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## Column One Events

### Bancroft Rotary to hold meeting

The Bancroft Area Rotary Club will meet Tuesday, August 30, at the Bancroft City Hall at 12:00 noon.

### Bancroft Historical Museum Weekends

The Bancroft Historical Museum will be open every Saturday 9:00 - 12:00 throughout the summer. They are also open by appointment.

### Don and Kathy Swanson Benefit to be held

A benefit will be held for Don and Kathy Swanson on Sunday, August 28 starting with a hog roast from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Swea City Fire Hall. A silent auction will be held during the meal with a live auction starting at 1:00 p.m. If you are unable to attend, donations may be made to First United Methodist Church, C/O Don Swanson, PO Box 525, Swea City, IA 50590. Supplemented by Thrivent Financial, Kossuth County Chapter 31156. Money will go towards incurring significant expenses because of Don, a painter, falling several feet from a scaffolding onto the cement.

### Wolf's to be honored for 60th wedding anniversary

Join friends and family honoring George (Sonny) Jan Wolf at an open house reception in honor of their 60th wedding anniversary on Saturday, August 27 following 4:00 p.m. Mass from 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. at Waters Edge Nature Center at Smith Lake in Algona.

### Bridal shower to be held for Stephanie Ingalls

A come and go bridal shower for Stephanie Ingalls, bride to be of Andy Kollasch, will be held on Saturday, August 27 from 9:00 - 11:00 a.m. at the Main Street Pub and Grill in Bancroft. Registered at Kohls and Target.

### BHS Board of Directors to hold meeting

The Board of Directors of the Bancroft Historical Society will meet on Tuesday, August 30 at 6:00 in the museum. Everyone is welcome to attend.

### Bancroft Community Foundation accepting fall grant requests

The opportunity for fall grant requests is here again. The Bancroft Community Foundation, Inc. invites individuals and groups with grant proposals to remember that applications for funds are due Monday, October 3, 2016. The grants receiving funding will be announced by the end of the month. Requests can be turned in to foundation secretary, Phil Jaren, Jr. at Office, Etc. or mailed to Bancroft Community Foundation, Inc., P.O. Box 53, Bancroft, IA 50517.

The Bancroft Community Foundation, Inc., a tax deductible 501.c.3 entity, has been instrumental in the success of many projects in the past few years. Funds are given to projects within the foundation's guidelines.

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Spencer Doerning, left, from the Reading Incentive Program" and Trevor Hellman, right, from the "Read-to-Me Program" were the lucky recipients of new bikes that were given away during the Bancroft Library's Summer Reading Program. The winners were drawn during the library's award program on August 6. The two boys chose their bikes from the selection at Shillington Hardware.

## Bancroft Public Library's Summer Reading Program ends with award day

Eighty-four children registered to participate in the Bancroft Public Library's Summer Reading Program "On Your Mark, Get Set...READ!" this year. Forty-one of those children completed this program and have been awarded with a new book of their choice donated by the Farmers & Traders Savings Bank. Each child also received many fun prizes from the library for finishing the program.

The library held their Award Day on Saturday, August 6 to present these children with their awards. The kids were very excited to receive their awards, new books and watch the fun magic show. Family entertainer Jim Jayes performed his magic tricks for all in attendance made possible with donations from Bancroft Cargo Express, Bancroft Implement, Bob Boland Ford, Deitering Brothers, Hawkeye Care Center, Jim Gage & Co., C.P.A.'s, Kollasch Repair, Main

Street Pub & Grill, Dr. Terry Monson, North Iowa Commodities, North Kossuth Auto & Farm Supply and the Styling Station. Kris Ostwald donated homemade, beautifully decorated sugar cookies for all to enjoy.

After the magic show, magician Jim Jayes drew the names of the two lucky bike winners. All forty-one children who completed the program had their names placed in the drawing for the two new bicycles. The bike winners were Trevor Hellman from the "Read-to-Me Program" and Spencer Doerning from the "Reading Incentive Program".

The following children completed the "On Your Mark, Get Set...READ!" Summer Reading Program held at the Bancroft Public Library:

Preschool through kindergarten: Gabe Aleman, Nolan Antoine, Asa Beenken, Ascher Beenken, Axel Beenken, Edward Champney, Alec

Deitering, Asher Deitering, Riley Doerning, Landon Eichenberger, Delaney Fessler, Samuel Foix, Courtney Fraker, Ellie Goche, Kaden Grimm, Kenna Hatten, Trevor Hellman, Danika Klenz, Dawson Lappe, Roslyn McGregor, Knox Neren and Keagan Vaske.

