. The more of our lives and our selves that we share with God, the greater our trust in God and deeper our relationship is with him. I am so happy that my congregation has a vital prayer

life. There are a variety of ways that we pray for each other, for our community, and for anyone who needs prayer. We pray in worship and have very active prayer groups. Many of our gatherings and meeting begin and end with prayer. We desire to be in communion with the Lord throughout the day.

Many people ask our prayer group members if they will pray for them and share these concerns with the group members as well. God responds to our prayers and quite often in ways that we are hoping for.

As a way to extend this vital ministry activity with the community, we have recently created a Prayer Box for people to use. It sits in our parking lot at 1804 7th Ave. All you need to do is drop a prayer request into the box and it will be shared with the prayer group members. Only the prayer group members will be given the information. You don't have to put any identification on the prayer card and can remain completely anonymous if you want. Everything you need is



located at the Prayer Box. There is a picture of our Prayer Box included with this article. We invite anyone to fill out a prayer request card and to ask for prayer. Just pull up and submit your request. It would be great if you provided a follow up to the request as well, letting us know how things are going.

Jesus said that his house would be a house of prayer. The Belle Fourche UMC is living out their vision of bringing God's love to life by

being a house of prayer.







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#### DAR Honors Mrs. Bohlmann at North Park

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We want to encourage each of these KG students and everyone attending today to fly the Flag! Be the first to stand, salute, recite the Pledge and sing the National Anthem! We are all shining examples of patriotism in our communities. Our Flag embodies everything we are as a country. It also embodies everything we are as DAR.

A 2021 goal of DAR is to FLY

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We also have a gift for Mrs Bohlmann and cookies for her school year 2020-2021 students.

Thank you for letting us be part of your day and always remember the lessons she has taught you!



DAR members present Mrs. Bohlman "Fly the Flag with Pride" award with students at North Park elementary posing for a photo. *Hunter Anderson Photo* 

## **Summer Reading Program Begins June 7 At The Belle Fourche Public Library**

"Tails and Tales" Summer Reading runs for six weeks from June 7 through July 17. This free program is for all ages - kids, teens, adults and even babies and small children can have someone read to them! To make it even more fun, you can earn prizes along the way for the time you spend reading - including coupons from our local businesses. If you reach the goal of reading for 30 days, you earn a free book and have your name put in a drawing for bigger prizes.

There are two ways you can participate, but you will need a library card to get started. Starting June 7, go to our website at bellefourche.yoursdlibrary. org and click on the link for READsquared to register and be able to log your reading on line. Or, come to the library, starting June 7, to register and we will give you a paper reading log to record your reading. If you do not have a library card, just bring two forms of proof of address to the library and we can get you set up. Cards are free for Butte County residents. If you live outside of Butte County a card will cost \$5 for an individual or \$10 for a family annually.

Also, mark your calendar for Tuesday, June 29 at 1 p.m. when the library will host



a free, live performance by "Meghan Casey and The Rocky Mountain Puppets". Meghan is a professional, award-winning ventriloquist and puppeteer and will be on stage with her puppets at the Belle Fourche Area Community Hall. Summer reading programs encourage children to read for pleasure, and research has shown the importance of keeping students reading during the summer to retain knowledge and skills learned during the school year to prevent the 'summer slide'. The summer slide can be avoided by ensuring that children are as engaged as possible in whatever they choose to read - just as long as they're reading every day. Just like exercising keeps muscles in shape, reading keeps the brain in shape. So, help keep your child from becoming a 'rusty reader' and get them signedup for the summer reading program at the Belle Fourche Public Library this summer! The Belle Fourche Public Library is located at 905 5th Avenue, phone number is 892-4407. Hours are Monday - Thurs. 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.; Fri.-

Sat. 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.





## Belle Fourche School Menu

Wed., May 26th
BRONC Breakfast: Mini Bagel/Juice/Fruit/Milk
Lunch: Bosco Sticks/Hot Dog/Fruit/Veggie/Milk
Thurs, May 27th

BRONC Breakfast: Muffin w/Goldfish/Juice/

Fruit/Milk

Tues, June 1st

BRONC Breakfast: Muffin w/Goldfish

Graham/Juice/Fruit/Milk

Lunch: Chicken Nuggets/Crispy Chicken

Sandwich/Fruit/Veggie/Milk

Wed, June 2nd
BRONC Breakfast: Mini Bagel/Juice/Fruit/Milk

Lunch: Corn Dog/Beef Tacos/Fruit/Veggie/Milk

Thurs, June 3rd

BRONC Breakfast: Ultimate Breakfast Round

/Juice/Fruit/Milk

Lunch: Turkey & Cheese Sub/Fruit/Veggie/Milk

Lunch: ENJOY YOUR SUMMER!!!!!



Ducks race east down the Belle Fourche River after being dumped off the 5th Avenue Bridge during the Belle Fourche Kite Festival & Duck Races, last Saturday. A Hillbilly Shriner watches the action from the south shore. *Beacon Photo* 



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May 27th Cook's Choice

Silver Lining

May 28th Tuna Noodle Casserole Broccoli Garden Salad-Cream

Belle Silver Linings Senior Center Weekly Menu May 29th Pork Chops Green Beans **Baked Potato** Cookie

May 30th Spaghetti Asparagus Garden Salad French Bread

May 31st Chicken Fried Steaks Mashed Potato w/ Cream Gravy Country Style Veg-

June 1st Tater Tot Casserole Spinach Garlic Cheese **Biscuit** 

June 2nd Pork Roast Sauerkraut Roasted Reds Mixed Veggies

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#### Anything Left in the Barrel?—By: Doug Cole

Memorial Day, originally called Decoration Day, is a day of remembrance for those who have died in military service for the United States.

As many as 25 different places claimed to have begun Memorial Day. In 1966 President Lyndon Johnson officially declared Waterloo N.Y. as the birthplace of Memorial Day, where the village held an event on May 5th 1866. It is known that other informal observations took place before that, such as on May 1st 1865 (two weeks before the end of the Civil War), newly freed slaves in Charleston, South Carolina, held a ceremony reburying fallen Union soldiers with a proper

While there is some dispute as to the origin of the day, the first Decoration Day was observed on May 30th 1868, under proclamation by General John A. Logan, national commander of the Grand Army of the Republic. The first official observation involved placing flowers on the graves of Union and Confederate soldiers at Arlington National Cemetery.

Some believe General Logan planned the first Decoration Day for May 30th, because both Northern and Southern states would have flowers in bloom by then, though others say the date was chosen because it didn't coincide with the anniversary of any battles.

In 1868, about 5,000 people decorated graves at Arlington National Cemetery's first Memorial Day ceremony. About the same number of people still gather there annually.

Since the late 1950s, on the Thursday before Memorial Day, the 1,200 soldiers of the 3rd U.S. Infantry place small American flags at each of the more than 260,000 gravestones at Arlington National Cemetery. They then patrol 24 hours a day during the weekend to ensure that each flag remains standing.

"And I'm proud to be an American, where at least I know I'm free. And I won't forget the men who died, who gave that right to me."

Lee Greenwood

"Regard your soldiers as your children, and they will follow you into the deepest valleys; look upon them as your own beloved sons, and they will stand by you even unto death."

Sun Tzu

"As we express our gratitude, we must never forget that the highest appreciation is not to utter words but to live by them." John F. Kennedy

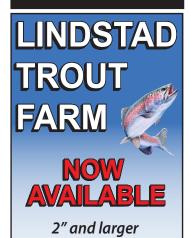


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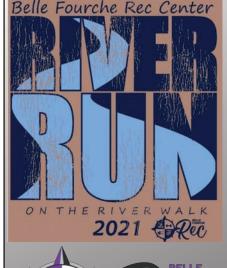


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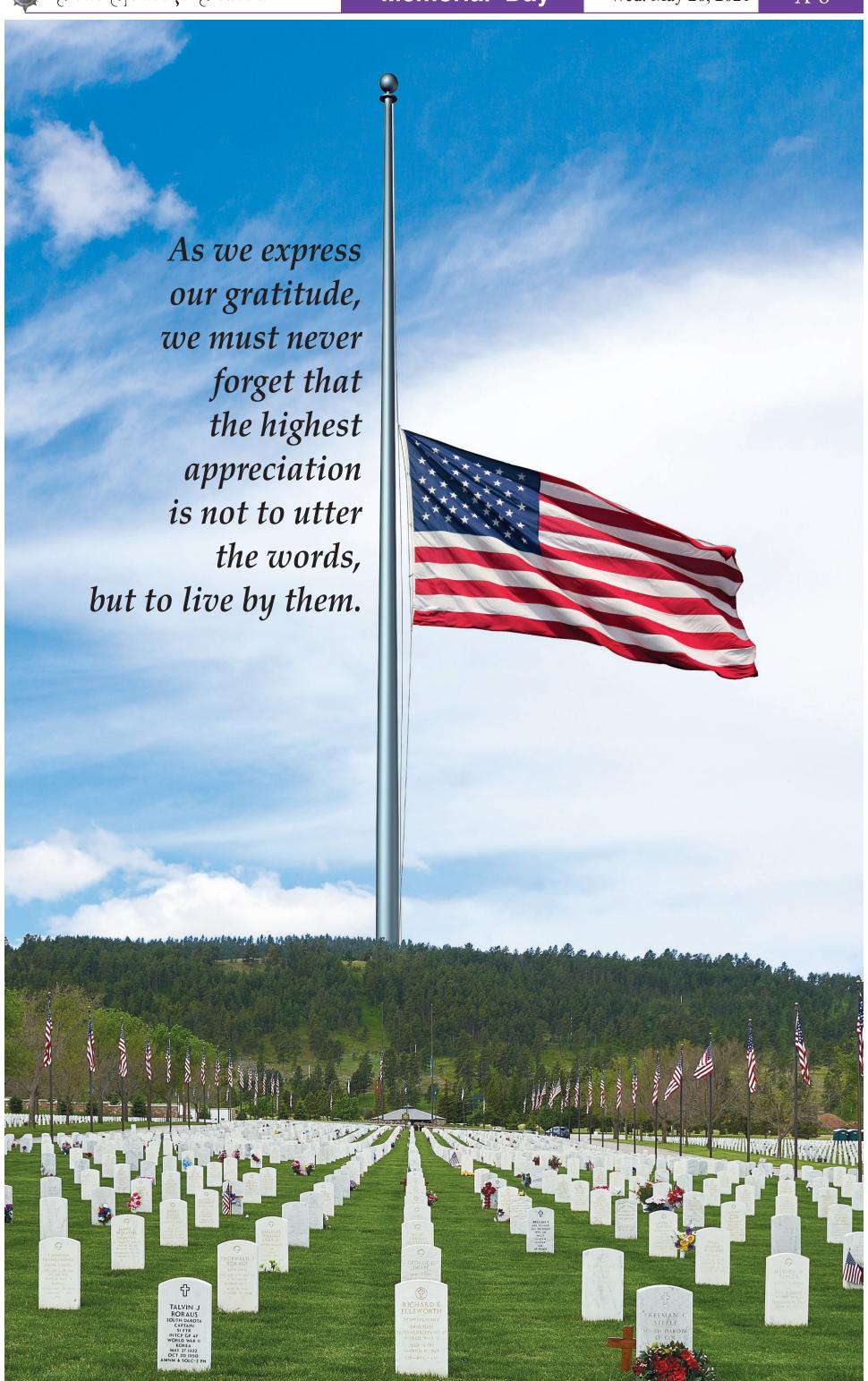
Event starts & finishes at Hometown Thursdays. Now happening at the Center of the Nation Visitors Center & Museum.

