

Schwieterman Market Outlook

A marketing commentary by Bret Crotts

Tuesday was the July supply and demand report, but that definitely took a back seat to the weather. There really wasn't much market-moving information in the supply and demand report and the production figures could still be altered significantly by the weather.

As of Friday afternoon it appears that there will be a long hot, dry stretch in the Corn Belt beginning Wednesday or Thursday. Most forecasts agree on that, but where the disagreement comes in is regarding how high the temperatures get and how long they last. Temperatures in the low 90s won't have much of an impact, even if it is dry, but temperatures in the mid to upper nineties, especially for a prolonged period, can do significant damage to vield potential.

Confusing the potentially threatening weather story is that fact that crop condition ratings improved in the last report, with the corn gaining one point at 76% Good to



Excellent and the soybeans gaining one point coming in at 71% Good to Excellent. Despite many complaints about the lack of moisture in some areas this growing season, and despite a relatively hot June for the United States as a whole, the crop looks great. Mostly likely there won't be a drop in the condition ratings in the July 18th report because the weather has been pretty good, and there might not even be much change on the 25th because the heat isn't supposed to come until late in the week.

Judging by Thursday and Friday's market action, traders aren't too concerned about the impending heat. Most folks probably want to see the Sunday night forecasts before they get too excited about chasing after this market. After all, if we don't have a weather problem to disrupt corn production, then we are sitting on a very large pile of corn and wheat, and those markets are probably overvalued.

The soybean market still has the greatest upside potential. August weather can greatly impact soybean production and USDA is still significantly underestimating demand. We can easily see an ending stocks estimate under 200 million even without a weather problem, but with a yield reduction we can add several dollars to the price of soybeans

There is still nothing positive to report for the cattle market. We see glimmers of hope from time to time, but that is it. The market is still in a down trend and there is no indication that we are near that changing. Rallies are to be sold for the time being. The next downside objective for the October live cattle is the \$104 area.

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House approves Chairman Roberts **Agriculture Biotechnology bill**

U.S. Senator Pat Roberts, R-Kan., Chairman of the Senate Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry, announced on Friday his landmark legislation to protect the use of agriculture biotechnology and to ensure consumers have greater access to food information was approved by the U.S. House of Representatives and now heads to the President's desk to be signed into law.

The bipartisan legislation, S.764, crafted by Chairman Roberts and Ranking Member Debbie Stabenow, D-Mich., was approved by the House on a 306-117 vote.

"I'm pleased that Members of the House sided with sound science and the American farmer," said Chairman Roberts. "In the course of negotiating this legislation for nearly a year, I am proud this work brought together the largest coalition of agriculture and food groups ever. Over 1,000 organizations joined me in putting the farmer and rancher first.

"In the past, many of these organizations were at odds when crafting farm bills or other agriculture policy priorities. The strong and unified support for our bill among these agriculture groups proves that we put forward a sound solution to biotechnology disclosure, but most important, it shows what can be accomplished for farmers when agriculture speaks with one voice. At a time when agriculture biotechnology is fulfilling an increasingly critical role meeting world demand for food, agriculture must speak with one voice to confront misinformation about its practices and operations.

"I have said this is the most important food and agriculture policy debate of the last 20 years. I am confident we have put forward a comprehensive solution that considers all aspects of our food production and delivery system while keeping the consumer top of mind.

"I am proud of this solution and the bipartisan example we have set for future agriculture policy discussions. I'm grateful for the leadership of fellow Kan-san, Congressman Mike Pompeo, and House Agriculture Committee Chairman Mike Conaway in getting this across the finish line in the House and for the partnership of Senator Debbie Stabenow.

"Averting a confusing patchwork of state labeling mandates serves the American economy, farmers and ranchers, and con-

Harris receives State Proficiency **Award at FFA Convention**

A member of the Chapman FFA chapter was recognized for having one of the best career development programs in the state at the 88th Kansas FFA State Convention, June 1-3, 2016, on the Kansas State University campus.

Natalie Harris received a State FFA Proficiency Award in Grain Production Entrepreneurship during the convention for outstanding accomplishments she has made in developing programs that will prepare her for a career in agriculture. This award is sponsored by the Kansas Wheat Commission.

The proficiency award program recognizes students for exceptional accomplishments and excellence in a Supervised Agricultural Experience (SAE) program. This program allows students to set goals and gain real-world experience in a chosen area of the agricul-

After growing up with an interest in her family operation, Harris started her own farming career by cash renting a 7.7-acre field that she planted into wheat. She has now transitioned into renting out an 80-acre field that she planted into 32.2 acres of grain sorghum and 41.2 acres of wheat. Through this endeavor she has learned how to make the best management decisions for her crops. In addition, Harris also organized a county wheat test plot which allows Extension agents in her area to monitor different wheat varieties and how they grow in the area.

Natalie's parents are Kevin and Rosemary Harris. Her advisors are Johanna Ryckert and Alex Jost.

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For our sale Friday, July 15 unweaned fall calves were selling on a lower trend. Stocker feeder steers & heifers sold \$2 to \$3 lower. Cull cows sold \$2-\$4 lower on the kind offered.

STEER CALVES - 450-550 LBS.

Summerfield	7 blk	470@181.00			
Alta Vista	2 blk	480@171.00			
Mayetta	2 blk	482@168.00			
Lebo	2 blk	505@168.00			
FEEDER STEERS— 550-1,000 LBS.					
Blue Rapids	5 blk	568@168.00			
Grantville	25 blk	567@157.50			
Corning	5 blk	556@150.50			
Manhattan	6 blk	581@149.25			
Blue Rapids	7 blk	640@148.50			
Alta Vista	8 blk	623@146.00			
Mayetta	10 blk	677@140.50			
Manhattan	14 xbred	682@138.50			
Allen	3 blk	673@138.50			
Alma	4 blk	650@137.50			
Baileyville	8 blk	680@137.00			
Manhattan	16 xbred	802@134.25			
Mayetta	4 xbred	802@130.50			
Onaga	63 Hereford	991@128.25			
Leavenworth	5 xbred	800@117.50			
Blaine	3 xbred	506@95.50			

12 Holstein

HEIFER CALVES - 450-550 LBS.

5 Holstein

3 xbred

3 blk

Onaga	31 blk	849@131.25
Alta Vista	3 blk	621@130.00
Grantville	4 char	655@128.25
Mayetta	7 blk	688@127.50
Alma	3 blk	665@127.50
Onaga	3 blk	748@127.50
Baileyville	10 blk	700@126.50
	FERETTES — 9	
Olsburg	1 blk	1055@122.00
Westmoreland		1190@99.50
Randolph	1 blk	900@90.00
Wamego	1 blk	1030@83.00
Westmoreland	1 blk	1000@78.00
McLouth	1 blk	1465@77.50
Goff	1 blk	1550@77.00
Onaga	1 blk	1405@76.50
St. George	1 blk	1175@76.50
Barnes	1 bwf	1165@76.00
White City	1 blk	1440@75.50
Barnes	1 blk	1065@75.00
Onaga	1 blk	1415@74.50
Onaga	1 blk	1285@74.50
Hiawatha	1 blk	1210@74.00
Wamego	1 blk	1250@74.00

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Hereford & Angus strs. Sired by Hug Hereford & Oleen Angus bulls. Weaned 40 days. Wormed & poured April 22. 2 rds shots March & April

CONSIGNMENTS FOR JULY 22: 100 Choice Holstein strs, coming off grass, all shots. 60 will weigh 675-800 lbs. 40 will weigh 525-550 lbs.

42 homeraised blk strs & hfrs, no implants, green, longtime weaned, 2 rds shots, 550-600

30 Angus, mostly strs & hfrs, 1 complete rd shots, 550-650 lbs. 25 Choice Holstein strs, 450-500

21 Angus mostly strs & hfrs, 600-750 lbs.

19 blk strs & hfrs, longtime weaned, 650, 750 lbs.

10 blk strs & hfrs, longtime weaned, 2 rds shots, 625-675

5 Holstein strs, 650-750 lbs. |5 Jersey strs, 400-450 lbs.

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Grass & Grain Area Obituary

JACK CARTER "Trey" ALLEN III

Jack Carter "Trey" Allen III, 45, of the McDowell Creek Community, Manhattan, Kansas, passed away peacefully with his parents present, July 7, 2016. Trey battled Multiple Myeloma cancer since 2013.

Trey was born January 20, 1971 in Richardson Texas, the son of Jack Carter Allen Jr. and Tana (Davis/Wiggins) Gasparek. He went to grade school in Claude, Texas; attended Cal Farley's Boys Ranch, Amarillo, Texas 1983-1988;



and graduated from Claude High School in 1989. For some twenty years and change, Jack "Trey" Allen wrote and recited cowboy poetry. He started out gathering intel early in life as a bullrider/bullfighter and graduated to shoeing horses and starting colts. To those in the know, this should explain a great deal. At the point he began his family, however, the conclusion was reached that three meals a week and Copenhagen made less than desirable home conditions and he settled into a real job near the present-day metropolis of Hooker, Oklahoma. While earning a regular paycheck, he kept his hand turned at colts and shoeing, day working, and so on. It was during this time he became intimate with a little known group called "Corporate America." Thirteen years of that and he packed his family up, headed for the mountains of south central Colorado, near Canon City, and became a full-time cowboy for the rest of his life. In 2006, he moved to Kansas and for 10 years he managed the Moyer Ranch in the northern Flints Hills of Kansas, south of Manhattan, Kansas.

Trey performed cowboy poetry from the Gulf Coast of Alabama to North Dakota and from Missouri to Utah. He was one of four event winners at the first Cowboy Poetry Rodeo and was purty fortunate in subsequent National Cowboy Poetry Rodeo events. In 2011, Kansas hosted its first annual State Cowboy Poetry competition, and a win there offered Trey the opportunity to perform for the "Gubernatorial Entourage" at the Symphony of the Flint Hills, Alma Kansas, in front of Governor Sam Brownback; he considered that a career highlight. The Durango Cowboy Poetry Gathering in Colorado and the Cochise Cowboy Poetry & Music Gathering in Sierra Vista, Colorado, were among his favorite gatherings to perform, along with local Kansas Livestock Association meetings.

Trey could always be seen wearing his trademark pink tall tops, colorful shirt and just as colorful wild rag on stage. His girls would call him "The Skittles cowboy." Trey titled himself as "Cowboy Poet, Humorist, Surveyor of Kingdoms, and Practitioner of Quality, Truth and Improvement.

Trey was past president of the Kansas Livestock Association, local chapter in Junction City, Kansas.