Congratulations to all these children ~ we know how hard all of you worked to achieve your reading goals this summer and we are very proud of each one of you!



Kegan Berte and Jaelyn Antoine were two of the volunteers who helped magician Jim Jayes perform a magic act during the Bancroft Library's Awards Program held on August 6.



The annual Ledyard Tractor Ride traveled through the streets of Bancroft on Friday morning, August 19. They were on their way to their next stop at StateLine Coop, located south of Bancroft. They then made their way back to Ledyard in time for the 50th annual American Legion chicken supper.

## North Kossuth School Board approves a variety of items

By Kim Meyer  
staff writer

North Kossuth and North Union School Boards meet in a work session on Monday, August 15 in Swea City. Roark Horn from SAI facilitated a discussion between the two boards on the 50/50 superintendent sharing.

Following this meeting, the North Kossuth School Board held their regular scheduled meeting. During the meeting, the board approved bids for milk and for bread.

They also approved the Instructional Support Levy Resolution which is required by the state to continue funding to the district.

They also approved:

\* Mentoring and Induction Plan that lays out help for first and second year teachers. Each month, the teachers have a follow up with their mentor who is there as their support system.

\* LAU plan

\* hiring of Chris Hanson as the middle school cross country coach

\* approved open enrollments for four kindergarten students from North Union and one first grader from North Union and open enrollment out for a kindergarten student to Algona.

Principal Julie Runksmeier informed the board that she was holding a new teacher orientation day for the four new teachers, Chris Hanson who replaced Marcy Norland, Katie Uken who replaced Tiffani Stevens, Jennifer Stahl who replaced Troy Adams and Jordan Larson who replaced Ashlee Nagle.

The day gives the teachers a chance to meet everyone and prepare them for the upcoming school year.

A new thing the school is doing this year is holding an open house.

During the open house, the parents and students have a chance to meet their teachers, find their room and locker.

She also spoke about the school bus policy which she handed out to board. Transportation director Nathan Hanson will be visiting the elementary classrooms and speak to the students about the bus policy.

Superintendent Travis Schueller attended the School Administration of Iowa conference where he spoke to several vendors. One vendor was Modern Builders about the school roof. A representative came and did a ground assessment but will be back to go on the roof when the temperatures are lower. He will then present his findings and recommendations.

Chris Stevens capped the chimney to make sure that water from the chimney was not leaking into the teacher's lounge.

The board approved the 28E agreement to share ELL Coordinator with North Iowa CSD for the 2016-17 school year. The ELL Coordinator will be Renee Hager.

Also approved 28E agreement to share School Librarian, Erin Anderson, with North Iowa CSD for the 2016-17 school year.

The two 28E sharing agreements will help the district save money.

A long discussion was held about raising the spending limit of the superintendent. The current limit that the superintendent could spend without board approval was \$2,000. Superintendent Schueller checked with other Top of the Iowa conference schools and stated that the range of spending limits were \$10,000 to \$25,000. North Union's limit is \$15,000.

Schueller stated he would inform the board if a large expense should occur he would make sure the board knew about the expenditure and receive their input.

By raising the limit, the board wanted to show their trust in Schueller. All members present, minus Rick Bauer, voted yes for the limit raise to \$15,000.

Business Manager Erin Rogers educated the board about the PPEL levy. Currently, the board has a 33¢ board approved levy which brings in monies to help with building projects, bus leases, etc. Currently, the NK Districts PPEL fund is starting to dwindle and the low funds can affect what the district can accomplish with future projects.

By having a voter approved PPEL, it would bring additional money into the district to help the district be more proactive toward future problems that could occur.

With consolidation of the two districts in the near future, if the voter approved PPEL is not the same, North Union's levy would be lowered to the North Kossuth levied amount.

If the board would put the PPEL levy on the ballot, they want to make sure the public is well educated on why the money is needed and what projects would benefit from the extra money.

A meeting with both NU and NK boards along with Mike Billings, who helped in the superintendent search, will be held in the near future. The meeting will take around two hours and discuss the goals and expectations of the board and superintendent.

The next NK board meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. on September 19.

