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OFFICE OF JUDICIAL ADMINISTRATION

COURT OF APPEALS DOCKET

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KANSAS COURT OF APPEALS

COURT OF APPEALS COURTROOM, 3RD FLOOR, OLD SEDGWICK COUNTY COURTHOUSE 541 NORTH MAIN, WICHITA, KANSAS

Before BRISCOE, P.J., ABBOTT and SWINEHART, JJ.

Thursday, August 16, 1984

| Case No. | Case Name | Attorney | County |
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| | 9:00 | a.m. | |
| • 56,052 | State of Kansas, appellee, | Atty. Gen.; Geary Gorup, Asst. D.A. | Sedgwick |
| 1 | Jesus Herrera Prieto, appellant. | Brent I. Anderson. | |
| 56,386 | State of Kansas, appellee, | Atty. Gen.; Geary Gorup, Asst. D.A. | Sedgwick |
| | Robert E. Seltun, appellant. | Fred A. Beaty. | |
| 55,989 | State of Kansas, appellee, | Atty: Gen.; Geary Gorup, Asst. D.A. | Sedgwick |
| | v. Alfred Thomas Wilburn, appellant. | Willard L. Thompson, Jr. | |
| 55,812 | State of Kansas, appellee, | Atty. Gen.; Geary Gorup, Asst. D.A. | Sedgwick |
| | v. Michael E. Cowden, appellant. | Dominic J. DeSandro. | |
| 56,267 | In the Interest of: Sasha Armstrong, Nathan Armstrong, Natasha Armstrong, | Jon S. Womack; William Griffith; Gabrielle Thompson; Shannon | Sedgwick |
| | Annie Armstrong, Carolyn Armstrong & Linda Armstrong, Minor Children Under 18 Years of Age. | Krysl; Harold Pickler; Stan Singleton; Geary Gorup, Asst. D.A. | |
| 55,955 | State of Kansas, appellee, | Atty. Gen.; Ann E. Swegle, Asst. D.A. | Sedgwick |
| | William E. McConnell, appellant. | James S. Phillips, Jr. | |
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| | 1:30 1 | p.m. | |
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| 56,023 | State of Kansas, appellee, | Atty. Gen. David Roberts, Asst. Co. Atty. | Reno |
| | V. Frank G. Perez & Esteban J. Mendoza, appellants. | Richard J. Rome. | |
| 55,705 | In the Interest of Baby Boy Bryant, a/k/a/ Roy Bryant, a Child Under the Age of 18 Years. | Gregory C. Nye, for appellant. Michael E. Cleary, Asst. Co. Atty; Robert D. Myers; Larry R. Baer. | Harvey |
| 56,374 | State of Kansas, appellee, | Atty. Gen.; Larry T. Solomon, Co. Atty. | Kingman |
| | v. Kenneth W. Shofler, appellant. | Curtis E. Watkins. | |
| 56,200 | In the Interest of Templeton Wayne King, a Minor Child Under 18 Years of Age. | Carolyn J. Blakemore. Jeffery L. Carmichael; David L. Nelson. | Sedgwick |
| 56,089 | State of Kansas, appellee, | Atty. Gen.; Elizabeth H. Macauley, Asst. D.A. | Sedgwick |
| | V. Clyde E. Weniger & Bonnie Weniger, appellants. | S.A. (Tim) Scimeca. | • |
| | Friday, Augi | ust 17, 1984 | |
| | 9:00 | a.m. | |
| 56,388 | State of Kansas, appellee, | Atty. Gen.; David Moses, Asst. D.A. | Sedgwick |
| | v. Billie J. Buckley, appellant. | Michael D. Wilson. | |
| 56,036 | State of Kansas, appellee, | Atty. Gen.; David Moses, Asst. D.A. | Sedgwick |
| | v. Tyrone H. Powell & Robert E. Horton, appellants. | Chester I. Lewis; David Michael Rapp. | |
| 56,084 | State of Kansas, appellee, | Atty. Gen.; Gregory Waller, Asst. D.A. | Sedgwick |
| | v. Rocklyn Harris, appellant. | David Michael Rapp. | |
| 56,433 | Richard Lee McCarther, appellant, | David Michael Rapp. | Sedgwick |
| | v. State of Kansas, appellee. | Atty. Gen.; Geary N. Gorup, Asst. D.A. | |
| 56,168 | State of Kansas, appellee, | Atty. Gen.; Geary Gorup, Asst. D.A. | Sedgwick |
| 55,602 | Ronald E. Pratt, appellant. State of Kansas, appellee, | Kenton D. Wirth. Atty. Gen.; Geary Gorup, Asst. D.A. | Sedgwick |
| | v. Robert W. Conner & Robert L. Lowther, appellants. | Jack Focht; Charles D. Dedmon. | |
| 56,511 | State of Kansas, appellee, | Atty. Gen.; Geary Gorup, Asst. D.A. | Sedgwick |
| | Iran E. Wheeler, appellant. | C. Warner Eisenbise. | |
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KANSAS COURT OF APPEALS COURT OF APPEALS COURTROOM, 2ND FLOOR, KANSAS JUDICIAL CENTER 301 WEST TENTH, TOPEKA, KANSAS