Trey is survived by his wife, Janice (Hannagan) Allen, Manhattan, Kansas; three daughters, Shandee, Edmond, Oklahoma, and Lara and Tera M., Cushing, Oklahoma; two step children, Jenna and Colton, Manhattan, Kansas; mother, Tana (Davis/Wiggins) Gasparek, Tres Piedras, New Mexico; step father (the man Trey called dad) Dee Aduddell and his wife Ronda, Claude, Texas; sisters Tera J. Ingram, Emporia, Kansas and Shana Aduddell, Amarillo, Texas; two brothers, Cody Aduddell, Claude, Texas and Seth Aduddell, Amarillo, Texas; two nephews, Tough Medina, Emporia, Kansas and Trenton Richey, Pampa, Texas; a favorite niece, Evelyn Aduddell, Claude, Texas; along with all his brothers from Cal Farley's Boys

Ranch in Amarillo, Texas and all his numerous cowboy poet friends. Trey was preceded in death by his father Jack Carter Allen Jr.,

Trey's wish was to have his three girls take a road trip to scatter his ashes at all the ranches where he was employed and where he

There will be a celebration of life, or as Trey would call, it a "shindig," later this fall at the McDowell Creek Community Center, Manhattan, Kansas. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to "Allen Girls' College Fund," 15601 Hannagan Road, Manhattan KS 66502. Their education was very important to him.



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Kansas Hay Market Report

Hay trade activity slow. Demand light to moderate for grinding alfalfa and light for all other classes of hay. Prices generally steady. Kansas continues to see rain, thunderstorms and even a tornado across the state, making it difficult to get the hay and wheat crops out of the fields. The quality of alfalfa has been reduced due to the abundant precipitation, heat and humidity. According to the U.S. Drought Monitor, the 1.5-2.5 inches of rain that fell in northern Kansas was enough to erase the D0 conditions in Smith and Jewell County. However, western Kansas missed some of the rain, causing D0 conditions to be added to Graham and Rooks County. Surplus rains eliminated much of the D0 in eastern Kansas. The NASS Kansas Crop Progress and Condition report for the week ending July 10, 2016 has alfalfa hay conditions at 1 pct Very Poor, 5 pct Poor, 32 pct Fair, 57 pct Good, and 5 pct Excellent. Alfalfa hay second cutting is 69 pct complete, near 73 pct last year, and behind 76 pct average. If you have hay for sale, pasture to rent or need hay and/or grazing, use the services of the Hay and Exchange: Pasture www.kfb.org/ commodities/haypasture/index.html

Southwest Kansas

Dairy alfalfa, alfalfa ground and delivered, grinding alfalfa up slightly, movement slow. Alfalfa: Horse, small squares 220.00-250.00, new crop first cutting, mid and large squares 135.00-145.00. Dairy, .75-.85/point RFV, Supreme $130.00\text{-}160.00, \ \ Premium \ \ 120.00\text{-}155.00, \ \ Good \ \ 105.00\text{-}145.00.$ Stock or Dry Cow alfalfa, old crop 80.00-100.00. An instance of new crop, mid squares, 140.00. Fair/Good grinding alfalfa, 65.00-80.00. Ground and delivered locally to feedlots and dairies, 100.00-120.00, mostly 100.00-105.00. The week of 7/3-7/9 9.379T of grinding alfalfa and 850T of dairy alfalfa were delivered. Corn stalks, ground and delivered 80.00-85.00.

South Central Kansas

Dairy alfalfa, alfalfa pellets, alfalfa ground and delivered steady, grinding alfalfa up slightly, movement slow. Alfalfa: Dairy, .70-.85/point RFV, Supreme 130.00-155.00, Premium 120.00-155.00, Good 100.00-145.00, Stock cow alfalfa. 120.00-140.00. Fair/Good grinding alfalfa 60.00-75.00, 80.00-90.00 delivered locally, 50.00-60.00 edge of the field. Ground and delivered locally to feedlots 100.00-115.00, mostly $100.00\text{-}105.00. \ \ \,$ The week of 7/3-7/9, 4,465T of grinding alfalfa and 1,173T of dairy alfalfa were delivered. Alfalfa pellets: Sun Cured 15 pct protein 140.00-145.00, 17 pct protein 150.00-165.00, Dehydrated 17 pct 220.00-230.00. Grass hay: bluestem, mid squares none reported, large rounds none reported. Corn stalks, ground and delivered 55.00-65.00. Rye grass, large rounds 60.00-65.00. Straw, large rounds, 50.00-60.00

Southeast Kansas

Alfalfa, brome, prairie hay steady, movement slow. Alfalfa: Horse or Goat, mid squares 250.00-265.00, small squares 265.00. Dairy and Stock Cow .80 to .95/point RFV. Good grinding alfalfa none reported. Ground and delivered, old crop, 80.00-85.00. Grass hay: bluestem, small squares 100.00-110.00. Good, mid and large squares 65.00-80.00, 85.00-90.00 delivered, large rounds 50.00-55.00. Brome: small squares 130.00-135.00. Good, mid and large squares, new crop 75.00-85.00, large rounds, new crop 60.00-70.00. Straw, mid squares 50.00-60.00. Grass Mulch, large rounds 40.00-50.00. Fescue, new crop rounds 20.00-30.00 delivered locally.

Northwest Kansas

Dairy alfalfa, grinding alfalfa steady, movement slow. Alfalfa: Horse/Goat, small squares 225.00-275.00 delivered locally. Dairy, Premium/Supreme .80-1.00/point RFV. Stock cow, fair/good 100.00-120.00. Good, large rounds 80.00-90.00. Fair, grinding alfalfa 65.00-75.00. Ground and delivered locally to feedlots and dairies 100.00-110.00.

SATURDAY, JULY 30 — 9:30 AM (BE ON TIME - NO SMALL ITEMS)

Offering for sale at Public Auction, located at 545 14th Ave. McPherson, KS from McPherson, KS 7 1/2 miles south or from the 4-way stop in Moundridge, KS 8 miles west & 3 1/2 miles

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Emerge Vacumeter 8 row planter, plates; John Deere 853A row crop head; 2010 John Deere HX15 15' batwing mower, new never used; E-Z Trail 3400 400 bu. gravity wagon, 6" drill fill auger; 2001 Sunflower 11' chop chisel, 5 bar spike harrow; 1993 Great Plains Solid Stand 24' 2 sec. folding drill, 8" spacing, 500 acres on new discs, markers 10,968 acres; King Kutter 7' 3 pt. blade: Land Pride RCR2672 6' 3 pt. rotary mower; Ford 7' 3 pt. sickle mower; 4x8 single axle expanded metal trailer drop deck; 2007 Polaris Hawk eye 2x4 4 wheeler; 300 & 500 gal. fuel tanks & stands; 100 gal. fuel tank & hand pump; Craftsman air compressor; Du racraft 3/4" socket set; Avery jacks; log chains; tow ropes forks; shovels; adj. & pipe wrenches; oil & grease; files rasps; car ramps; shelving; old wooden cabinet: HJC helmet measuring wheel; end wrench es; & more.

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North Central-**Northeast Kansas**

Dairy alfalfa, grinding alfalfa, prairie hay and brome steady, movement slow. Alfalfa: Dairy .80-1.00/point RFV, Supreme 150.00-210.00. Premium 140.00-185.00, Good 120.00-170.00, small squares 200.00-210.00. Stock Cow, good 100.00-140.00. Fair/Good, grinding alfalfa 70.00-80.00, utility/fair, large rounds 55.00-60.00. Ground and delivered 100.00-120.00. Grass hay: bluestem, small squares 6.00/bale delivered locally, large squares 70.00-85.00, large rounds 60.00-70.00. Brome: Good, small squares 7.00/bale, 120.00-145.00/T, mid squares 100.00-120.00, large squares 110.00-120.00, good large rounds 25.00-50.00/bale, 60.00-75.00/T, fair 50.00-60.00. Straw, good, small squares 4.00/bale or 5.00/bale delivered, large square bales 60.00-80.00/T, and large rounds 70.00-85.00. CWF grass mulch 65.00 per large round bale.

***Prices are dollars per ton and FOB unless otherwise noted. Dairy alfalfa prices are for mid and large squares unless otherwise noted. Horse hay is in small squares unless otherwise noted. Prices are from the most recent sales.

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*RFV calculated using the Wis/Minn formula.

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Source: Kansas Department of Agriculture - Manhattan, KS Kim Nettleton 785 564-6709

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Fort Scott FFA member wins State **Proficiency Award**

A member of the Fort Scott FFA chapter was recognized for having one of the best career development programs in the state at the 88th Kansas FFA State Convention, June 1-3, 2016, on the Kansas State University campus.

Dawson Minor received a State FFA Proficiency Award in Turf Grass Management during the convention for outstanding accomplishments he has made in developing programs that will prepare him for a career in agriculture. This award is sponsored by the Sod Shop, Inc.

The proficiency award program recognizes students for exceptional accomplishments and excellence in a Supervised Agricultural Experience (SAE) program. This program allows students to set goals and gain real-world experience in a chosen area of the agriculture industry.

Minor started Four Clover Mowing in March 2012. He started his business with ten yards, but has since expanded to 30 lawns and cemeteries. He has learned more about plant science as he has gained knowledge about fertilizer application, calculating nutrient rations for various grass and turf varieties. His goal of financial independence in the business and ownership of his own equipment was accomplished in his second year. Due to increased business, he has invested in larger commercial equipment which has lead to establishing relationships with local equipment dealers. Minor plans to attend the John Deere Tech program at Fort Scott Community College

Dawson's parents are Robert and Linda Minor. His advisor is Kyle Parks.



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Hell's Canyon

surprise.

Looking at the mountains from a distance, you can see a nasty scar that begins in the lower foothills and twists and turns as it carves its way toward the high peaks of Montana's Highland Mountains. That distant scar is Hell's Canyon. The mountains are majestic. The canyon is a nightmare.

Thirty-five miles southeast of Butte, Montana, Hell's Canyon snakes its way from the Jefferson River gouging a deep, tangled furrow littered with boulders and impenetrable timber upward toward the Continental Divide. It's federal land and part of BLM's land management program. It is also one of the most breathtaking areas of the Northern Rockies.

Breathtaking—if you ride into the canyon horseback and find yourself trapped by sheer walls or a myriad of obstacles created when the canvon was formed by the cataclysm of some violent force of nature eons ago, it will take your breath away when you realize you've got yourself in a

Take a few deep breaths and look behind you. You'll wonder if you can find your way back to where you entered the canyon on that steep game trail that looked so inviting when you decided to do a little exploring. Here's where a good horse pays off. Trust him. He probably remembers every twist and turn he made riding into this treacherous terrain. Turn around and loosen the reins. He'll probably take you right back to the top of the canyon where vou sat and looked down at the rugged beauty of Hell's Canyon and Hell's Canyon Creek rushing along the bottom of the gorge. Good horses always seem to remember where they've been even if years have passed since they traveled a certain

The mountains have been logged, mined and ranched since the first settlers arrived centuries ago. The Forest Service maintains a few roads that climb the mountain and lead to a Forest Service cabin at the head of Hell's Canyon Creek. Beaver dams create ponds that hold trout and are a delight to fly fishermen. Hunters and fishermen can rent the cabin for a low fee and are treated to the splendor of an unspoiled wilderness alive with deer, elk and other game animals.