## Large Farm Auction on August 30th with Dave Guerdet and Jerry Clark

By Tina Engelbarts, Staff Writer

Auctioneering services are nothing new to Dave Guerdet as he has been doing this since 2001 with Jerry Clark but now he has quit farming to do this full time and has opened up an auction facility that can be utilized year round at 4008 60th Avenue in Swea City, Iowa (just 2 miles west and 2 1/2 miles south of Swea City, actually). Dave and Jerry are local auctioneers that have lived and worked in the Swea City and Ledyard areas their entire lives. They have done auctions all over the territory and do all of the work from start (set up) to finish (getting everything out).

Last year, they hooked up with an auctioneer out of Fairmont named Steve Fausch and now there are 3 full time auctioneers - a full team. For consignment auctions in Fairmont, they use the Fairmont Armory but for local ones they will use the Swea City location.

Have you ever heard of Proxibid? On August 30th at 9:30 AM, there is a large farm consignment auction.

tion at the Swea City site and bidding will be available online through Proxibid. According to Dave, the process is simple if you cannot attend the auction and everything is very safe and secure. They are the only company in the area with online presence and there are over 2.5 million active buy-



Mike Schmidt of Titonka, who drove his John Deere 2010, was one of the many individuals who rode in the Ledyard Tractor Ride on Friday, August 19.

## Come and rock the night away with Farm Rock

By Kim Meyer  
staff writer

The Bancroft Chamber of Commerce will be holding their annual customer appreciation night on Saturday, August 27.

The night will start off with the Bancroft Fire Department serving a meal starting at 5:00 p.m., located on main street in Bancroft. They will be serving ribeye and chips for \$8.00 and hamburger and chips for \$5.00. The fire department is also in charge of the beer garden. All proceeds will go towards the new EMS building.

Make sure you stick around and listen to the new and upcoming Farm Rock Band. They will entertain the young and old from 8:00 p.m. to midnight between Nyman TV and Furniture and Main Street Pub and Grill.

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North Kossuth Golf Course Men's and Women's Club Tournament winners were Russ Vaske with scores of 38-37-39 and Andrea Accola-Sabin with scores of 46-43. The tournament was held on August 6.



# Meet the new North Union High School teachers

The North Union High School has two new teachers this year. Get to know a little bit about them by reading their answers to questions below:



**Brianna Porter**  
9-12 School Counselor

**HOBBIES OR FAVORITE PAST TIME** Family and friends are very important to me so often times I am busy doing activities with people who are close to me. I enjoy crafts, singing, reading, participating in activities, and TV. My interest are pretty vast.

Next week the new teachers from the North Union Elementary, Middle School and the North Kossuth Elementary will be featured. Welcome these new guides of our youth to the communities by saying hello and visiting with them.



**Travis Abbas**  
Agricultural Education/Biology

**HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE EDUCATION:** I attended Oskaloosa High School and Bachelors Degree from Buena Vista University in psychology and human services. I am currently in the process of finishing up masters Masters in School Counseling at Buena Vista University. GO BEAVERS !!

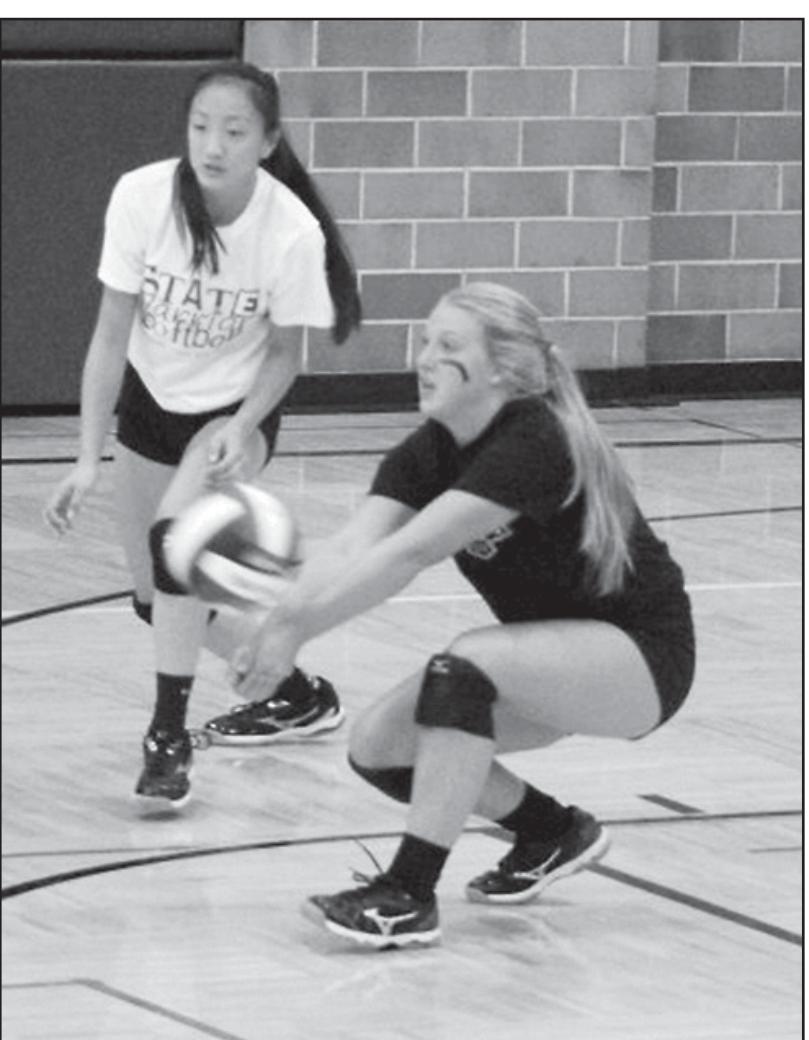
**PREVIOUS TEACHING EXPERIENCE:** I was a career counselor at Ottumwa Job Corps working with the students enrolled at the community college. Prior to that my roles have been in the Human Services field while I was working on my masters in school counseling.