Before BRISCOE, P.J., ABBOTT and SWINEHART, JJ.

Tuesday, August 21, 1984 9:00 a.m.

| | J:00 | W.III. | |
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| 56,236 | Ronald L. Mathia, Claimant/Appellee, | Gary L. Jordan. | Douglas |
| | v | | |
| | The Charles E. Scott Co., Respondent, & | James F. Martin; | |
| • | United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., | Albert M. Ross. | ₹. |
| | Insurance Carrier, appellants, & Kansas | 7110010 1111 20000 | |
| | Workers' Comp. Fund. | | |
| 56,247 | State of Kansas, appellee, | Atty. Gen.; | Douglas |
| | appoince, | Jerry Harper, Co. Atty. | Douglus |
| | v. | jony marpon, con may. | |
| | Steven Kent Latimer, appellant. | Robert D. Hecht. | |
| 56,208 | Charles Kirtdoll, #20821, appellant, | Gary Ellis. | Riley |
| S.C. | " and a sure of the sure of th | Gary Emis. | Ittley |
| | v. | | |
| <i>:</i> · | State of Kansas, appellee. | Atty. Gen.; | * |
| | | Colt Knutson, Co. Atty. | |
| 56,116 | State of Kansas, appellee, | Atty. Gen.; | Riley |
| | , server | Colt Knutson, Co. Atty. | Idioy. |
| , . | v. | Cost Industry, Co. 11tty. | |
| | Michael Ray Giddens, appellant. | Lawrence H. Vogel. | |
| 56,069 | In the Interest of Lonnie Scott, a Minor. | Forrest A. Buhler. | Riley |
| | and another of Morning Scott, a Willion. | William E. Kennedy, III, Asst. Co. | Ittley |
| | | Atty.; Donn J. Everett; Dorothy | |
| | | Thompson, guardian ad litem. | |
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| EC 0 FF | 1:30 | | • |
| 56,255 | David P. Himchak, appellant, | John C. Tillotson. | Brown |
| 3 · · · · · · · · | V. Flimshout M. III | District Co. Y | |
| | Elizabeth M. Himchak, appellee. | Philip C. Lacey; | |
| FF 000 | 0. | James A. Patton. | |
| 55,932 | State of Kansas, appellee, | Atty. Gen.; | Nemaha |
| | | William C. O'Keefe, Co. Atty. | |
| | V. May W. Stallbouman | TRAIL TO TT.1 | |
| 56,085 | Max W. Stallbaumer, appellant. | William R. Halvorsen. | |
| 50,065 | State of Kansas, appellee, | Atty. Gen.; | Lyon |
| | • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • | Rodney H. Symmonds, Co. Atty. | |
| | Larry J. Tabares, apellant. | Pedro Luis Irigonegaray. | |
| 55,870 | State of Kansas, appellee, | Atty. Gen.; | Coor |
| 20,010 | ome or manious, appende, | Lloyd Graham, Asst. Co. Atty. | Geary |
| | v. | Lioyu Gianam, Asst. Co. Atty. | |
| | John E. Myatt, appellant. | Ralph J. DeZago; Chris Biggs. | |
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| | | | C. CARTER |
| | | Clerk of the Appe | nate Courts |

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT

PUBLIC NOTICE

The decision to deny the Certificate of Need application for The Cedars to replace and expand its adult care home in McPherson, KS, was upheld July 27, 1984, to be effective August 27, 1984, unless appealed to the district court of McPherson county.