The cabin sits beside the creek and backs up to a steep ridge near the upper reaches of the canyon. I came on the cabin one fall day to find hunters who were staying in the cabin butchering two bull elk only yards from the front porch. Tracks in the snow told the story. The elk came down the ridge and passed near the cabin. The hunters merely had to step out of the warm cabin and take aim. It

doesn't happen that way very often but in Hell's Canyon surprises are no

From the cabin, the creek begins its long descent toward the Jefferson River. The pleasant meandering creek near the beaver ponds and cabin picks up speed and rushes down the mountain. The gorge deepens and becomes a tangle of intersecting draws and ravines that add their water to the creek. All along the route, trout of several species hide in pools and back water recesses where the creek jogs relentlessly down the canyon.

Hiking from the higher elevations is the best way to travel. You can work your way through the rough ground easier on foot and not have to worry about deadfall timber. You can more easily scale boulder slides and white knuckle cliffs. If you have the stamina and courage to enter Hell's Canyon on foot, you will be treated to the best of nature's wonders and can stumble upon a bit of history left by the early miners and ranchers.

Elk hunting one year on a ranch in the mountains near the canyon, we watched a bull leave the ranch and head for Hell's Canvon. He disappeared down a steep ravine into the snarl of timber and boulders leading into Hell's Canyon.

We stopped on top of the ravine and looked into its depths. Above the ravine, we saw no sign of the bull.

"If you're willing to go down there after him, you might have a slim chance of getting a shot, he's headed for the horse trap.

The speaker was the ranch owner. His family had been in these mountains since 1860. He knew every rock and bush in the coun-

"My dad and granddad built the trap early in the last century. They used it to catch wild horses.'

I was anxious to see the wild horse trap in the ravine. If I was lucky enough to get a shot at the bull, it would be a double bonus. I started down the steep trail and entered the bottom of the draw leading into the canyon. It was no picnic. The going was tough but I made my way slowly into a narrow myriad of huge granite boulders and towering Douglas Firs. Downhill all the way, I kept my eyes peeled for the elk and the horse trap.

I saw elk tracks in the fresh snow and the anticipation of the hunt kept me moving down the ravine farther than I should have gone. When the defile became extremely narrow, I paused for a rest and wondered how the bull elk with his huge rack could navigate through the dense trees, brush and boulders.

It was then that I saw ahead timbers crossing the defile in a jumbled pattern. The horse trap!

I eased past the first set of timbers almost reverently lest I disturb this piece of western history. I saw more timbers farther on crossing the narrow corridor. I examined the logs and saw how they had been arranged to prevent horses from pass-





Michael C. Helbert, Attorney for the estate! SATURDAY, JULY 30 — 10:00 AM Bluestem Hall 646 Road 180, EMPORIA, KS

COLLECTIBLES: Marble clock; 19" Bronze falcon; Wedgwood 5" vase; Abalone ship; German steins; Marlow Woodcuts; Indian pottery marked Jeronimo: Horn art of monkeys: old keys: Nippon: Stag smok ing pipe w/horse & other pipes; bone handle letter opener w/fox; Occ Japan Lacquerware plate; K of C medallions from 1914 & 1915; mar bles; comic books; sterling baby cup "Billy"; children's books & toys from the 50s; rubber toy soldiers; fountain pens; Brass: large urn, Christmas angels, drawer pulls, copper/brass "stool", sev. brass & copper vases; Bone pieces: figurines, skeletons, etc; Kitchenware: Keen Kutter food chopper & hand carved wooden utensils; ORIEN-TAL CHINA, ART, ETC: Blue China, dinnerware, urn, figurines, Sat suma, copper pitcher, brass mask, Tribal masks, Japan in color books & slides, pictures, brass vase w/dragons. FURNITURE/HOUSE-HOLD: Oak child's chair; Oriental chest; Victorian marble top table Grandfather clock case; Birds Eye maple dresser base & nite stand loveseat sleeper; pr. twin beds; Angle lamp; 4 metal military foot lock ers; 3 wooden foot lockers; 40" resin outdoor table, NIB; kitchenware; office items; cookware; books; Walnut furniture: Flip top game table, curio cabinet, glass flat front cabinet, marble top chest & various up holstered dining chairs; Dinnerware: Wedgwood Bone China service for 8; lots of brass trays; California hand crafted China dinnerware lots of crystal & stemware; sterling from Mexico & US; silverplate flatware from early 1900s: silverplate serving pieces inc. triple plate 12 pitcher; Limoges serving pieces; cov. butter dish & pressed glass MISC.: Lg & sm Persian/Orential rugs; cast iron stock pot; Original Art inc. DeAnn Meeton & James Cook

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When I satisfied my curiosity and thoughts of the trophy elk had slipped away with the discovery of the horse trap, I reminded myself that I still had to climb out of Hell's Canyon and hike back to the rim.

Reluctantly, I turned and began the long uphill climb.

Page 19 Thoughts of early ranchers and wild horses kept me occupied as I worked my way out of the ravine, leaving behind another breathtaking Hell's Canyon experience.

Contact Ralph Galeano at horseman@horsemanspress. com or www.horsemanspress. com



ROTTINGHAUS CONSIGNMENT AUCTION WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3 — 10:00 A.M.

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TRACTORS

ing. Part of the trap had col-

lapsed with age and elk

tracks passed through the

gap. More interested in the

trap and knowing my shot at

the elk was fast disappear-

ing, I took a few moments to

hundred years ago but the

semi-arid climate had pre-

served the collection of

lodge pole and other

conifers used to confine the horses. I imagined the

scene when the horses were

run into the trap. I could

picture the panic they must

have felt when they realized

there was no escape. The si-

lence in the canyon was

eerie as I stood there and

tried to visualize the horses

milling and screaming in

terror.

It had been built almost a

study the wild horse trap.

07 C/IH MXU 125 Premium, Ldr, 2300 Hrs, LH Reverser 18 Speed & New Tires; 07 JD 7230 FWD 3Hy Air Seat 16 Speed PQ w/3800Hrs; 06 JD 7220 MFWD w/New JD 340 Ldr, 4100 Hrs, LH Reverser & 16 Speed; 95 JD 8100 MFWD; 84 JD 4450 MFWD; White 160 2WD w/2700 Hrs.; NH TM130 MFWD w/Ldr. & 2000 Hrs.; JD 4040 QR; JD 4450 PS New Tires; JD 4010 Diesel: White 2105: MF 1155 w/Perkins V8 Diesel; Ferguson TO 20; Ferguson 40 (Collector): AC 190 Gas; JD 4020 Wheatland Diesel; JD 4520 W/JD 158 Ldr, 3 HY, Large Rear Rubber; Baby Boomer Skidsteer Back-JD 644 Wheel Ldr w/Rebuilt JD 7.6 Ltr Engine.

COMBINES & HEADERS 95 JD 9500 4x4 Radials & Shedded; 97 JD 9600 4x4; 87 JD 7720 Titan II; 06 Challenger Agco 3000 8-30 off R76 Gleaner 800 Total Acres; JD 625 Hydro Flex; JD 630 Hydro Flex; JD 635D Draper Head w/Pickup Reel; 99 JD 893 Cornhead; JD 693 Cornhead; JD 220 Flex; JD 224 Rigid; Gleaner Rigid 24' Head; JD 643 Cornhead; Pr 18.4x38 JD Combine Duals; Gleaner LM 630 Head; JD 915 Flex; 01 JD 920F Flex; 79 JD

8820 combine **PLANTERS & DRILLS**

JD 1780 8-15 Planter; GP 2S 2600 Drill w/Liquid Fert; Crustbuster 3800 3pt Drill; GP 1500 CPH 24x7.5 NT Drill; Buffalo 6-30 3pt 4500 Planter w/Extra Boxes; JD 12-30 7000 Planter Markers: Yetter 30' Folding Markers; JD 530 Double Planter or Drill Hitch; GP 1510 15' Soybean Drill; Pr JD Drill Markers 15'; GP CPH15 NT Caddy; IH 620 24x7 Drill w/Seeder; 2 JD Single Row Planters: Dempster Single Row Planter: 92 JD 7200 6-30 Vaccum w/F Set & No Till Coulters; 2 JD 7300 6-30 Vaccum Planters; JD 7000 6-30 Plateless Planter w/Dry Fert.

TRUCKS & TRAILER 08 Witz Challenger Detach Trailer; 94 Cornhusker 42' Hopper Trailer: 07 Travelong 24' Gooseneck Aluminum Stock Trailer; 79 C-70 Chevy w/366, 2 Speed, Metal Box & Hoist; 97 Ford F-350 4x4 460 Gas w/Flatbed & Ball; Jet 22' Hopper Trailer; 05 Fastline 5th Wheel 32' Hvd Trailer; Fastline 28' Triple Axle Pintle Hitch Trailer; Tiger 20' Tandem Gooseneck Trailer (New); Haulmore Truck Hoist w/Dual Cylinders; Heavy Truck Hoist; Gooseneck 20' Stock Trailer; Flatbed Metal 8x16 Trailer w/Redneck Axles; Utility Single Axle 5x7 Trailer; Hillsboro Aluminum 8x8 Flatbed; 89 Ford LN 8000 Single Axle Tractor 10 Speed; 92 GMC 2500 4x4 350 5 Speed; 01 Donahue Gooseneck 23,000 GVW w/B&H; 61 Ford F600 Box & Hoist w/Tender Auger 30' Bin Floor; 95 Merritt 42' Aluminum

Double Trailer Hopper w/Rollover Tarp; 95 Dodge 150 Pickup; 77 Ford 3/4 Ton Pickup w/Sprayer w/400 Gal Stainless Steel Tank; 75 Chevy Tandem Axle 20' Bed & Hoist; 97 Ford F-150 4x4 Pickup; 73 Chevy 2Ton C60 Truck w/Grain & Livestock Bed: 93 Timpte 40' Hopper Trailer; 07 ProTrack 20K 30' GN Trailer w/Dovetail; Utility Trailer W/Fuel Tank

TILLAGE

DMI 5310 NH3 App w/Dry Box; JD 714 13 Shank Mulch Tiller: JD 630 23' 6" Disk; JD 980 28' Field Cult; JD 714 13 Shank Mulch Tiller; JD 960 24' Cult; JD 4000 Plow Disk; Glenco 3300 24' Field Cult; Sunflower 1433 22' Disk; Krause 30' Field Cult; Hawse 5' 3pt Disk; Ferguson 1 Btm 3pt Plow; IH 501 16' Disk: 3pt Single Furrow Opener: JD 400 Rotary Hoe; JD RG 6-30 Cult; White Wing Fold Disk; Brillian XL36' Packer; Krause Center Fold Disk; JD 955 7 Shank Coulter Ripper; Big Ox 7 Shank 3pt Ripper; IH 45 Vibra Shank 18'; Bush Hog 1445 18' Disk; Massey 4Btm Plow.

HAY & FORAGE

Vermeer 605M w/Wrap; C/IH DCX131 Disc Bine; NH 275 Wire Square Baler; Vermeer R23A Hydraulic Rake; Gehl 1710 Baler; NH 660 Baler; Vermeer 605L w/Wrap; Bale Elevator; JD 350 9' 3pt Sickle Mower; JD 3960 w/3RN Head; King 7 Bale Hyd Load & Unload Trailer Hyd Dump Silage Wagon w/JD Hoist; NH HT154 Wheel Rake: Sundance Tubmiller; JD 3RN Chopper Head; JD 24T Baler; Kasten Steel Silage Wagon; Kasten Wood Silage Wagon; Heavy Duty Shop Built Round Bale Trailer Hauls 6-11 Bales; 3pt Hyd Bale Unroller; Ag Bagger 8' Silage Bagger; Bale Wagon: Silage Feed Wagon.