Walk, jog, or run with a friend! Distance: 1.16 - 2.11 miles ~ You choose your distance on the Riverwalk.

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Next Sale - May 28th - Pair & Weigh Up Special - 9 AM Thank You For Marketing With St. Onge Livestock!

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Feeder Cattle					
Horseshoe I Ranch, Broadus MT	90.	Blk	Strs	.673	. \$161.25
Horseshoe I Ranch, Broadus MT	20.	Blk	Strs	. 657	. \$161.25
Horseshoe I Ranch, Broadus MT	29	Blk	Strs	. 570	\$174
Horseshoe I Ranch, Broadus MT	16.	Blk	Hfrs	. 699	. \$135.25
Horseshoe I Ranch, Broadus MT	45	Blk	Hfrs	. 637	\$180
Horseshoe I Ranch, Broadus MT	70	Blk	Hfrs	. 631	\$170
Horseshoe I Ranch, Broadus MT	27	Blk	Hfrs	. 525	. \$159.50
Elmore Cattle Co, Gillette WY	48	Blk	Hfrs	. 903	\$12
Elmore Cattle Co, Gillette WY	30 .	Blk	Hfrs	.730	\$135
Elmore Cattle Co, Gillette WY	85	Blk	Hfrs	.708	\$135
Elmore Cattle Co, Gillette WY	33	Blk	Hfrs	. 647	. \$143.50
Elmore Cattle Co, Gillette WY	47	Blk	Hfrs	. 532	. \$148.50
Baker, Mike J, St Onge SD	7		Hfrs	. 687	. \$132.50
Bird, Jim, Volborg MT					
EB Ranch, Broadus MT					
Floyd Land & Livestock, Gillette WY					
Gantz, Edward W & Donna, Alva WY					
Gaskill, Dan, Volborg MT					
Gotfredson Elm Creek Ranch, Newell SD					
Grant, Kane, Whitewood SD					
Gunderson, Roger Or Penny, Buffalo SD					
Horvey, Roy Or Nola, Ralph SD					
Ista Ranch, Hulett WY	6	Blk	Strs	.475	\$172
Ista Ranch, Hulett WY	8	Blk	Hfrs	. 483	. \$153.50
J & J Smeenk Ranch LLC, Newell SD					
Kanode, Elizabeth, Moorcroft WY	5	Blk	Hfrs	. 645	. \$136.50
Keith, Jerry, Ekalaka MT	17	Bbld	Hfrs	. 800	\$125
Lehnen, William & Dawn, Gillette WY					
Mcpherson, Baxter, Sturgis SD	5	B/R .	Bull	. 866	\$115
Mooney Ranch, Gillette WY					
MT Consignment	72	Red.	Hfrs	. 822	\$127
Orwick, Bob, Newell SD	11	Bbld	Strs	. 639	. \$159.50
Orwick, Bob, Newell SD					
Soelzer, Richard K, Piedmont SD	6	Blk	Strs	. 576	\$165
Soelzer, Richard K, Piedmont SD	8	Blk	Hfrs	. 574	\$149
Talcott, Kenneth, Hammond MT	11	Blk	Hfrs	. 800	\$125
Total Construction, Gillette WY	14	Blk	Hfrs	. 696	. \$134.50

Weyrich, Bruce, Sturgis SD	7	Bbld Strs	. 495\$173
Pairs - Sold By The Pair			
969 Ranch, Broadus MT	32	Blk Heifer	. 1083 \$1,610
Bird, Jim, Volborg MT	5	Blk Heifer	. 1264 \$1,675
Bird, Jim, Volborg MT	7	Blk Solid	. 1662 \$1,300
Bird, Jim, Volborg MT	7	Bbld Broken	. 1519 \$1,150
Hamm, Don Robert, Rozet WY			
Kissack, Quent, Rozet WY	6	Blk Solid	. 1695 \$1,200
Kissack, Quent, Rozet WY	7	Ss	. 1479 \$1,150
Lightning Ridge Inc, Olive MT	14	Blk Heifer	. 1116 \$1,650
Quade, Ted, Broadus MT	29	Broken	. 1458 \$1,210
Sams, Mickey L & Lesley E, Weston WY	14	Blk S-Ss	. 1450 \$1,185
Slattery Trust, Michael J, Rozet WY	3	Blk Solid	. 1548 \$1,210
Slattery Trust, Michael J, Rozet WY	10	Blk Broken	. 1510 \$1,200
Weigh Up Cows			
Alexander, Darren, Newell SD	1	B/R . Cow	. 1025\$79
Alexander, Darren, Newell SD	2	B/R . Hfrt	830\$110
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Sams, Mickey L & Lesley E, Weston WY	14	Blk	S-Ss	1450	. \$1,185
Slattery Trust, Michael J, Rozet WY	3	Blk	Solid	1548	. \$1,210
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Alexander, Darren, Newell SD	1	B/R .	Cow	1025	\$79
Alexander, Darren, Newell SD	2	B/R .	Hfrt	830	\$110
Alexander, Darren, Newell SD	1	B/R .	Hfrt	780	\$110
Bauer, Bradley/Rhonda, Union Center SI	D2	Blk	Cow	1375	\$65.50
Beug, Harvey, Sturgis SD	2		Cow	1197	\$66
Beug, Harvey, Sturgis SD	1	Blk	Hfrt	1085	\$90
Beug, Harvey, Sturgis SD	1	Blk	Cwette	1070	\$77
Boylan, Robert, Newell SD	6	Blk	Cow	1380	\$66
Broneman, Larry Or Julie, Belle Fourche	SD1	Blk	Cow	1265	\$69.50
Brunson, Charles, New Underwood SD.	1	Blk	Cow	1375	\$68.50
Brunson, Charles, New Underwood SD.	4	Blk	Hfrt	1045	\$108
Bull Ranch. Ashland MT	7	Blk	Cow	1285	\$66.50
Bull Ranch, Ashland MT	2	Blk	Cow	1090	\$67.50
Bull Ranch, Ashland MT	1	Blk	Cow	1055	\$67.50
Bull Ranch, Ashland MT	1	Red.	Cwette	990	\$87
Busenitz, Lyndon, Moorcroft WY	1	Blk	Hfrt	820	\$103
Collins, Kurt, Broadus MT	1	Blk	Cow	1375	\$63.50
Collins, Kurt, Broadus MT	2	Blk	Cow	1352	\$65.50
Collins, Kurt, Broadus MT	2	Blk	Cow	1325	\$65
Collins, Kurt, Broadus MT	1	Blk	Cow	1215	\$76
Courtney Herefords, Belle Fourche SD	4	Blk	Cow	1442	\$67
Courtney Herefords, Belle Fourche SD					
Courtney Herefords, Belle Fourche SD	1	Herf	Cwette	1470	\$62.50
EB Ranch, Broadus MT	6	Blk	Cow	1397	\$70
EB Ranch, Broadus MT	10	Blk	Cow	1230	\$70.50
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Grant, Michael R, Whitewood SD

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Edwards, Marty, Gillette WY .....

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Kammerer, Matt Or April, Rapid City SD	1	DIK RIk	Hfrt	950	\$103
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Kimsey & Beth Hedrick, Moorcroft WY	.1	Blk	Cow	. 1235	\$78
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Lynde, Richard & Judy, Gillette WY	.1	Blk	Cow	. 1155	\$66
Mackaben, Ronny, Broadus MT					
Mangen Angus Ranch Inc, Broadus MT					
McCoy, Neal, Belle Fourche SD	.3	Blk	Cow	. 1423	. \$61.50
McCoy, Neal, Belle Fourche SD	.1	Blk	Cow	. 1325	. \$65.50
Mcinerney, Tim, Alzada MT	8	Blk	Cow	. 1498	\$69
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Mcinerney, Tim, Alzada MT	.1	Blk	Hfrt	.870	\$116
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Oedekoven, Darrell Or Penny, Vale SD	.2	Blk	Hfrt	. 1177	\$81
Olson, Fred Jr (Ole), Piedmont SD	.7	Bbld	Cow	. 1379	. \$67.50
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Oshoto Flying M Operations LLC, Gillette	.3	Blk	Cow	. 1300	\$65
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Randall Inc, Broadus MT	.1	Blk	Cow	. 1610	. \$73.50
Randall Inc, Broadus MT	.1	Blk	Cow	. 1450	. \$71.50
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Randall Inc, Broadus MT	.1	Red.	Cow	. 1450	\$63
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Rourke Charles & Annette, Gillette WY					
Sams Livestock, Weston WY					
Saunders Enterprises, Gillette WY	.10.	Blk	Cow	. 1116	\$96
Sheehan, Frank O, Gillette WY	.1	Bbld	Cow	. 1905	\$66
Sigman, Bryce Or Sandra, Sturgis SD	.2	Blk	Cow	. 1247	. \$67.50
Sleep Ranch LLC, Spearfish SD	.1	Blk	Cow	. 1235	\$67
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Streets, David, Custer SD	.2	Blk	Cow	. 1360	\$67
Study, Larry, Gillette WY	.1	Blk	Cow	. 1215	\$67
Swanson, John E Or Brenda, Spearfish SD	.1	Blk	Cow	. 1175	\$64
Talcott, Duane, Hammond MT	.1	Blk	Hfrt	. 1245	\$74
Talcott, Duane, Hammond MT					
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Triple T Enterprises, Newcastle WY					
Triple T Enterprises, Newcastle WY	.2	BlK	Htrt	. 1115	\$98
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Weigh Up Bulls					
Camblin, Doug Or Charlene, Gillette WY	.1	Blk	Bull	. 2140	\$92
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Collins, Kurt, Broadus MT	.1	Blk	Bull	. 1910	\$92
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Knapp Ranch Holding LLC, Rapid City SD.	.1	Blk	Bull	.2140	. \$91.50
Lenhart, Jade Or Cinnamon, Weston WY	.1	Blk	Bull	.935	\$114
Mackey, Paxton Or Kristen, Gillette WY	.1	Blk	Bull	. 1120	\$90
McPherson, Baxter, Sturgis SD	.1	Blk	Bull	. 1845	. \$89.50
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#### Sheep Report - Thursday, May 19, 2021