BARBARA J. SABOL Secretary of Health and Environment

Doc. No. 002373

State of Kansas FISH AND GAME COMMISSION

NOTICE OF MEETING

A meeting of the Kansas Fish and Game Commission is scheduled for Wednesday, August 15, and Thursday, August 16, at the Mid-America Inn, Exit 252, I-70, Salina, KS. A public meeting on the 1984 waterfowl seasons will begin at 7:30 p.m. August 15 in the Salina Room, with the business meeting to begin at 9:00 a.m. August 16 in Room 253. The 1986 fiscal year budget and other business matters will be discussed.

DICK HANGER Chairman

Doc. No. 002369

State of Kansas

SECRETARY OF STATE

NOTICE

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETING:

I, JACK H. BRIER, Secretary of State of the State of Kansas, do hereby certify that pursuant to the provisions of K.S.A. 1983 Supp. 16-207, the maximum effective rate of interest per annum for notes secured by all real estate mortgages and contracts for deed for real estate executed during the period of August 1, 1984 through August 31, 1984 shall be 15.95%.

In testimony whereof: I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed my official seal. Done at the City of Topeka, this 31st day of July, A.D. 1984.

JACK H. BRIER Secretary of State State of Kansas
ABSTRACTERS' BOARD OF EXAMINERS

NOTICE OF EXAMINATION

An examination of persons desiring to secure registration and become subject to license to engage in the business of making, compiling or completing and selling abstracts of title to real estate in the state of Kansas will be at the Marcus Center for Continuing Education, Wichita State University, 4201 E. 21st St., Wichita, KS, Saturday, September 15, 1984, at 8:00 o'clock a.m., by the Abstracters' Board of Examiners.

All persons desiring to take such examination shall file an application with the Executive Secretary of the Board, P.O. Box 218, Jetmore, KS 67854, on or before September 8, 1984, and at the time of filing shall pay an examination fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00).

JOANNE CLARKE Executive Secretary

Doc. No. 002366

State of Kansas

STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY HISTORIC SITES BOARD OF REVIEW

NOTICE OF MEETING

The Kansas Historic Sites Board of Review will meet at 1:00 p.m. Friday, August 24, 1984, in the Plains Room of the Vagabond Motel, 2524 Vine St., Hays. After a brief orientation session, the board will visit the Walsh Archeological District in Trego County. The board will reconvene at the same location at 9:00 a.m., Saturday, August 25, 1984.

The following properties will be evaluated for nomination to the National Register of Historic Places and the Register of Historic Kansas Places:

Lora Locke Hotel, 2nd and Gunsmoke, Dodge City, Ford County

Z. C. Thompson Barn, three miles east and onehalf mile south of Harper, Harper County

Hycrest (Charles Hyer House), 505 E. Cedar, Olathe, Johnson County

Kansas Sugar Refining Company, 600 E. 1st, Hutchinson, Reno County

St. John's Lutheran School, 315 W. 4th, Topeka, Shawnee County

Walsh Archeological District, Collyer vicinity, Trego County

JOSEPH W. SNELL Executive Director

Doc. No. 002368

State of Kansas DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

NOTICE OF COMMENCEMENT OF NEGOTIATIONS

Notice is hereby given that the Secretary of Transportation will commence negotiations August 24, 1984 for the selection of a consultant to perform exploration drilling and cementing operations on the Witt "A" No. 1 site, in an area adjoining I-70 in Russell County, KS. The work will encompass exploratory drilling and cementing well below the salt section, in an attempt to stop groundwater movement across the salt section.

All parties interested in being considered for this work may obtain proposals from Larry Rockers, Chief Geologist at the Materials and Research Center, 2300 Van Buren, Topeka, KS 66611, (913) 296-3008.

Interested parties will be considered on the basis of their project estimates, qualifications, financial condition, available equipment and experience.

Negotiations for the selection of a consultant to perform this work will conclude August 31, 1984.

JOHN B. KEMP Secretary of Transportation

Doc. No. 002381

(Published in the KANSAS REGISTER, August 9, 1984.)