CARTS & HEADER TRAILERS Ficklin 9600 Grain Cart; Wetmore Grain Cart; Parker 500 Bu. Grain Cart; JD 1210 Grain Cart; Unverferth 325 Gravity Wagon w/Auger; BBK Series II 30' Header Trailer; IA 425 Header Trailer: Homemade 25' Header Trailer; BBK 25' Header Trailer; EZ Trail 25' Header Trailer; EZ Flow 220 Bu. Gravity Wagon w/Hyd Auger & Tarp; 430 Header Trailer; 435 Header Trailer; 440 Header Trailer; E Z Trail Gravity Wagon, 2 Compartment w/Hyd Auger & Tarp. **LOADERS**

JD 840 Ldr. w/8000 or 60 Series Mts.; JD 741 Ldr. w/7000 Series Mts.; JD 168 Ldr. w/ 20-55 Mts; MH 92 LB Ldr; GB 900 Ldr; JD 620 Ldr w/6000 Series Mts.; JD 725 Ldr w/20-55 Mts.; Dual 340 Ldr. w/4020 Mts.; JD 46A Ldr; SAP 8' Ldr Bucket w/Grapple & Global Mts.; Farmhand 258 Ldr w/3020 Mts.; MDS 4 Tyne Grapple; JD 5 Tyne Grapple; JD 46 Ldr; Case 70 Ldr; JD 7' Loader

Bucket; GB 800 Ldr & Grapple; Westendorf WL21 Loader. **GRAIN & LIVESTOCK**

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MISCELLANEOUS 94 JD 6500 sprayer w/60'

booms; Rowse 700 Dirt Scraper (New); Land Pride Plainsman 15' Cutter (Like New); JD 6.8 Ltr Power Tech 185HP Irr. Engine: Garden Shed 8X12': 1500 Gal Poly Tank; 3000 Gal Poly Tank; JD Canopy; Pr New Skidsteen Rubber Tracks for JD 322 Dagelman 12' 46/57 Hyd Dozei Blade w/JD 7000 Mts.; F-12 Land Leveler; Pr JD 250# Weights; 8' 3pt Blade; Tillage Hitch; Westfield W80X60 Auger; SAP 84" Tooth Bucket; Bushog 10' Cutter (NO PTO); Rhino 15 Flex Cutter; Refuge Tank off 1770 Planter; Pr C/IH 42" 10 Bolt Dual Wheels & Hubs; Pr JD 10 Bolt 18.4X42 Duals; IA F12 Scraper; Pr JD 250# Wheel Weights; Walk Thru Pallet Forks; Stout HD72-8 Brush Grapple; BMB Hyd 3pt Blade; Pr 14.9X26 Front Duals (off 4450); Receiver Hitch Plate for Skidsteer; Front Mtd. Fert Tank; Dagelman 10-46/57 Hyd Dozer Blade; Dagelman 8-35 Hvd Dozer Blade: Big Ox 3pt 8' Blade; Woods 15 Batwing Cutter; Hardi 550 Gal Pull Sprayerw/6- Hyd Booms; 2pt Fast Hitch off IH 560 w/Drawbar; Divider Snoots for JD 600 Series Header: Pr 18.4x38 Clamp-On Duals; Montgomery Ward 13,500 Watt Generator on 3pt Frame & 540 Pto; Misc Ford 8N Farm Equipment; Aluminum Loading Ramps; Kansas Clipper Tree Shearer: Skidsteer Bucket: Pr 14.9Rx34 Tires & Wheels off MX240; Old Forney Model C Welder w/Leads; Pr 18.4X34 Duals; Pr 480X50 Tires; F-10 Land Mover; F-8 Land Mover Pallet of JD Suitcase Weights; JD Quick Hitch; Unused Lowe Hyd Auger 750 12" w/Skid Steer Quick Attach; Unused Stout Brush Grapple 72-8 w/Skid Steer Quick Attach; Unused Stout Brush Grapple XHD 84-6 w/Skid Steer Quick Attach; Unused Stout Rock Bucket/Brush Grapple Combo HD 72-3 Open End w/Skid Steer Quick Attach: Unused Stout Material Bucket 84" w/Double-Cut Edge & Skid Steer Quick Attach; Unused Stout Tree & Post Puller w/Skid Steer Quick Attach; Unused Stout Walk-Through Pallet Forks 48" w/Skid Steer Quick Attach: Unused Stout Full-Back Pallet Forks 48" w/Skid Steer Quick Attach; Unused Regular Pallet Forks 48" w/Skid Steer Quick Attach; Unused Stout Bale Spear-Round w/Skid Steer Quick Attach.

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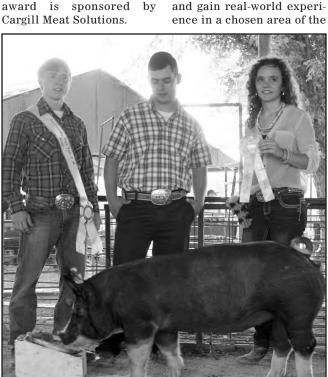




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Driving the reserve champion breeding gilt at the Tri-County Free Fair was Mackenzie Downes, pictured with judge Barret Simon and fair king Jaryth Barten.

agriculture industry.

Zimmerman works for Hickory Creek Farms, an agritourism business founded by his family, after experimenting with pumpkin production. Events hosted at the farm include family fun days and field trips for schools. The farm includes hay rack rides, barrel train rides, a corn maze, corn cannon, animal races and more. Zimmerman's duties

clude hoeing pumpkins, working cattle and collecting and restoring antique tractors for use and display around the farm. After graduation he plans on attending college and then returning to Hickory Creek Farms to expand the operation.

Jonathan's parents are Steven and Ruth Zimmerman. His advisors are Alan Boultinghouse and Joe Cur-



The grand champion breeding gilt at the Tri-County Free Fair was shown by Lakkodah Downes. He is pictured with judge Barret Simon and fair king Jaryth



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TUESDAY, AUGUST 2

Horse Show 9:00 am Pedal Pull 5:30 pm 4-H/Open Food Auction 7:00 pm

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3

Livestock & poultry arrive by 10:00 am

Poultry Show	11:00 am
Dairy Goat Show	. 12:00 pm
Sheep Grooming Contest	4:00 pm
Swine Show	6:00 pm
Goat Milking Demonstration	6:30 pm
Rabbit Show	7:00 pm

THURSDAY AUGUST 4

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Public Presentations 9:00 am
Rabbit Show 9:00 am
Horse Judging 10:00 am
Beef Grooming Contest 10:00 am
Meat Goat Show 1:00 pm
Bucket Calf Show 5:00 pm
Sheep Show 6:00 pm
Goat Milking Demonstration 6:30 pm

FRIDAY, AUGUST 5

Senior Citizen Day - Buildings open from

9:00 to 10:00 a.m. for Senior Citizens only!		
Beef Show 8:00 am		
Livestock Judging Contest 2:00 pm		
Chasing Memories		
(Special Needs Livestock Show)5:30 pm		
Pie Contest 6:00 pm		
Goat Milking Demonstration6:30 pm		
Showmanship Contest7:00 pm		
Chain Saw Art Auction 8:00 pm		
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SATURDAY, AUGUST 6

Buildings open after Parade ends until 10pm! Parade (Downtown Gardner) ... 10:30 am 4-H/FFA Animal & Project Sale ... 1:00 pm Goat Milking Demonstration 6:30 pm

TUESDAY, AUGUST 2

4-H & Open Class Food Auction ... 7:00 pm KC Dixieland Band 8:15 pm WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3 Leigh's School of Dance 6:00 pm

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LAND AUCTION

2 Tracts – 240 Acres Washington County, Kansas Land

SATURDAY, AUGUST 6 — 10:00 AM At the home place, 866 21st Road, MORROWVILLE, KANSAS TRACT 1: The NE 1/4 20-2-2, Mill Creek Township, Washington

Jounty, Kansas This farm, 160 acres, more or less, consists of approximately 128 acres cropland with the balance of the farm being waterways, creek & timber, and old farmstead. About 90 acres of the cropland is bottom land, nearly all Muir, Class I soils, with some Hobbs, Class Ilw soils. The upland cropland is productive, terraced Longford, Class IIIe soils. The farmstead area consists of an older home, garage,

soybeans and there were 24 acres wheat. The 2015 taxes were \$2,672.24. This farm is located 1 ½ miles north, then 2 ½ miles west of Morrowville. The northeast corner of the farm is at the intersection of 21st Road and Heritage Road

granary, machine shed, and barn. There are 64 acres corn, 40 acres

TRACT 2: The E 1/2 SW 1/4 35-1-2, Lowe Township, Washington County, Kansas

This farm, 80 acres, more or less, consists of approximately 21 acres upland cropland, with the balance being warm and cool season grass pasture. Nearly all of the farm, including the grass land, is Crete, Class lie and ille gently sloping and moderately sloping land. There is a well located pond. The cropland was in wheat this year. The 2015 taxes were \$481.33.

This farm is located 4 1/2 miles north, then 1/2 mile west of Morrowville, Kansas. (Located ½ mile west of the St. Peter & Paul church corner)

The ESTATE of ROBERT BURTON

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A good cowboy has ended the McDowell Creek comhis long fight. Trey Allen of munity near Manhattan suc-

Cowboy True

In Memory of Trey Allen By Ron Wilson, Poet Lariat

In the Flint Hills of Kansas, where the tallgrass bluestem grew, Worked our friend Trey Allen, who was a cowboy true. Trey grew up down in Texas, where he worked and rodeoed, With a knack for cows and horses which he very quickly showed. He worked cattle, managed ranches, and lived the cowboy way With the best of cowboy values which we celebrate today. He loved the cowboy life which he shared in verse and rhyme: One of the best cowboy poets that we've seen here in our time. Now his earthly time is done, but he rides a different view, 'Cause the Good Lord needs a hand, and Trey's a cowboy thru and thru. Happy Trails! www.ronscowboypoetry.com© Copyright 2016

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cumbed to multiple myeloma on July 7.

Trey was a true cowboy in the best sense. He was a working cowboy, ranch manager and past president of the Geary County Livestock Association.

He was also a true character. A person couldn't miss his characteristic bowler hat, hot pink cowboy boots, and fun personality.

Trev was born in Texas. He began as a rodeo bullrider and bullfighter and went on to start colts and shoe horses. He cowboyed in Oklahoma and Colorado before coming to Kansas. In 2006, he became manager of the Moyer Ranch south of Manhattan.

I met Trey when he competed in the first Kansas Cowboy Poetry Contest which was held at the Wabaunsee County Fairgrounds in 2011. Trey won hands down. He was the clear winner in both categories, humorous and serious. His serious poem included him responding to the question, what is cowboy poetry? This poem was a beautiful, lyrical description of cowboy life and what makes it so special.