Big Run Of Slaughter Ewes And They Sold Steady Not Many Feeder Lambs Today And They Were A Little Lower

Next Sale - May 20th - Feeder Lamb Special

Thank You For Your Business!	
Bred Ewes- Sold By the Hd	

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Bred Ewes- Sold By the Hd				
Boylan, Robert, Newell SD	99	.2-5Yr Lambing N	Now171	\$250
New Crop Lambs				
Heibertshausen, Gary Or Joyce, Alzada MT	86	. Lambs	78	\$242
Kelly, Koyer, Whitewood SD	6	.Lambs	74	\$254
Trigg, Karen, Weston WY	3	.Lambs	58	\$268
Trigg, Karen, Weston WY				
Slaughter Ewes				
Bar 69 Ranch, Belle Fourche SD	6	. Klr Ewes	185	\$86
Edwards, Richard, Gillette WY	13	. Klr Ewes	153	\$84
Farnsworth, Doug, Rigby ID	87	. Klr Ewes	137	\$80
Fishhook Ranch, Prairie City SD				
Fishhook Ranch, Prairie City SD	24	. Klr Ewes	160	\$84
Kimsey, Kennedy Or Beth, Moorcroft WY	6	. Klr Ewes	174	\$86
Kimsey, Kennedy Or Beth, Moorcroft WY	17	. Klr Ewes	156	\$84
Krenz, Brad, Williston ND	72	.Klr Ewes	140	\$88
Krenz, Brad, Williston ND	20	.Klr Ewes	111	\$83
L & L Ranch Inc, Hammond MT	6	.Klr Ewes	166	\$86
L & L Ranch Inc, Hammond MT	18	.Klr Ewes	149	\$84
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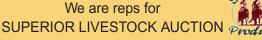
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#### Old Fashioned News Wire

A clothesline was a news forecast to neighbours pass-

There were no secrets you could keep when clothes were hung to dry.

It also was a friendly link for neighbours always knew If company had stopped on by, To spend a night or two.

For then you'd see the "fancy sheets", And towels upon the

You'd see the "company table cloths", With intricate designs.

The line announced a baby's birth, From folks who lived inside.

As brand new infant clothes were hung, So carefully with pride!

The ages of the children could, So readily be known By watching how the sizes changed, You'd know how much they'd grown!

It also told when illness struck, As extra sheets were Then nightclothes, and a bath-

robe too, Haphazardly were strung.

It also said, "On vacation now", When lines hung limp and bare.

It told, "We're back!" when full lines sagged, With not an inch to spare!

New folks in town were scorned upon, If wash was dingy and grey, As neighbours carefully raised their brows, And looked the other way.

But clotheslines now are of the past, For dryers make work much less. Now what goes on inside a

home, Is anybody's guess!

I really miss that way of life; it was a friendly sign ~! When neighbours knew each other best ~ by what hung out on that line.

- Author Unknown

## Wisdom From Out West!

The Opinions of Robert Dennis.

A self-employed, rancher, saddle maker, poet, picker and chopped liver. rdennis@gwtc.net

## Grandpa, what kind of computers did you have back then?

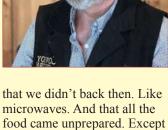
Rain! We got some! Sure is great stuff. Grass looks better and it smells wonderful. I guess everything looks better after a bath!

We have been working on a water project. Not going the way I planned, but you would think I would expect that, because it always seems to go that way. Things I didn't think about that have to be dealt with and crop up. But when all the work, worry and sweat are over, it will be worth it and the pain and misery of it forgotten. At least by me! I can't seem to remember much of any

thing any more. I bought a small notebook to keep in my pocket, to write things down, so I wouldn't forget them, but I can't remember where I put it! I guess I could make note on the phone I have in my pocket, but I would forget how to go back and find them, I am sure!

Coming home from a branding the other day with a couple grandkids and they were telling me about their school work. Something was mentioned about the computers they worked on in school. My granddaughter asked me, "Grampa, what kind of computer did you do your school work on? '

When I told her that we didn't have computers back then, her eyes got real big. I then explained that there were computers in the world, but they would have been about the size of the pickup and trailer we were riding in and pulling. I told her the the computer in my pocket, which is a phone and many other things, would be so much more powerful and do so much more than those old computers that were so big back then. Then I started telling them about all the things we have now



microwaves. And that all the for pot pies and TV dinners. TV dinners took some explaining! I remember my dad, who

was born in 1914, telling me, that when he was a kid and the first cars started coming around, people were saying that by the time he was older, everyone would have a flying car. And he was pretty disgusted that in his old age he still didn't have a flying car!

I saw awhile back, where they had made a drone that you could ride in and fly low, over the ground. Yeah, baby, that is what I am waiting for! I sure hope your getting rain

and we all get a bunch more!

- R. Dennis

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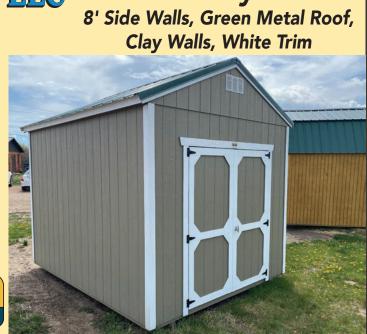


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#### **Capitol News**



**KAREN ODELL** news@bellefourchebeacon.com

Yes, the rain did fall and the grass is green. Folks in the Capitol and Tie Creek area are smiling.

Jon and Joann Nelson came out from Rapid City on Wednesday to visit at Alvin and Marlee Cordell's for a couple of days. Jon and Alvin took their metal detectors toward the Little Missouri River to look for past encampments. They discovered some artifacts that identified a camp just east of the house toward the river, where Alvin's mother, Betty, used to have her garden. The two men both like history and enjoyed the couple of days exploring together. The Nelson's went back to the Hills on Thursday. Marlee went to Belle Fourche to help Ashley Pearson do some painting. Ashley had carpenters restore a house, and now she needed to get the final painting done. Rod Bisgaard came out to the ranch to visit this weekend, so he and Alvin had supper at the Corner Cafe on Sunday night. Alvin had been up the mountain to the Horton place, to discover that there had been even more rain up there. He had gotten ninetenths in the rains from Thursday to Sunday evening.

Dick Albert left for Pollack, to spend a few days fishing with friends. The weather turned cold and wet, but the fishing was good. Erma had a breathing test at the clinic on Wednesday to check for asthma. On Friday, Erma went to the Senior Citizen spaghetti dinner, and there were 12 people there. She and Dick had gotten their new lounge chairs. She went shopping in the Hills on Saturday, and stopped to visit Clara Braun. She could go in and visit again. They still wore masks when going into the building, but it was good to visit inside. Erma went to mass at the Catholic Church on Sunday, and then enjoyed the rain all afternoon.

Doug Davis got some planting done just ahead of the rain, and that was a good feeling. They had enjoyed the kids visit, but they will be going back to

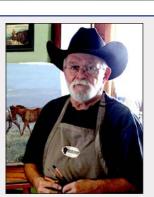
Alabama on Monday. They had planned for family pictures during the weekend, but had to call that off because the kids didn't feel well. Julia did get to Camp Crook for the garage sales on Saturday, and everyone was enjoying the day visiting. Shirley and Junior Melum had been enjoying the nice rain on Sunday. Ernie, Rachel, Tommy and Daniel had spent Friday branding heifers.

School is out for the summer in Camp Crook. Alex and Daeson Moncur enjoyed the field trip with the other school kids and parents, when they traveled to Gillette, WY. They visited a coal mine, museum, ambulance barn and trampoline park on the busy weekend. Wednesday was the last day of school. Alex is busy getting things moved to summer pasture this week.

Dorothy and Dawn Padden went to Ekalaka on Thursday, for the Diligent Doers Extension Club Meeting at Marion Kerr's house. Marion was the hostess for the meeting, and after the meeting they went to explore at the museum. There is so much to see, and they are always updating, and adding interesting new things.

Last week, Ronda Cordell enjoyed three days of branding. She had lots of help. Clint Zolnoski, Diane Wear, Gene Secrest, Jake Martinez, Ashley and Braden Secrest, Denin and Travis Schallenberger, Jay Cordell, Luke Crea, and Curt Zolnoski came to help out. Denise Zolnoski and the girls and Kim Secrest worked at feeding the crew. This Monday, Ronda was happy to get Dagues (on short notice) to haul pairs to the Desert Claim. On Thursday, Ronda went to Cheryl Burghduff's to help out, and had dinner with her. Gene Secrest, and Clint Zolnoski helped Ronda move her pairs to the Gap on Friday. Then on Saturday, Jake Reynolds stopped by and they both went to the Corner Cafe in Camp Crook for supper. Ronda had gotten 1.4 inches of rain this week, and had heard that the East Short Pines had gotten 2 inches.

Karen Odell made a shopping trip to Buffalo on Monday, for groceries, and to get some flowers and plants for the garden. The Buffalo Hardware had a good supply of plants, and now she has gotten her boxes ready, and the flowers planted already before the rains. On Wednesday,



## Mick B. Harrison's Artists L'icense

...and other wonderments.

This was a fairly large commission in 1981. Interesting story. I met Pat Feeney in a popular supperclub in my hometown. He was interested in a painting of some Indian cowboys, said he'd never seen one done. I agreed to work up some sketches and we met again sometime later. He hemmed and hawed and decided to change that to some bulls instead (he dealt in bulls). Later, on

the phone, it was particular bulls. Then four different breeds. Then the hills around Pierre, where he lived, in the background and they had to be green (because he was Irish). "I want two of the bulls fighting and oh, by the way, can you add me on my horse, with a bullwhip!" Sooo....it was really a self-portrait he wanted all along.