**WHY DID YOU WANT TO GO INTO THE TEACHING FIELD:** I enjoy working with youth and assisting them in achieving their goals and dreams. I also know the impact schools have on a students outlook on learning. I want to be a positive influence in kids lives and to help create successful members of communities.

**WHAT ARE YOUR GOALS FOR THE UPCOMING SCHOOL YEAR:** My main goal is to build relationships. I want to build positive relationships with students, parents, teachers, community members ect. Also, to have a fantastic first year with North Union !!

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** I grew up on a small farm West of Aplington, Iowa with a small farrow to finish hog operation and a corn/soybean crop rotation.

**HOBBIES OR FAVORITE PAST TIME:** I enjoy anything outdoors such as hiking, hunting, fishing, boating etc. and also love all sports.



North Union Warrior volleyball player Maci Marlow receives the volleyball as teammate Dayna Umscheid waits for the next move during their scrimmage on Friday, August 19 in Armstrong. In addition to the scrimmage, a meet greet was held for the volleyball team and cross country team. The volleyball team will begin their season with an away game against North Iowa on Tuesday, August 30 in Buffalo Center. The cross country teams first meet will be in Spencer on August 25.

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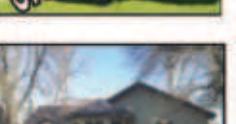
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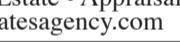
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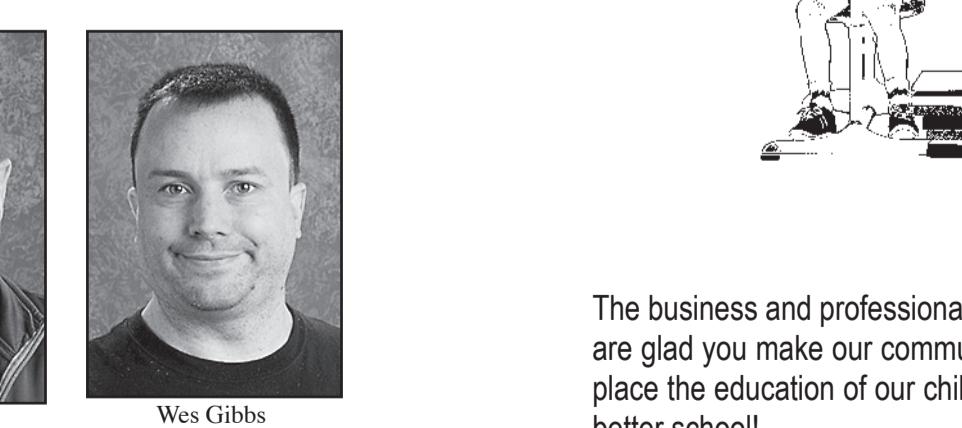
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# Bancroft Museum Memories



By Marjorie Fitzgerald

I thought I had seen every picture which was ever taken of Main Street, Bancroft in its early years. I was mistaken! When a customer brought this photo in to Kollasch Repair, he told Mark Kollasch that he had found it among his father's old pictures. Mark consulted with friends and eventually loaned it to Gene Elsbecker, who loaned it to me. I was impressed with the sharp images, and the close ups of the store fronts.