His humorous poem was a winner, too. It described a time when he and a buddy took a break from riding and started eating cherries and sharing drinks. As you might guess, the situation got out of hand. This poem had us rolling in the aisles by the time he was done. He definitely earned the Governor's trophy buckle with his performance.



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touched a million lives, not just as a poet but as a friend to all of us... He loved you all as much as you loved him... Your love and prayers for our family are much appreciated...

In a recent article in Western Horseman by Senior Editor Jennifer Denison, his friend, poet Jay Snider, is quoted, 'Trey is one of those guys that lives every day by the same code of ethics as the old-timers. It means something to him that your word is your bond and that you do what you say you're going to do.'

His fight with cancer was a long struggle, but he persevered mightily. He was able to serve as a judge at the National Cowboy Poetry Rodeo in 2015. He far exceeded the doctor's predictions and even managed to

Page 21 attend a family reunion in Texas in summer 2016.

Don Dane, a famed western artist, used photos of Trey on horseback for some of his nicest works of art. Don's painting of Trey called "Cowboy True, Thru and Thru" was selected for the 2015 poster of National Cowboy Poetry Week.

Trey's obituary states the following: "There will be a celebration of life, or as Trey would call it, a "shindig," later this fall at the McDowell Creek Community Center, Manhattan, Kansas. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to "Allen Girls' College Fund," 15601 Hannagan Road, Manhattan KS 66502. Their education was very important to him.'

Rest in peace, cowboy.

FARM EQUIPMENT, GUNS, ANTIQUES, PERSONAL PROPERTY AUCTION SATURDAY, JULY 23, 2016 — 9:00 AM

1141 Jeep Road — ABILENE, KANSAS AUCTIONEER'S NOTE: Originally listed as 80 acres with personal property the land has sold and

is removed from the sale. DIRECTIONS: 11 miles south of Abilene on K-15 Hwy turn east on 1100 Ave, drive 3 miles then north on Jeep Rd 4/10 miles. If driving from Salina--Country Club Rd becomes 1700 Ave in Dickinson Co to K-15 Hwy.

ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES As Elaine & family sorts through the house and determines what she can take with her more may be added but so far we have wardrobe with matching serpentine front dresser w/mirror & washstand w/towel bar Brunswick – Balke – Collender record player (Victrola) works * large china cabinet w/drop front desk * key wind wall clock * oak framed armchair * oak framed rocker * Seth Thomas mantle clock * pewter set * castor set * oil lamp w/wall bracket * dish w/handle * dining table w/4 chairs * many S&P shakers * Rogers silver plate flatware set n chest * kerosene heater * chamber pots * with many more items expected by sale time.

Trey would go on to serve

as emcee of the state con-

test, and he was the best

emcee we ever had. More

importantly, his life stood as

an example of the best val-

ues of the cowboy: Love of

the land, ranching skills,

working hard, playing hard,

honesty, loyalty, and riding

and multiple treatments, he

remained the same Trey, funny and down-to-earth.

The Center for Western and

Cowboy Poetry said it this

way (the following used with

and loving family know that

Trey, in the words of his

wife, Janice Hannagan-

Allen, was "a true cowboy,

thru and true all the way.'

Janice commented that Trev

was, "A man that has

"His many, many friends

Even after his diagnosis

for the brand.

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pellet guns * Crosman Power Master 760 bb rifle * Crosman Power Master 750 bb rifle * unmarked bb rifle.

.455 cal revolver * barrels * parts

FARM MACHINERY & EQUIP-MENT: Stock trailer shell - no floor or doors * 3-bottom plows 10-wheel rake * steel wheel cultivator * John Deere 235 2-row corn head for combine * rotary cultivator * square bale carrier for front loader * John Deere sickle mower * stock tanks * cattle oiler * International baler stock rack for small (Ranger) pickup * rake * there are several bee keeping items (head nets, smokers, hives, honey spinner, etc) * sheep items (shearing equipment, bag holder, etc.) other scrap metal in tree line.

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1	Herington, 1 bwf	1190@89.00	D'Hanis, Tx, 1 red	l 1375@77.00	Herington, 2 blk	853@138.50
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1	Tampa, 1 blk	1275@80.50	Cncl Grve, 1 blk	1910@101.50	LncInvIIe, 56 mix	910@133.35
1	Herington, 1 blk	1140@80.00	Herington, 1 blk	1885@100.50	Ramona, 67 blk	920@130.00
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1	Herington, 1 rwf	1505@78.00	Burdick, 1 blk	1490@93.50	Tampa, 53 mix	969@127.10
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1	Tampa, 1 blk	1300@77.50	Alta Vista, 7 blk	604@147.50	Burdick, 8 blk	668@134.00
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١	Herington, 1 blk	1110@77.00	Wilsey, 8 mix	668@142.00		

CONSIGNMENTS FOR JULY 20:

- 16 mix strs & hfrs, 500-700
- 14 mix strs & hfrs, 500-650 lbs
- 34 blk strs & hfrs, 600-700 lbs • 36 mix strs & hfrs, 600-800 lbs, off grass
- 75 blk Angus strs, 875-900 lbs, off grass
- 60 mostly blk strs, 875-900 lbs, off grass

- 60 blk strs, 900-925 lbs
- 62 mix strs, 875-900 lbs
- 118 mix strs. 950-975 lbs • 64 mostly blk hfrs, 800-825 lbs

MORE CATTLE BY SALE TIME!

EARLY CONSIGNMENTS FOR JULY 27:

- 30 Charolais & red Angus cross strs & hfrs, 500-700 lbs
- 140 rep. blk Angus strs & hfrs, 600-750 lbs,
- mostly strs, two rounds shots, no implants
- 180 mix strs, 825-875 lbs • 120 mix strs, 950 lbs
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The meeting will include presentations by Dr. Seth Fox of Wilco Vet Clinic, David Pfrang & Jim Dobbins, and Tyler Dupy, Executive Director of KCA. Included in the event is a free

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USA Beef dinner. Clinic will provide a presen-

tation on the Veterinary Feed Directive (VFD). The VFD final rule outlines the process for authorizing the use of VFD drugs. These are the drugs intended for use in animal feed which require the authorization of a consulting veterinarian. With past delays, changes, and overall confusion with the rule, Dr. Fox will ex-

plain the current status of

the rule, and how to plan for

Dr. Seth Fox of Wilco Vet

enforcement

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400-500		72.00-\$183.00	24 blk	Ada	779@147.50
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500-600				Hope	
600-700		50.00-\$165.00	8 blk	Delphoss	772@146.00
700-800		40.00-\$151.50	10 blk	Douglass	791@144.50
800-900		36.00-\$148.75	10 blk	Latham	821@143.00
900-1,00	0 \$12	25.00-\$142.35	113 blk	Abilene	928@142.35
			6 blk	Minneapolis	848@142.00
	HEIFER		12 blk	Delphos	849@142.00
300-400		60.00-\$175.00	60 blk	Valley Center	871@141.75
400-500	\$14	48.00-\$155.00	56 blk	Abilene	921@140.75
500-600	\$15	50.00-\$160.00	126 blk	Abilene	968@140.60
600-700		42.00-\$151.50	9 blk	Douglas	916@140.50
700-800		35.00-\$146.00	57 char	Assaria	858@140.25
800-900		22.00-\$135.50	29 mix	Tampa	863@139.50
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4 blk	Brookville	364@193.00	2 blk	Alma	323@175.00
1 blk	Alma	355@189.00	5 blk	Delphos	565@160.00
9 blk	Brookville	437@183.00	5 blk	Alma	501@158.00
4 blk	Ellsworth	516@178.00	6 blk	Alma	524@158.00
9 blk	Alma	474@176.00	13 blk	Ada	567@156.00
3 blk	Ada	467@176.00	4 blk	Brookville	438@155.00
11 blk	Atlanta	478@174.00	19 blk	Atlanta	552@155.00
2 char	Delphos	530@172.00	3 blk	Smolan	543@153.00
3 blk	Delphos	540@171.00	7 blk	Leonardville	536@152.00
6 blk	Alma	559@169.00	28 blk	Latham	625@151.50
5 mix	Alma	580@168.00	9 blk	Delphos	638@148.00
4 blk	Bison	601@165.00	8 blk	Alma	606@148.00
15 blk	Atlanta	562@164.00	20 blk	Douglass	619@148.00
8 blk	Bison	634@163.50	21 blk	Ada	654@147.50
3 mix	Ellsworth	635@157.00	13 blk	Bison	665@147.50
13 blk	Atlanta	657@155.50	17 mix	Delphos	702@146.00
8 blk	Delphos	634@155.00	11 mix	Delphos	661@145.50
17 blk	Durham	674@154.50	16 blk	Durham	679@145.50
14 blk	Ada	682@154.00	8 mix	Leonardville	681@145.00
19 mix	Delphos	739@151.75	9 blk	Atlanta	676@145.00
3 blk	Cambridge	702@151.00	2 blk	Alma	698@143.00
12 blk	Latham	682@151.00	19 blk	Ada	720@142.50
11 blk	Leonardville	724@150.50	14 blk	Latham	740@141.50
65 blk	Hope	768@150.10	4 mix	Wells	633@141.00
2 char	Ellsworth	728@150.00	21 mix	Delphos	739@140.50
13 blk	Alma	673@150.00	9 blk	Minneapolis	691@140.50
24 blk	Atlanta	759@149.75	27 blk	Sterling	734@139.00
17 char	Delphos	773@149.50	8 blk	Delphos	730@137.00
51 blk	Sterling	859@148.75	7 char	Ellsworth	722@136.50

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10 blk	Douglass	843@135.00	2 blk	Tescott	278@485.00
16 blk	Sterling	813@131.00	3 mix	Lindsborg	222@475.00
21 blk	Lincoln	870@129.00	1 blk	Assaria	250@425.00
8 blk	Latham	917@128.00	1 blk	Assaria	240@425.00
	COWS	3	1 blk	Assaria	170@260.00
1 blk	Hesston	1405@83.00		SOWS	
1 bwf	Beverly	1495@83.00	2 mix	Mankato	508@38.00
1 bwf	Tescott	1845@83.00	4 mix	Abilene	594@38.50
6 mix	Assaria	1234@83.00	5 mix	Abilene	562@38.50
2 blk	Bennington	1585@82.75	3 mix	Abilene	460@33.50
1 blk	Talmage	1505@82.00	3 mix	Abilene	540@37.50
1 blk	Salina	1595@82.00	2 mix	Brookville	605@38.00
3 mix	Solomon	1675@81.50		HOGS	
1 blk	Minneapolis	1475@81.00	11 mix	Marion	255@50.75
	BULLS	3	27 mix	Tescott	279@50.35
1 red	Assaria	2205@102.75	13 mix	Lincolnville	303@47.50
1 blk	Gypsum	1740@101.50		PIGS	
1 blk	Gypsum	1910@100.00	7 mix	Brookville	86@45.00
1 blk	Ellsworth	1770@98.00			

EARLY CONSIGNMENTS FOR THURSDAY, JULY 21: 90 strs, 750-900 lbs., off grass; 300 blk strs, 850-900 lbs., fancy, off gras

71 red angus strs, 825 lbs., off grass; 80 char X & red strs, 900-950 lbs., off grass; 214 mostly blk hfrs, 725-750 lbs., off brome or bluestem; 40 strs & hfrs, 500-700 lbs.; 140 strs, 925-975 lbs., off grass; 60 mostly blk strs, 800-850 lbs.; 180 mostly blk strs, 900-950 lbs., off brome or native; 300 strs, 900-1,000 lbs., off brome; 220 mostly blk strs & hfrs, 600-700 lbs., homeraised, vacc.; 80 blk/Char X strs & hfrs, 700-800 lbs., homeraised, vacc. weaned, open; 110 blk strs, 900-950 lbs.; 25 strs & hfrs, 500-700 lbs.; 25 blk strs & hfrs, 350-600 lbs., 2 rnds vacc.; 65 strs, 800-850 lbs.; 70 blk strs & hfrs, 500-700 lbs., homeraised, vacc. PLUS MORE BY SALE TIME!