"The Feeney Bunch"

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Charlie inspected some cows for the Paddens, and then he went to Buffalo to get a new storm door. The wind had been very strong during the weekend when kids and grand kids had visited for their great-uncle's funeral. Karen had been getting food on the table, when the kids came in and said that the door had blown off the house. She was a little surprised, but told them not to worry about it. That door had been in dire condition for quite some time, and she really was not surprised that the big winds had torn it apart. On Wednesday afternoon, Charlie went to Buffalo to get a new storm door, and a corral gate. He then spent some time putting in the new door framing. Up in the pasture, he discovered that a neighbor's cow had broken the gate wire and gate stick when she got in to his pasture

with her calf. He felt she must have been chased, to break the wire and stick like that. Even coyotes usually don't make a cow that nervous. He had had a glimpse of what he thought was an extra big coyote a few weeks before, but hadn't got a good look at the animal to be sure. Charlie and Karen Odell went in to Camp Crook for the town garage sales on Saturday. They found a few things to buy, but really enjoyed talking to the people even more than their shopping. In the community hall, they stopped to have lunch and visit for a while, too. On Sunday, morning, the rain had actually turned their road to mud (something they had been hoping for), so they decided to watch church from Gomer, Ohio, on YouTube rather than try to get to the road. Then they watched graduation at Mitchell on YouTube, too. It was a good rainy day, and the much needed rain kept up until evening.

I've learned that the best reward is in the effort. It's hard to make a comeback if you've never been anywhere.

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#### From A1 COMIC

land can poke fun at both of his careers. "I'm a male nurse who wears makeup on the weekends," he laughs. "After a bad accident (in the rodeo arena) I know how to take care of myself."

And another one-liner: "I try out all my new material in the operating room. The patients are already anesthetized, so they don't know if the jokes are

His second career came in handy last year, when rodeos were canceled due to the pandemic. "I was so relieved to have a job," he said. It was a

great time to refresh and relax. 'I got to recharge my batteries last year, slow down and refocus. It made me appreciate rodeo more."

McFarland and his wife Wendy have two sons, ages five and six, who help with their daddy's act. He keeps his jokes and acts clean. "I pride myself on clean family entertainment. If I can't do it in front of my grandma or the preacher then you won't see me do it. There aren't many things in America you can take your kids to, but you can bring them to the Roundup" and know it will be a wholesome family event.

The Black Hills Roundup kicks off June 30 with a ranch

rodeo at 7 pm. It continues with a performance at 7 pm on July 1-3 and a 3 pm performance on July 4. Family night is July 1; July 2 is Chutes for Charity night, and July 3 is Tough Enough to Wear Pink night. July 4 is Military and First Responders Day.

Tickets for Family Night, July 1, are 4 for \$48 and can be purchased online at blackhillsroundup.com/p/tickets--deals For more information, visit the website at BlackHillsRoundup. com or call the Black Hills Roundup Office at the Tri-State Museum and Visitor Center at 415 Fifth Avenue, Belle Fourche, S.D. (605.723.2010).

She also shared information on the potential upgrades to radios and recorders in the dispatch office. An estimate for a new BASE Radio for each Dispatch Console from Zetron (Rushmore Communications) came in at \$125,670.00. A proposal from Avetc was listed at \$90,585.40, with one from Western Communications at \$625,468.00. A Radio con-

> tion shared by Greenwood. Greenwood shared information about a recorder that could be purchased with upgrade from Voice Products (a quote from March 2020) FOR \$25,110.00. At least one of these units would be a mobile unit that could be taken with an on-call employee.

sole currently in use that was purchased new in 2011, cost

\$65,000, according to informa-

The new radios would need to be installed by December 2021 for the county to utilize current funding availability.

'Last fall (2020) I had four nights where I had to shut down from midnight to six, due to lack of people to cover," said Greenwood, referencing the benefit of having a mobile unit. "We transferred our 911 calls, and the rest was transferred to the police department. With a mobile operation, we would be able to take (the radio) with us."

The recorder, which utilizes 2008 software, went down recently. It also does not have some of the features needed such as a way to document texts received or the possibility of expanding to pictures and live video streams.



#### From A1 COUNCIL

\$15,000 to aid in the work. Ward 2 Councilman Derrick Erhart asked if given the soaring cost of construction materials the contractor was confident that his price would hold.

"Yeah, it's tough," said Public Workd Dir. Dirk Hoffman. "But with the conversations we had (with Coyle) they feel pretty comfortable with it."

The city had budgeted \$75,000 for the work. The bandshell restoration will begin

The commission recommended that the information be taken to the next Dispatch committee meeting, which includes people from the city, and get some more concrete figures to build

Wendt, in her activity report, said that she recently had a day when there were no people in jail for Butte County.

"I was really excited," said Wendt. However, she said the major share of arrest recently did not focus on drugs, but instead were assault (guns/knives) and that it was a very violent

time. "Those are the kind of people you don't want on the street. Those are the types of crimes we're looking at now."

This office has a new intern for the summer. Mia Hockel, from USD School of Law, will be working in the office throughout the summer.

The county may schedule a tour to some of the properties where taxes have not been paid. This would allow commissioners to get a look at the properties and consider the potential for issuing tax certificates for

purchase.

#### From A1 **MARIJUANA**

test, including focus on divided attention tasks, looking for impairment," said Wendt.

In reference to the ordinance on marijuana facilities, Wendt stated that it was up to the county to determine how many facilities there would be allowed in the county (not including municipalities like Belle Fourche and Newell).

"Each municipality regulates the number (they allow)," said Wendt. "At least one facility (in Butte County) would need to be a dispensary, but two would be better so there would be no monopoly.

When assessing licensing fees for facilities, the county relied on current liquor license fees and tagged the firs- year license fee at \$25,000 with renewals at \$15,000.

"If we ever get recreational marijuana, it should be higher," said Commissioner Stan Harms. The recreational marijuana legislation has had a "stay" on coming into law, according to Wendt, due to the fact that it has been appealed to the supreme

The permit for a medical marijuana facility is set to be \$5,000 with each county issuing licenses at fees set by the counties.

In other business before the commission, they discussed the court appointed attorney fees and the minimal recovery of those fees. Currently the county only recovers around 17 percent of the fees assessed by

the courts.

"We can put a lien on property, but most don't have personal property," said McCartney. "We need to invoice them monthly, and treat like debt collection.

There is a feature in the new electronic system the state's attorney's office is using for cases, which would allow them to bill out, much like a bookkeeping software program, each cases court-appointed attorney and jail fees. McCartney said the current staff availability to keep up with the billing of these fees is not sufficient in the auditor's office. The electronic system would be more efficient, but McCartney said the commission would need to decide how far back to go in trying to recover fees.

"If they don't pay up and end up in civil court, it (the electronic system) has a tool to use for that purpose," said McCartney. Rebecca Larson, who work part-time for the county, was recommended by the state's attorney's office to come on board full-time to try to recover more of these fees.

"If she went full-time and we were able to increase (recovery) to 50 percent, it would pay for her wages and benefits," said McCartney. "Some people (offenders) have not had communication (on their owed fees) for a long time."

During the reports by Dispatch Coordinator Vicki Greenwood, a Drought Declaration was approved by the commission. This would allow the county to be eligible for disaster aids and grants.



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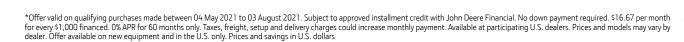
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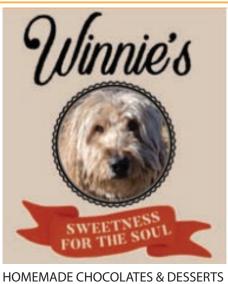
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in 3:45.89 4x800 Meter Relay team of Zach Tonsager, Cole Hockenbary, Harley Rivera, Aiden Voyles notched a third place covering the four ovals in 9:15.81.

Sprint Medly Relay team of Charles Alberts, Ethan Jensen, Devin Nowowiejski, and Zach Tonsager also took third at 3:58.63.

Also on the Boys side, Cole Hockenbary finished 4th in the 1600 meter at a season record, 5:07.92 and Justus Funk had a personal record 5:30.80 for 10th.

In the 3200 meter run Aiden Voyles was 5th at 11:05.02; Harley Rivera 9th at 12:14.36.

Nolan Wahlfeldt had a personal best, 47.25 in the 300 Meter Hurdles for 3rd Place.

In the 100 meters Wyatt Keegan was 4th (12.15); and Anthony Budmayr 6th (12.48); in the 200 Meters Keegan was 5th (25.37); and Ethan Staley 9th (25.77); the 400 Meter run saw personal bests for three Bronc thinclads with Anthony Staley 5th (56.56), Aiden McCarty 6th (56.60), and Lane Longbrake 9th (58.25).

Nic Lambert had a personal best 800 Meters and a5th place run at 2:11.66.

Senior Shot Put competitor Logan Goeders heaved a personal best 42-01.50 to finish third. He was followed in the

event by Gunnar Geib 7th (35-09.25) and Lucas Green 12th (31-10.50).

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In the discuss at 5th Goeders (114-09), Gunnar Geib, 6th, a personal record (110-07), and Aiden McCarty, 10th (95-03).

Cole Hockenbary (5-02) took 4th in the High Jumpand Pole Vault: Lane Longbrake 4th (10-03); Jordan Sandoval, 8th with a personal record (8-09.00); Logan Tyndall 9th (8-03.00).

Marks in the sand were made at 19-00.50 by Jayden Sechser for 5th and 17-02.00 by Nolan Wahlfeldt for 8th.

Triple Jump saw Ethan Jensen 3rd (40-10.00); Jayden Sechser 5th (39-10.50); and

Anthony Staley 7th (38-04.25) In the triple jump Dylan Stedillie placed 5th at. (30-02.50). Laney Brill was 5th in Long Jump at 14-03.00.

In Pole Vault Sloan Young and Chloe Crago were in a three way tie for 4th at 6-09.00 Victoria Brill was 8th at 6-04.00.

Kaylin Garza, Grace Clooten, and 7th Grader Annie Jensen all had personal bests in the high jump with Kaylin & Grace placing 2nd and 3rd with 4-09.00 and Annie in 8th at 4-01.00.

In discus Shelby Moke was 7th (80-04); Tia Williamson 14th (54-09); and Jessica Dudley 16th. (52-03).

Shot put: Tia Williamson 9th (27-06.50) Shelby Moke 14th (24-07.00), both personal best throws.

In the 300 Meter Hurdles Addy Muhm was 9th (56.97); and Ayden Kummer 12th (58.32).