To get the proper view of the scene, I stood in front of the Styling Station and looked across the street toward the northwest. The only buildings remaining today are the three on the right side. They are Nyman TV & Furniture (Storage)- Sparky's Garage, Tigges Chiropractic Clinic, and Spa Dee Doh, Too!

There has been some debate as to when the photo was taken, so I decided that I needed to do some serious research to get the answer. My source of information is the Bancroft Centennial Book (1881-1981).

On April 20, 1914, William D. Lattimer and J.H. Menke purchased the lot (where the garage now stands) from P.A. Lonergan and his wife. The partners, whose names are written on the sign next to Bancroft Auto Co. did build the garage in 1914. On July 15, 1918, J.H. Menke bought W.D. Lattimer's share. The sturdy blocks used in the construction of the garage, were made by hand in the basement

of the unoccupied house located two blocks north of the east end of Main Street. After one hundred years, the blocks remain in excellent condition. The owners of Bancroft Auto Co. sold Overlands, Fords and Buicks. Perhaps they are some of the vehicles in the picture. Do you see that the car in front appears to have been a convertible? How cool was that!

The museum closes for the year on Labor Day. We would be happy to have you visit us on Saturday morning from 9:00AM until Noon and on Labor Day.

Help preserve Bancroft's heritage. Support your local museum.

## Congregate Meals in Bancroft

Wednesday, August 24: Baked chicken, baked potato, three bean salad, peaches tomato juice

Thursday, August 25: Roast beef, potatoes w/gravy, carrots and broccoli, applesauce Jello orange slices

Friday, August 26: Chicken rice casserole, beets or layered lettuce, hot fruit compote, chocolate chip bar, OJ

Monday, August 29: Cook's Choice

Tuesday, August 30: Lemon herb chicken, rice pilaf, broccoli, strawberries and bananas, tomato juice

Wednesday, August 31: Sloppy Joe on WW bun, potato wedges, brussel sprouts with cranberries, tapioca pudding.

Thursday, September 1: Goulash, spinach, WW garlic bread, oatmeal fruit bar, banana half

Friday, September 2: Salisbury ground beef, mashed potatoes, peas and carrots, mixed fruit, cranberry juice

Menu is subject to change

Saturday, August 27  
3:15 - 3:45 p.m. - Confessions at St. John's, Bancroft

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
Swea City, IA  
Pastor Todd Hartsock

Thursday, August 25  
7:00 - 7:30 a.m. - Exercise Class

Sunday, August 28  
8:45 a.m. - Worship Service

10:00 a.m. - Fellowship

Tuesday, August 30  
7:00 - 7:30 a.m. - Exercise Class

7:00 p.m. - Bible Study

Thursday, September 1  
7:00 - 7:30 a.m. - Exercise Class

BETHANY EVANGELICAL & REFORMED CHURCH  
Ledyard, Iowa

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Pastor Samuel Belz

Sunday, August 28  
9:00 a.m. - Worship

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH  
Bancroft, Iowa  
Pastor Jim Dewar

Sunday, August 28  
9:30 a.m. - Sunday School

10:30 a.m. - Worship Service

6:30 p.m. - Worship Service

Wednesday, August 31  
7:30 p.m. - Bible Study, Children's Classes, and Prayer Time

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN  
Lakota, Iowa  
Judy Junkermeyer, CLM

Sunday, August 28  
10:00 a.m. - Worship Service

5:00 p.m. Titonka Care Center

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH  
Lakota, Iowa  
Interim Judy Wozniak

Sunday, August 28  
10:30 a.m. - Worship Service

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
Lone Rock, Iowa

Pastor Walter Reentsma

Sunday, August 28  
9:00 a.m. - Worship Service at Blakjer Lutheran Church

Monday, August 29  
8:30 a.m. Community coffee at Memory Park weather permitting Alternate Site: Lone Rock Presbyterian Church

Tuesday, August 30  
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## Don & Kathy Swanson Benefit

by  
Swea City United Methodist Church & Friends of  
Donny & Kathy Swanson

### Sunday, August 28

Meal: 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. -- Free Will Donation

Silent Auction: (during meal) -- Ends at 1 p.m.

Live Auction: Starts at 1 p.m.