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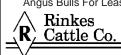


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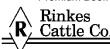
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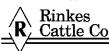
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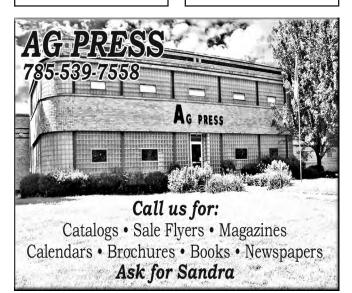
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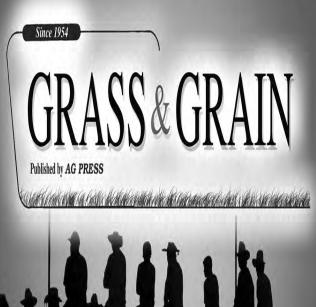


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Kansas companies attend 2016 Summer **Fancy Food Show**

From the Land of Kansas members exhibited at the 2016 Summer Fancy Food Show in New York City June 26-28, 2016. The show is America's largest specialty food & beverage trade show, with over 47,000 industry professionals in attendance. The 2016 show was the largest ever, with more than 2,600 exhibitors representing the latest in specialty foods and beverages from across the U.S. and many other countries and regions. The Fancy Food Show is an opportunity for the individual companies to showcase their products and promote the state of Kansas at one of the specialty food industry's premier events.

"The Fancy Food Show is the largest marketplace devoted exclusively to specialty foods and beverages in North America," said Julie Roller, From the Land of Kansas specialist. "The show provides a forum for companies to connect with attendees from top names in specialty retailing, restaurants and food service including Kroger, Starbucks, Trader Joe's and Dean & DeLuca."

Kansas was represented by four From the Land of

- Kansas members: • Fine Foods Artisan
- Original Juan's, Kansas

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Louisburg • Sunflower Food Company, Lenexa

• Rabbit Creek Products,

The displays by these four businesses were enhanced with live demonstrations. "The From the Land of Kansas brand ambassador, Chef Alli, presented in the Kansas pavilion and prepared sample dishes featuring exhibiting companies," Roller said. "Kansas is one of eight states to coordinate a pavilion for its companies."

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The Kansas Department of Agriculture houses the From the Land of Kansas trademark program, which supports businesses which grow, produce, process or manufacture products in Kansas. The program helps members promote their Kansas products and provides members with a variety of business development tips and benefits, like representation at national food

"The Fancy Food Show was an excellent opportunity to reconnect with existing buyers and meet new ones," said Donna Cook, Rabbit Creek Products owner. "All of the Kansas companies in the pavilion were busy and we are excited to follow up on leads and take orders. This was a great chance to grow our business"

To see the recipes that were showcased at the Summer Fancy Food Show visit FromtheLand-

ofKansas.com/recipes. To purchase Kansas products visit the From the Land of Kansas Marketplace at Shop.From theLandofKansas.com

If you are interested in being a part of the Kansas pavilion at upcoming food shows, please contact the Kansas Department of Agriculture's international trade director, Suzanne Ryan-Numrich, at suzanne. numrich@ks.gov or call 785-

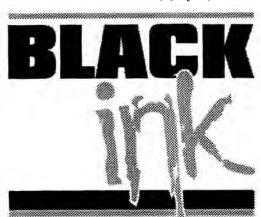
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High tech fits marketing, too

By Miranda Reiman

Recently my family bought a camper. I was on the phone describing it to my mom, as she asked, "You mean, there's a wall right there? The bed folds down how?" So I said, "Hold on and I'll FaceTime you." In less than ten seconds, I was giving her a tour via my iPhone. We were separated

by 450 miles, but she could easily see every detail for herself. In high school my friends and I used Instant Messenger like it was going out of style (and I guess it was!). I bought my first cell phone when I went to college, but didn't text because it cost 25 cents every time I did. I couldn't imagine the ease with which we'd use Skype and FaceTime or texting for both business and personal connections just a few years later.

Global positioning systems (GPS) now guide us down the highways and autosteer farm tractors in fields patrolled by drones. In our homes, robots now clean the floors while we sleep.

It all makes me wonder: In a decade or two, will kids live-stream a video of The Jetsons cartoon and think it looks more like the Flintstones did to me?

In the cattle business, these changes are all about

When I started my pro-

fessional career a decade ago, I listened to talks that questioned whether cattle DNA genomics could be an applicable technology in the field. It would need higher accuracy, lower price points and an easy way to interpret and incorporate the data. I listened to experts in academia and industry, and even producers who were very

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early adopters, with wonder and amazement. It all sounded a bit George Jetson-esque

But now? All of those things have happened and exponentially more producers are improving their herds with simple blood tests or tissue samples.

Depending on the breed, today's genomically-enhanced expected progeny differences (EPDs) are updated as often as weekly. Think about that. First there was phenotype, or selecting animals based on looks alone. Along came estimated breeding values (EBVs, still used on individual animals across the world), and then EPDs grew in popularity as cattlemen could see directional change in calves.

And now, you don't even have to wait for a spring or fall sire summary to know how animals rank. It's available nearly in real time. On top of that, a commercial cowman can take an ear notch at tagging and within a few weeks have an estimate of that calf's ability to gain and grade or carry maternal characteristics into the herd

Now direct your attention to the changes in marketing. Previous generations took cattle to the auction market, where they were identified by weight, sex and color. How do you sell calf crop? Perhaps by taking them to the auction and providing no more clues than weight, sex and color. Don't ignore technology in marketing - talk to your auction manager about how to earn premiums with documented health and genetics.

Look into variations such as video and online auctions. Source and age verification. Natural affidavits. A few recent programs aim to do more to help sellers communicate genetics and capture more value, no matter how they sell.

All lead to more information flow. But, if we're honest, can we say our ability to market animals has kept up with all the technological and data changes in genetic selection?

Imagine going to buy a bull and knowing only this: where it came from, what it looked like and its advertised breed makeup.

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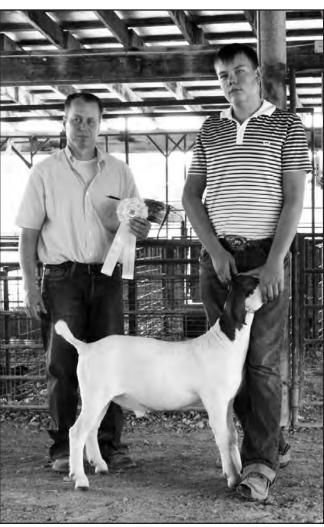
A member of the Beloit FFA chapter was recognized for having one of the best career development programs in the state at the 88th Kansas FFA State Convention, June 1-3, 2016, on the Kansas State University campus.

Jace Adams received a State FFA Proficiency Award in Grain Production Placement during the convention for outstanding accomplishments he has made in developing programs that will prepare him for a career in agriculture. This award is sponsored by the Kansas Wheat Commission.

The proficiency award program recognizes students for exceptional accomplishments and excellence in a Supervised Agricultural Experience (SAE) program. This program allows students to set goals and gain realworld experience in a chosen area of the agriculture in-

Adams works on his family farm which covers 8,500 acres over four counties in north-central Kansas. Crops raised on the no-till operation include wheat, corn, sorghum, sunflowers and soybeans. Adams frequently scouts his crops to monitor conditions and disease pressure, as well as to obtain soil samples. Pulling accurate information from a field provides a foundation for crop fertility decision-making, a lesson that he says becomes easier with current technologies. Adams plans to attend North Central Kansas Technical College and work for a degree in agriculture technology with ultimate plans to return to the family farm.

Jace's parents are Jeff and Connie Adams. His advisor is Brandon Callaway.



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banjo, never played; blue queen hide a bed; blue La-Z-Boy recliner; brown micro fiber sectional; pine farm table w/3 padded chairs; 2 pc lg corner oak office desk w/hanging file draws & locking cabinets, in very good condition; oak coffee table; sofa table w/tile top & 2 drawers; 9' quilting frame; many pcs of quilting fabric; sm elec fireplace; some small

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Killbros Model 1800 grain cart TRUCKS & PIČKUPS

1984 Peterbilt 359 semi-tractor, Cat 425hp mtr, 15 spd. trans. 1980 Mack tandem truck, 7 spd. trans., 300 Mack mtr, Scott 22 bed, rollover tarp, hyd. end gate 1973 GMC tandem truck. motor, 5x2 spd. trans., 20' bed &

hoist, airlift tag 1973 Ford F-600 truck, V-8 motor, 4x2 spd. trans., 16' bed & hoist 1984 IHC 2375 semi truck, L10 Cummins motor, 7 spd. trans., ac, & a 1977 Guthrie 22' trailer, new tarp

2002 Ford F-250 pickup, 7.3-liter dsl motor, ext. cab, long bed, auto., 4x4, 133,000 mi. 996 Ford F-250 pickup, 7.3-liter

motor, ext. cab, 4x4, auto., 170,000 mi
TRAILERS

1993 Wilson Pace Setter 42' grain trailer, roll over tarp Jet pup trailer, 25' w/tarp

1000 gal. nurse water trailer w/shuttle rack & pump
(2) 1000 gal. nurse water trailers

w/ pumps (2) 1500 gal. tip tanks on trailer w/ B&S motor & pump Lamar 950 gal. fuel trailer w/12-

volt pump Auctioneer's note: Some well taken care of equipment, most

600 gal. fuel trailer w/Honda motor & pump
Dual box seed tender w/conveyor

FARM EQUIPMENT JD 1890 air disk, no-till drill, 42' w/JD 1910 commodity cart Quinstar Fallow Master, 42' w/

JD 15' rigid shredder Krause 45' field cultivator w/ tine harrows (2) IHC 7100 hoe drills, 12', 12"

Quinstar Fallow Master III, 36' w/ Sunflower C-Flex disk, 38' Noble 5x7 sweep plow w/pickers

18' chisel plow 14' Krause chisel plow JD 8' rear blade, 3pt. 6' rear blade, 3pt.