In the 1600 Meter run Allison Hayes ran a personal best 5:54.22 for 2nd; McKenzie Lyons was 5th with a 6:23.82; and Ayseluna Hockenbary 10th (6:55.79).

Ava Allen was 3rd in the 3200 meter race (13:47.69).

In the 100 Meter run Mataya Ward was 3rd (13.36); and Dru Keegan 4th (13.50).

In the 200 Meters Kailey Nowowiejski, Jasmyn Jensen, and Grace Clooten all had person bests. Kailey 4th (28.84); Jasmyn 5th (28.90); and Grace 7th (29.16).

400 Meters Run: Annie Jensen a personal best (1:04.25) for 4th; Reese Larson 8th (1:07.52); Kaylin Garza 10th (1:09.86) 800 Meter run: Sarah Juelfs 13th (2:55.99); Isabelle Jackson a season record (3:07.92) 15th; and Avery Cherveny 18th apersonal best (3:24.33).

4x100 Meter Relay team of Dru Keegan, Kailey Nowowiejski, Jasmyn Jensen, and Mataya Ward placed 2nd with a 51.99.

The 4x200 Meter Relay of Dru Keegan, Reese Larson, Jasmyn Jensen, and Kailey Nowowiejski were 3rd (1:52.61)

4x400 Meter Relay of Reese Larson, Annie Jensen, Kailey Nowowiejski, and Kaylin Gar-



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**Tia Williamson** in the 300 Meter Hurdle event. *Hunter Anderson Photo* 



**Jasmyn Jensen** after the handoff from **Reese Larson** in the 4 x 200 Relay. *Hunter Anderson Photo* 

za wer 4th (4:37.67).

The Sprint Medly Relay team of Dru Keegan, Reese Larson, Hannah Kirksey, and McKenzie Lyons finished 3rd (4:57.97).

The Bronc track squads qualifiers will return to Lyle Hare Stadium in Spearfish for the State Class A Track Meet this Friday and Saturday, May 28 - Sat May 29.









**Ethan Staley** running his leg of the of the 800 Meter Relay(L); **Allison Hays** leading in the 1600 meter race. *Hunter Anderson Photos* 

**Mataya Ward** competing in the long jump (L); **Ethan Jensen** in Triple Jump event. *Hunter Anderson Photos* 



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## **Looking Back in Belle**

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124 years ago Belle Fourche Times May 22, 1897 New Grocery House

We learn that the Wideawake and Mrs. Isbell are to have competition in their line of business. Mr. Wood, who has leased the Vaughan stand, having rented one side to a grocer, who will put in a complete stock of groceries and the etceteras usually carried in that line. Our home dealers have been doing a rushing business in this line and we have no doubt will get their share of trade; their uniform courteous treatment of their patrons in the past having secured the good will and confidence of the people. We presume that there will be no material reduction in prices of staple articles, as these are already reduced to about the lowest living rate. The people will, however, enjoy the feeling that they have the privilege of choosing between dealers.

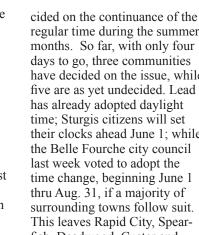
Memorial Services are to be held both morning and evening in Belle Fourche next Sunday, May 23. By mutual agreement between the two pastors, the services will be held at 11 a.m. in the Congregational church, the pastor Rev. A. D. Shockely, preaching the sermon. At 8 p.m. the pastor of the M.E. Church, Rev. R. B. Hughes, will deliver an appropriate discourse in his church. It seems to us eminently proper that this arrangement should be carried out in every particular, and that every citizen who loves his country and honors its defenders should devote both the morning and evening hours to the memorial servicer provided for by the G.A.R. Post in conjunction with the churches of our city.

100 Years Ago Northwest Post May 26, 1921 Memorial Services Services will be held Monday at 2 p.m. at the American Legion Hall, under the auspices of the American Legion. The pub-

lic is given a cordial invitation to attend and help in extending a fitting tribute to those who have fallen for their country or have offered their lives and afterward taken up their duties as citizens and have passed away in the march of time. At 3 p.m. the parade will form in front of the Legion Hall and march to the court house, where they will be picked up in cars and taken first to the Riverside Cemetery and then on to Pine Slope Cemetery for services at the graves. Ex-service men are asked to assemble at the K. P. Hall at 1:30 to march to hall in a body. All are requested to wear uniforms.

Big Circus Coming Palmer Bros. World's Greatest three ring, Wild Animal Circus will exhibit in Belle Fourche on Thursday, June 9. It is enough to justify anyone taking an interest in this event, for the show contains nothing but the highest class acts, one act alone, that of the full grown jungle bred, African lions, would more than repay you for the visit to this mammoth enterprise. Then the bears, in their fun provoking and roller skating acts is another that should not be missed. It is in keeping with their original policy. The owners have built in the past few years an enviable reputation and while it is not the largest, it has gained the right and justly so, to be called the World's Greatest Wild Animal Circus. The show travels in its own trains and carries hundreds of people and stock. Every species of the wild beast will be exhibited in the great parade on the streets, so don't fail to see this wonderful pageant.

75 Years Ago Belle Fourche Daily Post May 28, 1946 Hills Towns Are Still Undecided On Saving Time With June 1 only four days away, a majority of Black Hills towns still have taken no definite steps toward the adoption of daylight saving time. Or de-



time change, beginning June 1 thru Aug. 31, if a majority of This leaves Rapid City, Spearfish, Deadwood, Custer and Hot Springs with no definite approval or disapproval of merial Club secretary, reports merchants have voiced their desire for the setting ahead of clocks during the three-month period.

City Briefs Mr. and Mrs. Nels Pearson of Aladdin and Mrs. Alfred Pierce, Aladdin, visited and shopped in the city Monday. Hulett shoppers and overnight guests in town Monday were Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Jolley and Mrs. Louis Shelden, and daughter Lella.

> 50 Years Ago Belle Fourche Daily Post

May 28, 1971 Church Probes Need for Day Care Center The Christian Education Commission of the First United Church of Christ has been discussing the matter of a day care center in Belle Fourche and has decided to determine public sentiment of the matter. The commission has prepared a survey form which appears in today's Daily Post and is asking people who might be affected by such a project to express their opinions on the matter. The commission had this explanation of the project; Day Care, whether it is offered in a group or a family setting, is a specialized form of child care service. It is a service to strengthen and supplement family life – not a substitute for it. It is a resource designed to help parents maintain responsibility for their children – not relieve them of their responsibility. In planning a day care program, we recognize that the best opportunity for a child's happy growth and development is provided with

his own parents in a comfort-

able and secure home environ-



by Mary Buchholz

regular time during the summer months. So far, with only four days to go, three communities have decided on the issue, while five are as yet undecided. Lead has already adopted daylight time; Sturgis citizens will set their clocks ahead June 1; while the Belle Fourche city council surrounding towns follow suit. daylight time. Joe Koller, Comthat Deadwood and Rapid City

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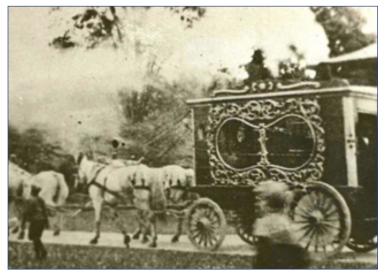
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ment. However, there are many instances parents are unable to carry the full time responsibility for the care of their children because of economic and/or social problems. On This Day Memorial Day, a day to

remember our war dead, those who have served their country – all of them from colonial times through today's Vietnam war. In the old cemeteries of the East small flags are placed on graves of defenders of our America, weathered stones that still bear outlines of names and dates three centuries ago. As the march of settlement moves west, the dates on the graves step up through the story of the nation's wars, including freshly molded graves where no stones are placed as yet – graves of those who died in Vietnam. The connotation of Memorial Day is that of the privilege of life. To be robbed of its full span for

the safety of the nation is truly the sacrifice supreme. Who knows what that youth who died for his homeland in 1776 might not have contributed had he lived, what he might not have accomplished in music, literature, the arts, in statesmanship, in preaching, in teaching? He might have changed the direction of our social order. But its not the peaks along which measure the loss. It's the entity of a life. How many blossoming May times he has missed. And so we take flowers, our expression of all the emotions we feel, from sorrow through appreciation. Families gather at the old home, many traveling great distances, to stand with heads bowed over the grave of a loved one and place there flowers, the symbol of memory. Life is a privilege. To be robbed of its full span – that is the tragedy supreme. This is what we say on Memorial Day.



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Monday-Friday: 7:45 a.m. Prayer **CHRISTIAN LIFE CENTER** 

2020 Vista St · 892-4767 Paul Howard, Pastor Sunday Schedule: Long Term Care Service 8:45 a.m. Sunday School: All ages 9:30 a.m. Fellowship Hour: 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship Service: 10:45 a.m. Evening Service: 6 p.m.

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1105 Todd St. John Allred, Bishop Sunday: 10 a.m. Sacrament Meeting Sunday School: 1st & 3rd Sundays, 11 a.m. Priesthood Meeting, Relief Society, Young Men and Young Women: 11 a.m. 2nd & 4th Sundays

#### **EMMANUEL BAPTIST (SBC)** 902 Lawrence St. · 723-6899

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#### website: ebcbf.org CONNECTION CHURCH (SBC) 613 Sixth ave., Belle Fourche

(605)-210-2150 Pastor Stephen Carson Associate Pastor Chad McCord Worship Pastor Ashton Rone Sunday Worship: 8, 9:15, or 10:30am

**FIRST BAPTIST** 807 8th Ave. 892-4178 Pastor Tim Smith Sunday: Sunday School - 9:15am Morning Worship - 10:30am Tuesday: 10:00am Ladies Bible Study Wednesday: Salt and Light Youth -Kindergarten -12th grade 5:00pm Soup & Sandwich 5:30pm - Salt and Light FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 1120 North Fifth Street, Spearfish 605-645-3513 • Pastor Bruce K. Oyen

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#### "Building Main Street, not Wall Street"

by John Newby

## **Critical Nature of Community Leaders**

Chuck Comeau once said, "A downtown is the center of a community, the pulse, ... When it dies, your town dies. I want my kids to experience something different from Wal-Mart and strip malls". It is spring and many communities have recently held elections or have them coming up. While it is easy to believe our votes have little impact on the National level, in local elections, nothing could be further from the truth. Our local vote not only impacts various issues in your local community, it can determine the long-term vitality and vibrance of your community for years to come.