State of Kansas

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

NOTICE TO CONSULTING ENGINEERS

The Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) is seeking to engage a qualified consultant engineering firm for a project in the following county:

Butler County—54-8 K 0147-01/F/BRF 038-4(93)—grading, bridges (1-widen, 1-rehabilitation, and 1-replacement) and surfacing for reconstruction of existing two-lane roadway.

Firms expressing interest in these projects must respond in writing and complete the Consulting Engineers Qualification Questionnaire (if not already prequalified) by August 27, 1984.

It is the policy of the KDOT to use the following criteria as the basis for selection of engineering consultant firms:

- 1. Size and professional qualifications of firm.
- 2. Experience of staff.
- 3. Location of firm with respect to proposed project.
- 4. Work load of firm.
- 5. Firm's performance record.

JOHN B. KEMP Secretary of Transportation

Doc. No. 002378

State of Kansas

ATTORNEY GENERAL

OPINION NO. 84-75

Crimes and Punishments—Crimes Against the Public Morals—Gambling; Definitions. Gene M. Olander, District Attorney, Third Judicial District, Topeka, July 27, 1984.

An entertainment program consisting of certain games of chance which is offered by a class "B" private club, whereby a participant stands to win or lose "chips" which may be exchanged for a cocktail or other prize, is upon acceptance by a patron of the "chips" a transaction which constitutes a "bet" as that term is defined in K.S.A. 21-4302(1). The program accordingly constitutes gambling under Kansas law (K.S.A. 21-4303). Cited herein: K.S.A. 21-4302, 21-4303. TRH

OPINION NO. 84-76

Cities and Municipalities—Buildings, Structures and Grounds—Acquisition or Construction of Public Buildings; Tax Levy. J. R. Eland, Hoxie City Attorney, Hoxie, July 27, 1984.

A city may levy a tax to create a library building fund under the provisions of K.S.A. 12-1737(d), but the power to levy a tax pursuant to that statute expires after the levy has been made for a period of 10 years. If the library building fund created is insufficient at the end of the 10 year period, a city may, pursuant to Article 12, Section 5(b) of the Kansas Constitution and K.S.A. 12-137, adopt an ordinance providing for the levy of a tax to create an additional fund to be used to erect and construct a library building. Cited herein: K.S.A. 12-137, 12-1736, 12-1737, Kan. Const., Art. 12, § 5. TRH

OPINION NO. 84-77

Counties and County Officers—Employment Systems—Civil Service System in Urban Area and Other Counties; Enforcement of Rules. Walter A. Hefner, Chairman of the Shawnee County Civil Service Board, Topeka, July 27, 1984.

The Shawnee County Civil Service Board, established pursuant to K.S.A. 19-4303 et seq., may enforce rules adopted in accordance with its express statutory authority, either through expressly authorized administrative procedures, criminal process pursuant to K.S.A. 19-4327, or its implied enforcement authority via the inherent equitable powers of the district court. Cited herein: K.S.A. 19-4303, 19-4304, 19-4311, 19-4314, 19-4327, 19-4331. MFC

ROBERT T. STEPHAN Attorney General

LEGISLATURE

INTERIM AGENDA

Notice is hereby given to interested parties that the following legislative committee meetings have been scheduled during the period of August 13 through August 24, 1984.

| DATE | ROOM | TIME | COMMITTEE | AGENDA |
|--------------------|----------------|-------------------------|---|---|
| Aug. 13 Aug. 14 | 514-S 514-S | 10:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. | Joint Committee on Administrative Rules and Regulations | Agenda unavailable. |
| Aug. 14 Aug. 15 | 527-S 527-S | 10:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. | Legislative Educational Planning Committee | 14th: Issues relating to community colleges, state scholarship program, and |
| | | | | other matters. 15th: Tour of Kansas Correctional and Vocational Training Center. |
| Aug. 15 Aug. 16 | 519-S 519-S | 10:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. | Special Committee on Agriculture and Livestock | Hearings on Proposal 3—Sale of Agricultural Products Under the UCC. |
| Aug. 16 Aug. 17 | 522-S 522-S | 10:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. | Special Committee on Labor and Industry | Proposal 29—Worker's Compensation. |
| Aug. 16 Aug. 17 | 123-S 123-S | 10:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. | Joint Committee on State Building Construction | Agenda unavailable. |
| Aug. 21 Aug. 22 | 514-S 514-S | 10:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. | Special Committee on Ways and Means | 21st: Staff briefing Proposal 49 and presentation by Dept. of Administration. 22nd: Hearings on Proposal |
| Aug. 21 Aug. 22 | 519-S 519-S | 10:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. | Special Committee on Local Government | 49. Hearings on Proposal 35—Bonded Debt Limits. |
| Aug. 22 | 531-N | 9:00 a.m. | Kansas Commission on Applied Remote Sensing | Discussion of commission objectives. |
| Aug. 23 Aug. 24 | 531-N 531-N | 10:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. | Special Committee on Public Health and Welfare | Agenda unavailable. |
| Aug. 23 Aug. 24 | 527-S 527-S | 10:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. | Legislative Budget Committee | 23rd: Proposal 31— Staff Reports: Conferences with Secretary of |
| | | | | Administration and Secretary of SRS. Staff report on salaries of elected |
| | | | | state officials. 24th: Proposal 32— Hearings. |
| | | | | WILLIAM R. BACHMAN |