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Feeder cattle markets: crossroads of the cattle industry

Oklahoma State University Extension Livestock **Marketing Specialist**

The job of markets –any market- is to determine what will be produced; how much will be produced; and what resources will be used to produce; all relative to

The cattle industry produces fed cattle ready for slaughter. However, this production mostly occurs across separate and widely dispersed sectors of cowcalf, stocker and feedlot production by producers who only interact through

market transactions.

Feeder cattle markets are the one and only place in the cattle industry where cow-calf, stocker and feedlot producers all communialbeit indirectly through feeder cattle prices, as cow-calf producers sell calves, stocker producers buy stockers and sell feeders and feedlots buy feeder cattle. In order to coordinate cattle markets, feeder cattle prices must simultaneously encourage cow-calf production to ensure avail-

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able cattle supplies for the industry while reflecting beef demand back from consumers through fed and feeder cattle prices. In between, feeder cattle

prices determine whether cattle will be produced using relatively more or less forage versus grain in the stocker and feedlot sectors. Feeder markets must reflect production conditions at the cow-calf level which, along with stocker production, depend heavily on forage conditions; and at the same time capture feed market conditions that affect feedlot production; all the while transmitting consumer demand from retail and wholesale beef markets all the way back down to the cowcalf sector.

It is an enormous challenge to coordinate such a complex industry. This coordination uses not one but a constellation of feeder cattle prices across weights ranging from lightweight calves to heavy feeder cattle. The coordination is not only the result of price levels but the relationship between feeder prices across

the weight range. In general, cow-calf producers, with a high proportion of costs that are fixed at least in the short run, respond to calf price level. Calf prices are either high enough or not to encourage more or less calf production. However since cowcalf producers use a relatively fixed forage base that often has no other use than for cattle production, changes in cow-calf production simultaneously imply retained ownership decisions as cow-calf producers consider the best way to market the forage they produce: through more weaned calves or fewer heavier, retained calves.

At the other end of cattle production, feedlots are trying to assess the margins for finishing cattle - driven by heavyweight feeder prices relative to fed cattle prices along with feed costs to determine whether

less weight to cattle using grain, in other words, do they want to buy more or less initial pounds of cattle to place and run fewer animals through the feedlot over more days or move heavier animals through the feedlot more quickly.

In the short run, feedlot cost of gain is a major driver of feedlot decisions about what size and how many feeder animals to buy. These feedlot decisions simultaneously provide market signals for stocker producers to assess the potential for adding additional weight to feeder animals prior to entering the feedlot. This potential is reflected in the relationship between prices of lightweight and heavyweight feeder cattle. This relationship, often referred as the "rollback" or price slide across weights, determines the value of gain for stocker production.

Feeder prices simultaneously impact cow-calf. stocker and feedlot production and price adjustments usually reflect impacts and market balance across all sectors. However, occasionally unusual circumstances result in market signals for one sector dominating the others. This helps to understand feeder cattle markets since 2013. The sharp postdrought decrease in beef production in 2014 and 2015 prompted dramatic calf price signals to jump-start cow herd expansion. Hence the unprecedented increase in feeder cattle prices from mid-2013 into 2015. However, this occurred at the expense of feedlots where

in the worst feedlot losses ever in 2015. With herd expansion under way, the dramatic drop in feeder prices in late 2015 realigned feeder to fed prices and a return to more typical margins for feedlots. The result was an increase in feeder prices faster and higher than anyone anticipated in 2013 and 2014 followed by a sharper and quicker drop in prices in 2015 than anyone expected. Nothing this extreme has ever been seen in the cattle industry so no one really understood what was happening except with the benefit of hindsight.

Cattle production is ulti-

mately one production process that is completed in different sectors with different producers in many different places and using different resources. Anything that impacts any of the sectors must ultimately be transmitted and coordinated across all sectors. It is basic supply and demand but so much more complicated than just a question of how much should be produced. Because cattle, as ruminants, are so flexible in production, the question of how to produce cattle, i.e. what resources to use for production is very complex and dynamic as feed markets change. Much of the challenge of coordinating this complex set of production decisions occurs in the set of feeder cattle markets through changing price levels and rather subtle changes in price relationships across weights of feed-

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Upper Smoky Hill Regional Advisory Committee Meeting to be held in Scott City

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The meeting will be held Thursday, July 21 at 1 p.m. in the KLA Environmental Services, Inc. meeting room, 1303 Yucca Street (KS Highway 96 East) in Scott City. The agenda includes continued regional action plan development, along with Water Conservation Area and Water Technology Farm updates.

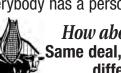
The agenda and meeting materials will be available at www.kwo.org or you may request copies by calling (785) 296-3185 or toll-free at (888) KAN-WATER (526-

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state scrapbook competition

The Cherryvale FFA chapter won first place in the state scrapbook competition at the 88th Kansas FFA State Convention, June 1-3, 2016, on the Kansas State University campus. The scrapbook competition gives FFA members a chance to showcase their chapter's accomplishments throughout the last year. Cherryvale FFA was awarded first place in the contest, exhibiting the most quality scrapbook complete with member ac-

"In addition to serving as a record of activities for FFA chapters, scrapbooks also are an important resource to encourage prospective and new members to learn more about chapter activities," said Mary Kane,

Twenty-two chapters participated in the competition. Seven chapters were recognized as Gold level recipients: Cherryvale FFA in first place, Chapman FFA, second place; Centre FFA, third place; Fredonia FFA, fourth place; Northern Valley FFA, fifth place; Girard FFA, sixth place; and Southeast of Saline FFA, seventh place. All chapter scrapbooks were on display in McCain Auditorium at KSU, Manhattan, for convention attendees to view during the three-day

Cherryvale FFA wins

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Wyatt Buchman was named the champion horse showman at the Tri-County Free Fair in Herington.

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Ag economy barometer moves higher in June

Grass & Grain, July 19, 2016

The Purdue University/CME Group Ag Economy Barometer is a nationwide measure of the health of the U.S. agricultural economy. On the first Tuesday of each month, the Ag Economy Barometer provides a sense of the agricultural economy's health with an index value. The index is based on a survey of 400 agricultural producers on economic sentiment each month. Quarterly, the index will be accompanied by an in-depth survey of 100 agriculture and agribusiness thought leaders.

In June, the Barometer turned higher with an index of 104, which was higher than the six-month base period, which averaged 100 between October 2015 and March 2016. June was also stronger than May's reading of 97. According to the report, June marked the third month in a row that the Ag Economy Barometer was markedly stronger than the nine-month low of 85 set in March 2016. However, the sentiment index during June was still lower than the post-harvest high of 116 set in October 2015.

To view the full report, visit http://tinyurl.com/Purdue-7-8-16.

FFA members earn Midwest Ford Dealers scholarships

Midwest Ford Dealers awarded three scholarships to FFA members who will be attending the Washington Leadership Conference (WLC) this summer in Washington, D.C. FFA members were recognized for scholarship awards at the 88th Kansas FFA State Convention, June 1-3, 2016, on the Kansas State University campus.

At WLC, FFA members will be challenged to take their leadership skills to the next level by learning to know their purpose, value people, take action and serve others. Located in our nation's capital, the conference is a five-day event that trains FFA members to make a positive impact in their school, local community, state and country.

This year's recipients are: Alexandra Clark, Holton; Rebekah Cain, Mission Valley; and David Graham, advisor, Republic County.



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1 blk	1178@83.00	1 Char	1510@101.50		
1 bwf	1090@83.00	1 blk	2040@101.50		
1 Grey	1370@82.50	1 Char	1480@101.00		
1 red	1530@81.00	1 Char	2275@100.00		
1 blk	1670@80.00	1 blk	1675@99.50		
7 red	1319@79.00	1 blk	1930@98.00		
1 rod	1555@70.00				

1555@79.00 **EARLY CONSIGNMENTS FOR JULY 21:**

- 55 blk Char X strs & hfrs, 500-700 lbs, weaned & vac.
- 150 blk bwf Char x strs & hfrs, 500-700 lbs, Calves
- 300 mostly blk hfrs, 700-850 lbs (open) • 200 mostly blk strs, 800-950 lbs

20 wfred 845@141.25

750@138.00

20 blk bwf Cows, 5-10 yrs old, Fall calvers, bred to Angus Bull

EARLY CONSIGNMENTS FOR JULY 28: • 500 blk red Char hfrs, 700-850 lbs (open) 200 blk red Char hfrs, 800-950 lbs

EARLY CONSIGNMENTS FOR AUGUST 4:

400 blk red Char strs, 800-1000 lbs • 120 mixed hfrs, 700-850 lbs

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Feeding Quality Forums set for August in Nebraska and Texas

Feeding cattle is dynamic. Always evolving, always adapting to weather, markets, technology, scientific studies and shifts in consumer demand.

That's why those who drive the supply train for grain-finished beef gather each summer for a day to compare notes and update their knowledge base. The Feeding Quality Forum (FQF) will convene August 23 in Grand Island, Neb., and August 25 in Amarillo,

Since the first forums in 2006, dual locations held two days apart provide easy travel distance for most of the Plains and Midwestern cattle feeding belt.

"Topics for the Forum target issues cattlemen are currently dealing with," says Jill Dunkel, editor for cosponsor Feedlot magazine and head coordinator for the event. "In addition to hearing from industry experts, the meeting offers a great opportunity to visit with other cattle feeders and learn how they are addressing these issues in their own businesses."

Past attendees agree: "This is my favorite and most informational event I attend all year," said one, while another commented, "It was very much worth the time investment to be here. Excellent speakers and networking opportunity."

When it's all about a quality product and strong bottom line, the chance for cattlemen to bounce ideas off each other and ask questions on current issues can

be a big asset. "It's designed to be a one-day meeting packed with information relative to current industry issues,' Dunkel says.

The agenda for each of the sections is identical, kicking off with past favorite Dan Basse, president of AgResource Company.

His unique, worldwide perspective on the grain and livestock markets and the factors affecting them has traditionally been top rated.

Other presentations by beef industry experts will include a critique and next steps for the USDA yield grading system, feeder cattle health and antibiotics, how to know when cattle are done and finally, how external influences impact the industry.