Candidates elected today have a huge impact on the direction and future of your downtown, and therefore your community. The questions you ask of them are critical. Questions such as, do they understand the power of tourism to the community? Do they understand how the importance of being business friendly is to drawing new and younger entrepreneurs to your community? Do they understand that wishing for new high-paying jobs to just show up in your community is usually a fool's errand? Do they understand the real importance of having a city led hyper-local movement? Do they even understand what a hyper-local movement is?

The answers to these and other vital questions are critical to your community and most importantly, your downtown. Tourism is one thing communities can control to an extent.



The events they host along with the atmosphere they provide are critical to luring outside visitors in to spend their money in your community. Being business

nity's growth. Communities making it difficult for start-ups or new businesses are simply left behind in today's world. Those entrepreneurs will simply migrate to the next town that happens to be more business friendly, and open their business there. City officials must create a one-stop business system that assists potential startups and simplifies the entire process. Sending a message to potential startups that your community is open and ready to assist new businesses will be worth its weight in gold.

friendly is critical to a commu-

Understanding the nature of higher paying jobs that accompany new businesses moving to town is what separates the true candidates from those blowing smoke. Companies relocating or start-ups offering those high-paying jobs are few and far between. Communities must face the reality that courting those companies is, at best, high stakes poker where most lose. Communities understanding the slim odds of winning those few bids and altering course will have the upper hand. They have the upper hand because they make revitalizing and transforming their community and downtown the top priority. Companies don't relocate to cities lacking community vibrancy, and heart and soul. It is hard enough to retain workers as it is, they seek quality of life. It is critical your community make vibrancy, and heart and soul their priority in order to be relevant.

Having an understanding

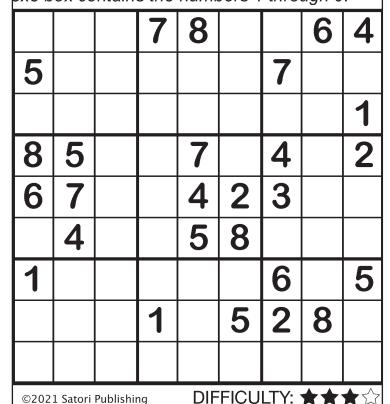
of what hyper-local means is critical. Hyper-local efforts must be led by the city. They must promote, encourage and above all, set the example. When cities purchase goods outside their community, they send a message to their residents hyper-local isn't that important. That is the nail in the coffin of communities moving forward. With city's budgets being challenged more than ever, every penny kept within the boundaries of the local community is crucial. Those dollars will recirculate over and over again providing additional jobs, sales tax and progress within the city. Cities simply must get this right. Smart candidates must understand the only way to begin solving these woes is to keep as many dollars local as possible and create a vibrant community.

Small and mid-sized cities are in the fight for their economic lives. Many aren't aware of the magnitude of the struggle or the size of the mountain they must climb to find success or respite from the economic storm. These aren't the days where a slow meandering approach is prudent. These are the days where the slow and meandering are left as a carcass on the economic road. You need leaders that understand tourism and what hyper-local really means. Find leaders that are business friendly. A vote for a candidate with those attributes is a vote

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Kathy Degrand, Baker MT	19	Black-Pair 3-5 Yo	13791725.00
Wayne / Kelly Patterson, Whitewood SD	20	Black-Pair	1724 1375.00
Joseph D & Michele Simmons, Newcastle WY			
Rod & Corrine Schaffer, Broadus MT	11	Blk/Bwf-Pair Sm	1474 1025.00
Tooke Ranch, Ekalaka MT	20	Black-Pair Nt 6-Bm	1567 1210.00
Ryan Routier, Buffalo SD	5	Black-Pair 5-7 Yo	1504 1525.00
Cactus Cattle Co, Plevna MT	6	Blk/Bwf-Pair 3-6 Yo	12041375.00
Farron E & Sheryl A Morgan, Wright WY	7	Black-Pair 3-6 Yo	13271535.00
Feeder Cattle			
S & W Livestock, Buffalo WY	68	Blk/Bwf-Yrlg Hfr Bv	617143.00
Six-Ess Ranch Llc, Ekalaka MT	19	Blk/Bwf-Yrlg Hfr	603142.00
	5	Blk/Bwf-Yrlng Str	602152.50
Cactus Cattle Co, Plevna MT	27	Black-Yrlg Hfr Bv	573148.25
	19	Black-Yrlg Hfr Bv	669135.25
Consignment From WY	15	Black-Yrlg Hfr Bv	696136.25
George Brimmer, Rozet WY	7	Blk/Bwf-Yrlg Hfr	616142.00
Tennant Ranch Inc, Camp Crook SD	7	Black-Yrlg Hfr	686135.25
Weigh Ups			
Charles Beltch, Upton WY	3	Black-Cow	70.00
Debra Rieger, Plevna MT			
Crump Land & Livestock, Gillette WY	1	Red-Hfrt	93.00

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1410......64.50

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Eric Amdahl, Moorcroft WY.....

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Mallett Cattle Co, Powderville MT				
Hines Ranch Llc, Gillette WY				
Raydelle Or Meria Sperle, Newell SD				
Minow Ranch Inc, Olive MT				
Padden Land & Cattle, Camp Crook SD				
Kady Creek Cattle, Broadus MT				
Zach & Kim Davis, Buffalo WY				
Brian W Birkley, Osage WY				
Riesland Ranch, Broadus MT				
Consignment From WY	25	Black-Cow	1307	65.50
	1	Black-Cow	1490	67.00
B & L Betz Cattle Company Inc, Clearmont WY	. 11	Black-Cow	1216	70.50
	6	Black-Hfrt	1081	97.50
Randy Hayden, Gillette WY	1	Black-Cowette	1170	78.00
<u>Bulls</u>				
Dahl Ranch Inc, Camp Crook SD				
Swenson Operating Llc, Sundance WY	1	Red-Bull Df	1795	92.00
Jason & Karen Mclennan, Belle Fourche SD	1	Black-Bull	1615	84.50
Dahl Ranch Inc, Camp Crook SD	1	Black-Bull	1915	89.50
Tim & Gayline Fortner, Broadus MT	1	Black-Bull	1975	92.00
Tennant Ranch Inc, Camp Crook SD	1	Black-Bull	1970	87.00
Bruce Ketchum, Plevna MT	2	Red-Bull	1998	94.50
Myles Gardner, Hammond MT	1	Black-Bull Df	1960	89.00
Owen Rumph, Biddle MT	1	Black-Bull	2200	91.00
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Hines Ranch Llc, Gillette WY	1	Black-Bull	2415	89.00
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#### FEEDER CATTLE, PAIR & WEIGH UP SPECIAL & TURN-OUT BULL SALE

MAY 27, 2021

**SALES TIMES** WEIGH UPS - 8:00 AM PAIRS & FEEDER CATTLE W/ BULL SALE TO **FOLLOW - 11:00 AM** 

**PAIRS** Myles Gardner-MT 113 blk mxd age pairs

blk clvs, clvs not worked, complete dispersion, 70 5-6 y/o, 30 7-8 y/o, 13 9-10 y/o

John Beardsley-MT 45 red angus hfr pairs, red clvs

John Wilkinson-MT 45 blk/red SM/BM pairs red/blk clvs, clvs not worked

**FEEDER CATTLE** Monte Snook-WY

360 blk/red mxd clvs 600-700#, PC, NHTC, SAV, poured

> **Rauth Ranch-WY** 155 blk/bwf spayed hfrs 550-650# NI, 3 rounds of shots, poured, hay fed

**McDonald Ranch-WY** 125 mxd clvs 650-750#, PC

> Darrell Ennen-SD 80 blk hfrs

675-725#, BV, PC, NI, hay fed

Monte Snook-WY 40 red angus hfrs

600-700#, BV, PC, NHTC, SAV **Sparks Herefords-MT** 

650#, BV, PC, NI, poured

25 hereford/1st x blk bldy hfrs

U3 Ranch-SD 15 mostly blk hfrs 600#, BV, PC, NI, poured

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June 3, 2021PAIR & WEIGH UP SPECIAL
June 10, 2021FEEDER CATTLE, PAIR & WEIGH UP SPECIAL
June 17, 2021PAIR & WEIGH UP SPECIAL & LOOSE HORSE SALE
June 24, 2021 FEEDER CATTLE, PAIR & WEIGH UP SPECIAL
July 1, 2021WEIGH UP SPECIAL
July 8, 2021WEIGH UP SPECIAL
July 15, 2021WEIGH UP SPECIAL & LOOSE HORSE SALE
July 22, 2021WEIGH UP & FEEDER CATTLE SPECIAL
July 29, 2021WEIGH UP & FEEDER CATTLE SPECIAL
August 5, 2021WEIGH UP SPECIAL
August 12, 2021NO SALE – STURGIS RALLY
August 19, 2021WEIGH UP & FEEDER CATTLE SPECIAL & LOOSE HORSE SALE
August 26, 2021WEIGH UP SPECIAL – SELLING ALL CLASSES

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Experience with Excel and computerized accounting systems is a plus. Preference will be given to candidates with an accounting or business degree and five years of experience in bookkeeping or accounting.

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#### **Baccalaureate Services Held** for NHS Seniors

**COLLEEN BRUNNER** 

news@bellefourchebeacon.com

NEWELL - Seventeen of the 19 graduates of Newell High School, plus one homeschooled student, were celebrated with a Baccalaureate supper and service at Newell Christian Fellowship church on Wednesday, May 19, just three days prior to the time when the 100th Class of NHS will walk across the stage to receive their diplomas.

The event sponsored by the church included a lasagna supper for the graduates and their families as well as a cake with each graduate's name. This was followed by a musical, scripture and message from Pastor Derrek Anderson, Emylee Hencey, Abby Finn and Jennifer Stomprud.

Graduates honored included: Ryan Hohenberger, Elijah Stomprud, Sidney Leber, Wyatt Winkler, David Morell, Brad Baker, Mick King, Sarah Wallace, Neuly and MaKaLee Mahaffy, Kassidy Weeldreyer, Lexa Burtzlaff, Shayley and Chase Dirk, Kayden Steele, Sam Rounds, Braidy Nelson, and Devin Ward.

The ceremony began with three special music songs by Hencey, Finn and Stomprud. Elijah Stomprud share Psalm 95:1-7 with his fellow gradu-

Anderson shared from I Timothy 4:12, "Let no one despise you for your youth, set a good example." He shared three principles with the graduates.

Position-God has designed and intends for us to do specific things, where He places us.