Location: Swea City Fire Station, Hwy. #9  
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**TRACTORS AND COMBINE:** Oliver Mod. 1955 Tractor; Versatile Mod. 835 4WD Tractor, Duals, Good running tractor; JD 4650 Duals, Front tank & weights; White Mod. 185 MFWD Duals, New interior, Air Ride Seat; **COMBINE:** TR99 New Combine Duals, Chopper, Ag leader, Excellent Condition; New Holland 973 Bean Head w/transport; New Holland 6R Corn Head (no transport); **New Idea 708 Uni-System** w/model 767 Chopper attachment; Model 737 Corn Picker Attachment for New Idea Uni-System; New Idea Throat; New Idea Hay Pick Up Attachment; New Idea Throat w/444 Corn head; Ferguson Tractor, perfect for restoration; White Mod. 8900 Combine w/bean Head (for parts); Massey Ferguson Model 165 tractor w/Westendorf loader; More Possible By Auction.

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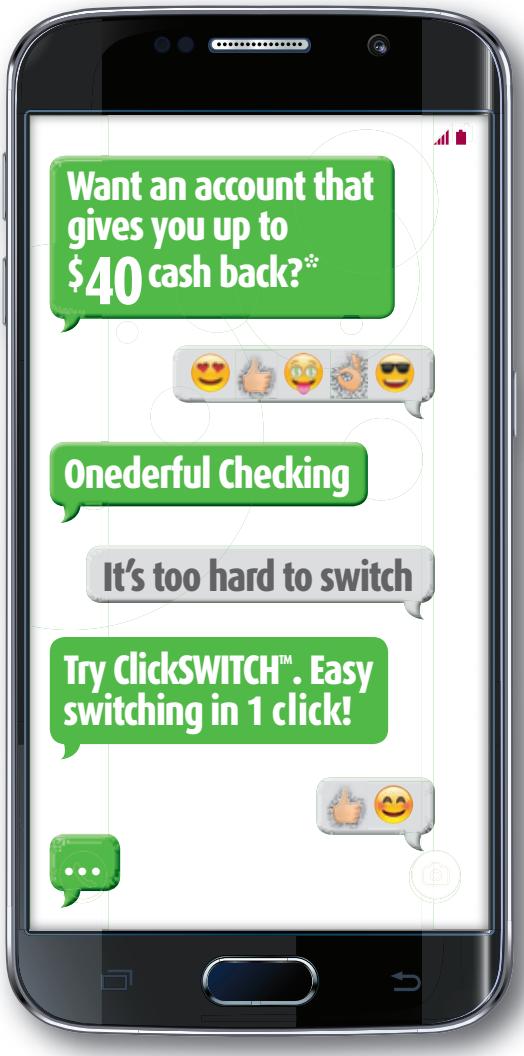
**GRAIN HANDLING EQUIPMENT:** Bradford 250Bu Model 240-316 Wagon, Good gear; Parker Gravity Flow Wagon Model 5250, Single Door; Parker Gravity Flow Wagon Model 625 Single door; 1996 Kenworth w/sleeper; 2011 42' Jet-Co Double Hopper Grain Trailer (new tires, good condition); 1994 WhiteGMC Semi w/sleeper; 1974 Wilson Tow Behind Single Hopper Trailers; 1975 GMC Grain Truck, Single Axle, Bad breaks, Engine runs; 2004 Brent Auger Wagon 38' Duals, Independent Suspension, 22' Auger; 10 X 66' Feterl Auger w/Orbital lift PTO hopper; 10' x 60' Feterl Auger w/orbital lift & hopper; 10'X66' Auger w/Hopper; 10' x 35' PTO Driven Truck Auger; 1975 C65 Grain Truck w/Hydr. Lift Tag Axle, 22' Scott Box; Brent Mod. 670 Grain Cart; Parker Model 710 grain cart w/roll tarp & large rubbers; Kory 250 bu. Gravity box w/10ton gear; Schultz gravity box 250bu w/10 ton Westendorf gear; 225 bu Gravity box Model 1055 w/JD gear.

**MOWERS:** Hustler "Fastrack" 54" zero turn mower (good condition); 2010 61" Snapper Mod. S800 "Pro" mower w/284Hours, 28HP Kawasaki FX motor w/electric deck lift; 2013 61" Snapper mower w/325Hours, Mid deck 200 "Pro Series"; 2011 Hustler mower w/414Hours Super Z "66" ZR-7 w/Kohler 30HP Engine, "Air Ride Seat"

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Bills will be out this week and moving forward will be back on track for the coming months. Understandably this is a frustrating issue and your patience is appreciated as things are sorted out. One month of bills will be prorated over the next several billing cycles to prevent a "double bill" from being sent out.

If you have questions or concerns please contact Armstrong City Hall at 712-864-3535.

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