Sponsoring the event are Zoetis, Roto-mix, Feedlot magazine, Micronutrients and Certified Angus Beef

Attendance is by advance reservation until all seats are taken, and remains at the same \$50 level as in years past for all registrations by August 7. As space allows, late reservations will be accepted at

Sign-in time is 9:30 a m and the fee includes a CAB lunch honoring 2016 FQF Industry Achievement Award winner Larry Corah. Online registration is available

www.feedingqualityforum.c om, or contact Marilyn Conley at 800-225-2333 or mconley@certifiedangusbeef.com



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MARKET REPORT FOR TUESDAY, JULY 12, 2106

	RECEIPTS:	1215 CATTLE	
STEERS		18 blk gry strs	803@136.25
2 blk males	275@195.00	3 blk strs	971@128.50
3 blk strs	395@180.00	8 hols x strs	716@115.00
10 blk strs	452@169.00	18 hols strs	510@108.00
7 blk strs	468@168.50	HEIF	ERS
24 blk strs	523@166.00	1 blk hfr	235@180.00
6 blk strs	529@159.00	8 blk hfrs	425@144.75
9 blk bwf strs	599@157.50	8 blk hfrs	580@144.50
45 blk bbf strs	555@157.50	35 blk hfrs	530@144.00
8 bwf rwf strs	603@156.00	7 bwf rwf hfrs	528@142.00
32 blk bbf strs	655@155.00	28 blk bbf hfrs	482@140.50
14 blk strs	566@151.75	14 blk hfrs	633@140.25
5 blk strs	646@148.00	26 mix hfrs	555@139.85
21 blk red strs	541@147.50	5 blk hfrs	617@139.50
10 blk strs	657@147.00	21 blk bwf hfrs	
24 mix strs	805@146.75	7 blk hfrs	598@138.50
16 blk strs	653@146.50	7 bwf rwf hfrs	717@137.00
7 blk bwf strs	799@144.50	9 blk red hfrs	625@137.00
10 blk strs	696@144.00	7 blk red hfrs	732@136.00
15 blk bwf strs	782@141.25	14 blk hfrs	634@135.50
8 blk strs	710@141.00	19 blk bwf hfrs	685@135.25
10 blk bwf strs	760@139.00	6 blk hfrs	705@135.00
33 mix strs	663@137.75		615@131.50
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15 blk strs	692@137.00	34 mix hfrs	758@127.75

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- 150 str & hfr calves, blk & red Angus, homeraised, 600-750 lbs.
- 115 mix steers, 850 lbs.
- 120 mostly black heifers, 775 lbs. 280 mixed heifers, 725-750 lbs.
- 110 mix steers, 925 lbs.
- 65 mix steers, 800 lbs.
- 50-60 mix steers & heifers, weaned, 550-600 lbs.
- 40 mix open heifers, 1,000 lbs. We welcome your consignments!

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Huelskamp votes to put the brakes on Obama's EPA by cutting funding

skamp (KS-01) supported the FY2017 appropriations for the Department of the Interior, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA),

passed the House 231-196 last Thursday afternoon.

This legislation cuts EPA funding by \$164 million and removes over \$43 million

House sets Feed the **Future into statute**

On Wednesday, July 6, the House of Representatives set Feed the Future into statute by passing the Global Food Security Act. Feed the Future, designed to reduce global hunger and increase food security, includes partnerships with university researchers, including the Feed the Future Innovation Lab for Collaborative Research on Sorghum and Millet at Kansas State University. While the program is designed to help reduce global hunger and increase food security, the research involved on challenges like drought hardiness and disease resistance may also benefit sorghum farmers in the United States.

The bill also authorized the Emergency Food Security Program, which allows for cash vouchers and regional procurement of international food aid. Legislators assured the legislation will not extend these rules to the Food for Peace program, through which U.S. commodities are sent as food aid to countries in need.

and related agencies. It from the EPA's efforts to enforce burdensome regulations. Most important, this bill includes language requested by Congressman Huelskamp to prohibit the Obama Administration from enforcing the EPA's Waters of the United States (WOTUS) rule and puts a stop to any further efforts on Lesser Prairie Chicken reg-

> Huelskamp issued the following statement:

> "The Clean Water Act was never intended to allow Washington to regulate every road ditch, farm pond, prairie pothole, swimming pool, water tank, and rain puddle. And concern over a bird should not be used to suppress our economy. We must rein in the power that is being usurped by the Obama Administration. This follows our legislation the House passed this week to restore the separation of powers that our Founders

prescribed in the Constitution."

The bill also prohibited the EPA from implementing new, expansive, scientifically-questionable greenhouse gas regulations for new and existing power plants.

Congressman Huelskamp rebuked the EPA for their mistreatment of those in rural America: "The EPA has done so much damage to our rural way of life, by attacking my fellow farmers, ranchers, and those in our oil and gas industries that fuel our economy. I am proud to support this legislation to curtail Obama's abuse of executive power.

Valley Heights FFA member wins Kansas **FFA Job Interview Event**

Taylor Doner of the Valley Heights FFA chapter earned first place in the Job Interview Career Development Event (CDE) during the opening ceremony of the 88th annual Kansas FFA State Convention, June 1, 2016, on the Kansas State University campus.

Doner took home the top honor in the CDE, which challenges members to prepare a detailed resume and professional application and to participate in mock interviews. With the win, Doner is eligible to compete in the National Job Interview CDE at the National FFA Convention in fall 2016.

Second place in the job interview CDE went to Allison Dix from the Stockton FFA chapter. John Garrett, Washburn Rural FFA, received third place; Natalie Harris, Chapman FFA, placed fourth; SaRae Rob-erts, Hillsboro FFA, placed fifth and Anna Anderson-Johnson, Royal Valley FFA, placed sixth.

The Job Interview CDE was sponsored by the Landoll Corporation and MKC.



Yard & Garden Tips By Gregg Eyestone

Leaf Feeding Caterpillars

Several caterpillars have been out feeding on our local plants. They have been found on vegetables as well as our ornamental plants. Caterpillars feeding on vegetables will reduce production and likely will need stopped. Feeding on ornamentals is less damaging but may warrant some re-

Numerous tobacco hornworms were feeding on my tomato plants. Missing leaves and their waste product where the first indicators. Looking closer, the tomato stem-colored caterpillars are noticed. Hand removal is easy and immediate. Several insecticides that contain either Bt, spinosad or cyfluthrin or other insecticides may also be used to control most cater-

My four-year-old Quaking Aspen has been a food source for the larvae of the Popular Leafroller Moth.

10:30 AM

The larvae feed on the leaves of poplar, birch and willow. Leaves are tied together and eaten. My tree is now defoliated. Deciduous trees can send out new leaves. Recurring defoliation will sap out all of the energy from the tree.

Insects that protect themselves by rolling plant tissue over themselves make treatment more difficult. The first few leaves I saw, I tore open and removed the larvae. I apparently missed some.

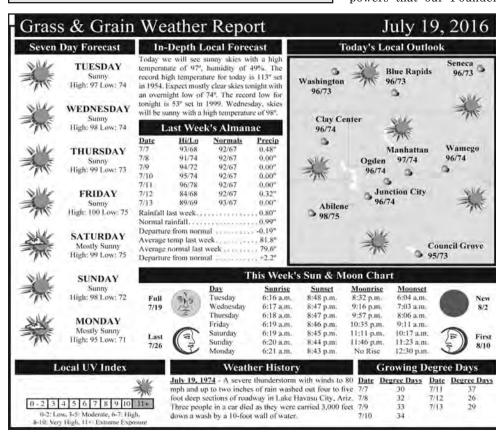
If you notice leaves disappearing from walnut trees, it may be walnut caterpillars. Walnut caterpillars attack primarily black walnut, pecan, and several species of hickory trees, but may also attack birch, oak, willow, honey locust, and apple trees. Walnut caterpillars overwinter as pupae underground beneath host trees. In late spring, moths emerge and

deposit egg clusters on lower leaves. By the end of June, newly emerged and gregarious larvae skeletonize leaves. Larger hairy, brick-red larvae consume greater amounts of leaf tissue, and nearly matured gray larvae devour entire leaves, including petioles.

Catalpa sphinx has been found defoliating isolated Catalpa trees. The "catawba worms" are highly prized as fish bait. Established trees should be fine.

Monitor your plants. If you have a concern, give me a call.

You can find out more information on this and other horticulture topics by going to the Riley County, K-State Research and Extension website at www.riley.ksu. edu. Gregg may be contacted by calling 785-537-6350 or stopping by 110 Courthouse Plaza in Manhattan or email: geyeston@ksu.edu



By **STARTING TIME**

Or Buy We sold 1200 cattle July 12. Steer and heifer calves sold at steady prices. Feeder steers and heifers were \$3.00-5.00 lower. 1 blk hfrt

Sell

Cows and bulls v		i lieliels wele 33	5.00-5.00 lower.
	ILL CALVES	54 blk/char strs	991 @ 127 10
1 char str	320 @ 171.00		
1 wf str	410 @ 166.00	HEIFER	
1 blk bull			230 @ 171.00
1 blk str	490 @ 163.00		260 @ 161.00
1 blk str	460 @ 157.00		445 @ 150.00
13 blk/red strs			
1 bwf str	370 @ 150.00	1 bwf hfr	430 @ 140.00
2 bwf strs	493 @ 145.00		500 @ 135.00
1 blk bull			
STOCKER & FE	EDER STEERS	2 blk hfrs	478 @ 130.00
44 blk/red strs	601 @ 156.75	STOCKER & FE	EDER HEIFERS
9 blk/bwf strs	682 @ 153.00	64 blk hfrs	843 @ 134.60
8 blk strs	624 @ 146.50	60 mix hfrs	810 @ 134.25
6 x-bred strs	631 @ 146.50	47 mix hfrs	676 @ 132.50
30 blk/bwf strs	800 @ 145.85	67 mix hfrs	759 @ 132.25
10 blk/bwf strs	611 @ 145.00	2 blk hfrs	630 @ 131.50
61 blk/red strs	839 @ 144.50	1 blk hfr	550 @ 131.00
62 blk/bwf strs	874 @ 142.00	1 blk hfr	625 @ 130.00
118 blk/bwf strs	871 @ 138.00	25 blk hfrs	679 @ 128.25
56 blk/red strs	926 @ 137.75	10 bwf/blk hfrs	788 @ 128.00
58 blk/char strs	910 @ 137.35	1 blk hfr	635 @ 126.00
32 blk strs	709 @ 137.25		919 @ 119.75
59 mix strs	916 @ 134.00	1 blk hfr	950 @ 116.00

COWS & HEIFERETTES 1200 @ 77.00 1 blk cow/cf 1 brang cow 1100 @ 110.00 1095 @ 76.50 1 blk cow/cf 1238 @ 106.00 2 blk/bwf cows 1170 @ 76.00 4 char cows 1300 @ 75.50 1185 @ 94.00 2 blk cows 1 blk cow 1163 @ 75.00 1 red cow 1405 @ 85.50 2 blk cows 1188 @ 74.75 1433 @ 85.00 2 x-bred cows 2 blk cows 981 @ 74.50 1 blk cow 1125 @ 84.50 4 blk cows 1160 @ 74.50 3 blk cows 2 blk cows 1503 @ 84.00 1155 @ 74.00 2 blk/red cows 1 blk cow 1295 @ 83.50 6 blk/red cows 1298 @ 83.50 1155 @ 73.50 1 blk cow 1065 @ 72.50 1 char cow 1305 @ 83.00 2 x-bred cows 960 @ 71.50 3 x-bred cows 1350 @ 83.00 1 x-bred cow 1335 @ 70.50 2 blk cows 1237 @ 82.50 1 blk cow 1550 @ 82.50 2 blk cows 1105 @ 70.00 1 blk cow 2 blk cows 990 @ 69.50

1 red cow

1 blk cow

1 blk cow

1255 @ 82.00

1170 @ 81.50

1308 @ 81.00

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