'Stand firm and do what you know is right," said Anderson.
"Set goals and determine to accomplish them."

Presentation-"How you present yourself to the world makes you more appealing and apt to try and see, and succeed," he said. "The world will see what type of person you are."

Proclamation-Doing the right thing no matter what, and live up to the plan and purpose God has for you. Anderson shared Jeremiah 29:11 and Jeremiah 33:3 with the graduates as a challenge to always follow the plan God has.

#### NEWELL SCHOOL **OPENINGS**

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## 100th NHS Graduating Class



Class of 2021 for Newell High School. Back row from left: Elijah Stomprud, Wyatt Wright, Brad Baker, Hunter Charles, Mick King, Neuly Mahaffy, Devin Ward, Ryan Hohenberger, David Morell, Chase Dirk, Sam Rounds, Sidney Leber. Front row from left: Madison Miller, Lizzy Philipsen, Shaley Dirk, Kassidy Weeldreyer, Kayden Steele, Sarah Wallace, Braidy Nelson, MaKaLee Mahaffy and Lexa Burtzlaff. - Brunner photo

## A Century in the Making

**COLLEEN BRUNNER** 

news@bellefourchebeacon.com

NEWELL – It took 100 years, since the first class received diplomas from Newell High School in 1921, for the Class of 2021 to become the centennial class. In their eyes however, the wait was worth it. The topic was touched on by both the valedictorian Shayley Mahaffy, salutatorian Kassidy Weeldreyer, keynote speaker Steve Schoenfish, Superintendent Andrew Fergen and in photos taken with a banner presented to the class from the SD National Guard for the occasion.

"This is a major milestone for the class, being the 100th class to graduate from this school," said Fergen.

Schoenfish said the class had asked him to be their speaker and he was honored and felt privileged to do so. He did say he felt a certain amount of pressure until they jokingly

told him he was their third choice.

"I want to share 20 different things that I have shared through the years we have been together here at the school," said the principal. "Well, maybe I'll narrow it to three."

He said the students shouldn't be afraid to fail, that they shouldn't be so cautious about life that they never do. He also said they should embrace future challenges, even if that meant they would later become a high school principal. Finally, he said they should surround themselves with good people.

"Don't listen to the nay-sayers," he said. "Define yourself, don't let anyone else do that for you. The tools you have gained here are not the diploma, but the knowledge and skills you have earned."

Weeldreyer noted that after 13 years, "they did it," meaning they got through the classes and tests and came to graduation. She thanked parents, teachers and coaches and finally her friends and teammates.



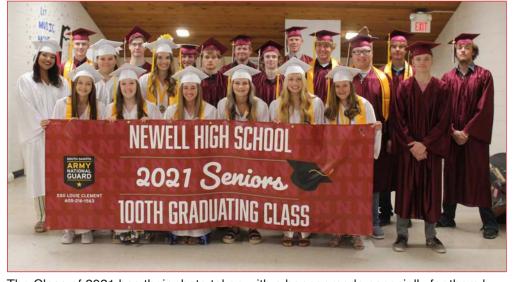
Salutatorian Kassidy Weeldryer and Valedictorian Shayley Mahaffy enjoy a final hug before they give their speeches, grab their diploma and depart the halls of NHS for the final time. - Brunner

Dirk said that everything they felt was important had finally become a reality. Her advice to those who follow was that they were starting an new era and would be able to begin a new century of memories.

In her parting words, Dirk was encouraged by her father Scott to share words of Henry Ford. "If you think you can, you can. If you think you can't, you can't. Either way, you are right."

Following the presentation of diploma's, Superintendent Fergen presented the graduated Class of 2021.

The 100th class of NHS went outside to be congratulated by family and friends before heading off to individual celebrations.



The Class of 2021 has their photo taken with a banner made especially for them by the SD Army National Guard, recognizing the fact that they are the 100th class to graduate from NHS. - Brunner photo

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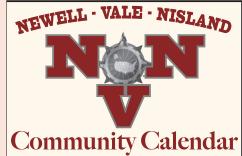
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If you have events for the calendar, please contact Colleen Brunner at colleenkbrunner@gmail.com.

May 26/27: Little Gator Basketball Camp, Vale Cemetery Association Clean-Up Day at 10 a.m. All help is appreciated. For more info contact Gail Knutson, Secretary.



6 p.m. at city offices; School board meeting 6 p.m. in multipurpose room; Butte/Lawrence County Fairboard meeting, 6:30 at the fairgrounds.

June 7/8: Golf-State Tournament at Brookings all day.

June 7-11: 4-H Teen Leadership Conference, TBD.

June 7-9 & 10-12: 4-H Camp at Storm Mountain

June 9: Vale Community Club: Bingo night at 7 p.m. at the hall. Kitty worth \$144, Jackpot worth \$235.

June 13: Vale Community Get-together. 12:30 p.m. Pot Luck, bring a dish to share; Butte/Lawrence Jr. Leaders, 4:30-6 at the Spearfish Park under picnic shelter behind Pavilion. After the meeting the plan is to go and hike Devil's Bathtub.

June 15: Deadline for 4-H to enter the Heifer for 4-H program. Submit an essay to Mackaben Family, 18981 Helmer Rd, Belle Fourche SD 577

INFO FOR Butte/Lawrence County Fair: theme colors are red, white and blue and theme is Centennial-100th Anniversary.

May 28/29: HSTR-State Meet at Rapid City all day; Youth in Action 4-H Public Presentations-Whitewood TBD, 9-12, call the extension office to set up a time slot.

May 31: Butte/Lawrence Co 4-H Office closed, Memorial Day; Deadline to enroll in 4-H Online to Participate in State Events.

June 1: County Commission meeting, 9:30 a.m. at courthouse-2nd floor commissioner room; 4-H horse from/achievement form due in 4-H Online; 4-H Dog Project ID affidavit and Vaccination verification due in 4-H Online, Livestock Ownership verification due in 4-H Online; all animal species to be entered into v2.4online.com.

June 2&3: 16th annual Soil Days and 37th annual Rangeland Days, Murdo SD.

June 4&5: Art in the Barn-Meade Co. Fairbarn, Sturgis.

June 7: Newell City Commission meeting

## **Three Teachers Retire from Newell Schools**



Paula Reedy, Peggy Reichert, and Meg English said their goodbyes to the students at Newell School Monday. Reedy has taught Art to sixth through 12th grades. Reichert has been the Third Grade teacher and English has been the English II, III, and IV teacher. - Courtesy photo

### **NHS Baccalaureate**



NHS graduates, plus one home-schooled student, were honored at a baccalaureate service at the Newell Christian Fellowship church on Wednesday, May 19. Front row from left: Shaley Dirk, Braidy Nelson, Kayden Steele, Lexa Burtzlaff, Neuly Mahaffy, Kassidy Weeldreyer, MaKaLee Mahaffy, Sarah Wallace. Second row from left: Chase Dirk, Brad Baker, David Morell, Wyatt Winkler, Mick King, Sam Rounds, Sidney Leber and Elijah Stomprud. Third row: Ryan Hohenberger. Not pictured Devin Ward. - Brunner photo



There were 12 NHS students who donated blood during their high school careers. Sarah Wallace was noted as having donating seven times and Wyatt Wright was noted for donating six times. Other students that were recognized were Brad Baker, Lexa Burtzlaff, Shayley Dirk, Ryan Hohenberger, MaKaLee Mahaffy, Neuly Mahaffey, David Morell, Kayden Steele, Elijah Stomprud, and Kassidy Weeldreyer. - Betty Bruner photo

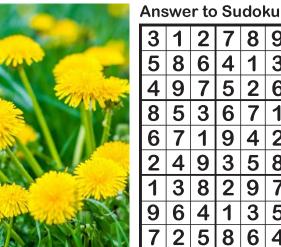




#### Solutions to Puzzles on B7



PREVIOUS SOLUTION: "It never occurs to some politicians that Lincoln is worth imitating as well as quoting." — Author Unknown



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#### **NHS Senior Awards**



Elijah Stomprud received the Build Dakota Scholarship from Mr. Kapelewski. The scholarship is a full ride to a South Dakota Technical College. - Betty Bruner Photo





(Above left) Sarah Wallace received the Bill Lindsey Memorial Scholarship from Kathy Lamphere who was representing the Lindsey family. (Above right) Kassidy Weeldreyer, Shayley Dirk, and David Morell received high math honors from Jessica McGregor. -Betty Bruner Photo



Jennifer Stomprud presented Kira Stomprud and Bailee Yule with recognition for their outstanding work in the music department. (Not pictured) Also, Hailey McCann received top honors for her art work in Middle School from Paula Reed. - Betty **Bruner Photo** 



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## Then and Now in Newell

#### "Looking Forward to our Past" by Linda Velder

#### May 25, 1911

The "Town & Community Club" is the latest in Newell. It is an organization of FFV and has about 30 members, the object of which is to develop the manly arts. Ground is being prepared for a double tennis court. New golf links will be added a bit later. The officers are: President Dr. Clement, Secretary O. O'Farrell and Treasurer E.S. Hartwell.

S.C. Berry has been surveying ditches for Messers Holst, Baeton and Pettis in the Empire District. The past week, Mr. MacKrell has been helping Berry on his own ranch.

Vote for the "Herd Law" and improve the country as some honyockers are afraid to leave their shacks if they can see cattle near. Some report they have been chased by cattle. The question is which is the harder, for the ranchers to ride around and look after them or for the people to lock themselves in shacks to avoid being chased over the country by rouge cattle.

#### May 26, 1921

Circuit Court has been grinding for nearly 2 weeks at Belle Fourche and several cases have been disposed of. Several booze cases have been through the mill and taken their medicine. Perhaps the most attention has been attracted by the case of State vs O.H. Clark, the defendant having been found guilty. Up to date, sentence has not been pronounced. George Maass and Ed. Holler are among the local men serving on the jury this week.

Evening services at the M.E. Church at 8 PM will show "The Pioneer Trail". This is a wonderful pictorial service showing conditions that the Pioneers of the Middle-west have gone through with and are at present time. "The Pioneer Trail" has created much interest in the churches of the east and we feel glad to have been able to secure its release for Newell. Special music will accompany this program.

It was one of the first spring days and little Elizabeth, age 4, who had been playing with some neighbor children, rushed into the house and throwing herself across her mother's lap exclaimed: "Oh Momma, take off some of my clothes. I am whole petticoat too warm.'

#### May 28, 1931

Information has been received here that Fort Meade, near Sturgis, will not be abandoned as a result of President Hoover's economy program. Headquarters of the 7th Army Corps learned today that Fort Lincoln near Bismarck, North Dakota, will be completely abandoned. This is the only

fort to be abandoned in the 7th Corps area, the information said.

electric drills once more reverberates through the peaceful Black Hills area. Work of carving the gigantic memorial monument on the Face of Mt. Rushmore has been started again with another spring. The head and face of George Washington, dominating figure in the group which will honor 4 Presidents, already clearly discernable and this summer the head of Thomas Jefferson will be "roughed out" and work started on the head of Abraham Lincoln. Theodore Roosevelt, the 4th hero figure, will probably be left for another summer's

Johnny Perrett, well known prospector and placer miner of the Potato Gulch country near Tinton, recently found a gold nugget in his workings that is worth about \$150. Perrett has found several gold nuggets of the unusual size in his prospecting, one of which has been placed in the Adams Museum at Deadwood. The last one found was oval in shape and an unusually fine nugget.

#### May 29, 1941

Miss Orpha Thornton and Mrs. Jennie Thornton accompanied by Misses Geneva Daum and Catherine Davis, all instructors at Newell Schools, left Wednesday morning for their homes, the former two are going to Canton, Miss Daum to Arlington and Miss Davis to

Beverly Jean Richards, Christine Gwendolyn Glover and Harlan Nathan Robbins were baptized by Rev. Van-Vactor at the regular worship service at the Congregational-Methodist Church Sunday.

Keeping pace with the goal their 5-year liquidation program has set, the rural credits department last week returned

The rattle and roar of big

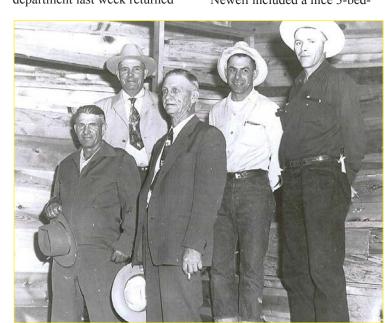
## Then 'n' Now in Newell -

7,054 acres of state-owned land to private ownership. The land sold, nearly 70% of which was located west of Moreau River brought the state \$28,730. Average price per acre was \$4.07.

#### May 31, 1951

Judge & Mrs. Frank Gladstone and grand daughter, Lennie Gladstone of Lemmon and Attorney & Mrs. Scotty Gladstone and daughter of Sundance were Sunday visitors at the Lyn Gladstone home. The former had come down Saturday and attended a District Meeting of the US Spanish War Veterans & Auxiliary Sunday at Spearfish after visiting overnight in Sundance.

New homes appearing in Newell included a nice 3-bed-



Newell Livestock Sale Barn Officers: Albert Cram, Ray Bush, Matt Hafner, Chris Arpan, Edward Yoder

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### **Grand River Roundup**

**BETTY OLSON** news@bellefourchebeacon.com

We got a lot of much needed rain! We were going to have the church and cemetery clean up at Slim Buttes Lutheran church on Friday, but the rain postponed that.

It was foggy here Monday morning when Missy left to take her mother to Bismarck for a doctor checkup. Taz took the payloader over to Cow Camp at Lodgepole to help Casey put in the two new water tanks that he brought home from Buffalo that day. They are getting ready to take some cows over there soon.

Casey and Taz joined a bunch of other guys to help on the addition to the church Tuesday morning and then they went back over to Cow Camp to finish putting in the water tanks. Reub and I made a trip to Hettinger for supplies that afternoon.

It was really windy on Wednesday when Taz took a couple horses to the vet. Casey hauled the dry ewes to the sale barn at Newell that morning and I watered all the gardens again and set out my potted flowers. I joined a big crowd at Prairie City for Rebekah Burkhalter's bridal shower that evening. She got a lot of good gifts.

Casey and Taz sorted off some cows that they will take to Cow Camp and treated some sick calves. Casey and Taz moved cows on Friday and Missy went over to pick them and their horses up to bring them home.

Reub and I joined a big crowd of friends and neighbors for our old friend Kevin VanSlooten's funeral at the Holland Center church on Saturday. Kevin passed away on December 30, 2019 and his ashes were laid to rest next to his parents and our dear friends, Ted and Lila (Eggebo) VanSlooten. My mother, Lila (Wilkinson) White grew up with Lila and her siblings. The Eggebo kids had lost their mother and Mom's family had lost their father so they grew close as they helped each other.

I drove to Bison after Kevin's funeral for the Women's Rally at the K-T café with state legislators and former legislators. Sen. Ryan Maher, Rep. Sam Marty, former Rep. Della Wishard and I came to let the people that came know what the

> legislature is dealing with. I brought a copy of the 1776 Pledge to Save Our Schools that Gov. Kristi Noem signed. The 1776 Pledge to Save Our Schools for citizens and political candidates reads:

As a citizen, I believe that: \* The United States of America is an exceptional nation whose people have always strived to form a more perfect union based upon our founding principles.

\* Our Founding Fathers – including George Washington and Thomas Jefferson – as well as leaders like Abraham Lincoln, Frederick Douglass and Rev. Martin Luther King, Jr. were among the greatest Americans to ever live, and they deserve to

be honored as heroes. \* Our children and grandchildren should be taught to take pride in their country, to respect our founding principles of liberty and equality, and to have a sense of American history that is both truthful and inspiring. \* Civics education should focus on the serious study of our founding documents and principles – not coerce students into engaging in extracurricular political action on behalf of contemporary policy positions. \* Our young people should be taught to view one another not according to race or gender, but as individuals made in the

image of God. \* Teaching children to hate their country and each other is immoral and deeply harmful to our society and must be stopped.

THEREFORE, I PLEDGE to help replace elected officials, school board members, education commissioners, principals, deans, and university presidents who promote a false, divisive, and radical view of America and our fellow citizens with new leaders who respect our history, our values, our rights,

room house moved in last week

next to D.R. Richards on 3rd

Street, by Mr. & Mrs. Earl Al-

exander who have moved here

from Vale, another constructed

by Mr. & Mrs. Ted Renelt along

South Dartmouth Ave. and Mr.

& Mrs. Alfred Burke on South

Fisk Ave. Other improvements

include the redecorating of the

Store and the adjacent building

community is the new Newell

Livestock Exchange, what will

sale yards in western South Da-

be the most modern livestock

kota, which is being rushed to

completion for a June opening.

Also, works being rushed are:

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and brand inspection offices; a

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May 25, 1961

R.D. Long of Newell re-

entire area and the latest type

interior finishing; loading &

Of major importance in the

Marquee of the Arcade The-

ater, the front of the Variety

owned by E. Muotka.

and the God-given dignity of every person.

Sen. Ryan Maher sits on the Appropriations Committee and Sen. Maher, Rep. Liz Marty May and others on the Joint Appropriations Committee are blocking the Action Civics and Critical Race Theory until these liberal policies can be ruled on in the 2022 legislature.

Reub and I went to Scranton Sunday afternoon for Samantha Oase's graduation. Sam is the granddaughter of Reub's cousin Judy (Lenerville) Robertson and is not only brilliant as a co-valedictorian with a 4.0 average, but is an outstanding basketball and volleyball player. We drove through a gully-washer rain all the way home that left almost an inch and a half in the rain gauge!

The Community Hymn Sing will be next Sunday, May 30, at the Grace Bible Fellowship Church in Bison at 7:00pm.

Monday, May 31 is Memorial Day and I'll leave you with this in honor of our veterans: 1. Don't wish me a Happy Memorial Day. There is nothing happy about brave men and women dying while in combat for their country.

2. It's not a holiday. It's a remembrance, not an excuse to have a mattress sale.

3. If you want to know the true meaning, visit Arlington or your local VA, not Disneyworld. 4. Don't tell me how great any one political power is. Tell me about Chesty Puller, George Patton, John Basilone, Dakota Meyer, Kyle Carpenter, Mitchell Paige, Ira Hayes, Chris Kyle, Audie Murphy and any other heroes too numerous to name. If you don't know who these people are...look them up. Attend a Bell Ceremony and shed some tears.

5. Say a prayer... and then another.

6. Remember the Fallen for all the good they did while they were here.

7. Reach out and let a Vet know you're there, we're losing too many in "peace".

8, Go to work and fight for the rights of Vets who are not getting the simplest courtesies, like proper care from the VA.

#### from the Newell Museum

viewed the history of Vale at a special assembly of the students of the Vale School Monday afternoon. The program climaxed a study being conducted in the 4th and 5th grades on South Dakota History under direction of the teacher, Mrs. Roy Wood. The 7th and 8th students were guests for the occasion.

Participating in the 4th Annual S D Jr. Sheep Shearing program at Brookings May 13 were: Kenneth Klein Watertown; George B. Boe Vale; Maurice Mulenburg Bancroft; Dennis W. Chowen Vale and LuVerne Anders Sorum. Chowen was named the state winner and will be eligible for the National contest at the Indiana State Fair at Indianapolis in September. His time of 7.05 minutes for shearing a sheep won him the title. Any SD boy between 14 and 21 years was eligible.

The option junction of US 212 & SD 79, 3 miles south of Newell also became the "sweetest" shortly afternoon last Friday, when a truck belonging to the Farmers-Ranchers Coop of Belle Fourche overturned there, spilling the contents across the highway in 2 directions. The mishap occurred as the truck, heading west in 212, turned to the south on 79, and its tank shifted, tipping the vehicle. Damage to the truck was minor and the driver was uninjured. However, local state highway maintenance employees had to sand across both highways as the sweetening – the molasses – made the bituminous surfacing very slick.

Darwin Brink, Fairpoint won all-around cowboy honors and Betty Jane Nelson, Sturgis all-around cowgirl honors at the Regional High School Rodeo at Sturgis Saturday and Sunday. Susan Mackey was crowned queen of the rodeo. Brink won 1st place honors in saddle bronc riding while Jerry Golliher of Hoover won 1st in saddle cutting.



Momma, too many petticoats for Althea M. Trudr, 3/1/2 years old



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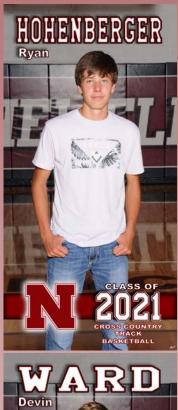






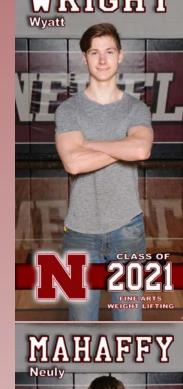
































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