Doc. No. 002375

Director of Legislative Administrative Services

DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION DIVISION OF PURCHASES

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids for items hereinafter listed will be received by the Director of Purchases, State Office Bldg., Topeka, KS, until 2:00 p.m., CST or DST, whichever is in effect on the date indicated, and then will be publicly opened. Interested bidders may call (913) 296-2377 for additional information.

MONDAY, AUGUST 20, 1984

#A-4318(a)

Kansas State University, Manhattan-FURNISH UN-INTERRUPTIBLE POWER SYSTEM FOR COM-PUTER LOADS, Reconstruction of Nichols Gym #A-5122

Kansas Technical Institute, Salina—RETUBE BOILER, Mechanical Systems Repair, Computer Facil-

#26176

Statewide—COMPUTER OUTPUT MICROFICHE #26177

University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City-CLEANING COMPOUNDS AND JANÍTORIAL SÚP-PLIES

#26178

University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City-CENTER DIALYSIS SUPPLIES

#26183

Kansas Correctional Industries, Lansing-UPHOL-STERING MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES **#58858**

University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City-PEDIATRIC-INFANT RADIANT WARMING INTEN-SIVE CARE CENTER

#58859

Department of Transportation, Topeka-UNDER-GROUND STORAGE TANKS #58860

Kansas State Penitentiary, Lansing—MEN'S CLOTH-ING

#58861

Kansas Correctional Industries, Lansing-HIGH PRESSURE PLASTIC LAMINATE #58862

Kansas State Penitentiary, Lansing-RADIOGRA-PHIC PROCESSOR

#58863

University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City-REFRIGERATED CENTRIFUGE

#58871 Department of Transportation, Topeka-MARKER **OVERLAYS**, Chanute

#58872 University of Kansas, Lawrence—PRINTING AND BINDING OF "WPA GUIDE TO 1930'S KANSAS"

#58873 University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City-**ELECTRONIC TYPEWRITER**

#58874 University of Kansas, Lawrence—DRAFTING FILM, UNSENSITIZED SCRIBE COAT, TRACING PAPER AND VELLUM PREPARED TRACING PAPER

#58875 Kansas State Industrial Reformatory, Hutchinson-LOCK SETS AND DOOR CLOSERS

#58877

Department of Transportation, Chanute-FAS-TENERS

#58900

University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City-OFFICE FURNITURE

#58901

Kansas Department of Revenue, Topeka-FORMS-D-90 "30 DAY TEMPORARY PERMITS

#58913

Emporia State University, Emporia-WORD PROC-ESSING SYSTEM

#58914

University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City-MICROSCOPE

#58915

University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City-LAB CENTRIFUGE

#58919

Department of Transportation, Garden City-WOOD SIGN POSTS

#58922

University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City-MICROSCOPE

#58924

University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City-FURNISH AND INSTALL SECURITY WINDOWS #58925

Kansas State University, Manhattan—MAINTE-NANCE ON COMPUTER SYSTEM #58937

Kansas Correctional Industries, Lansing-FARROW-ING DECKS AND FLOORING

#58938 University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City-PRINTED SHELF FILE FOLDERS

Kansas Bureau of Investigation, Topeka-STEEL RECORDS SHELVING

TUESDAY, AUGUST 21, 1984

#A-4880

Department of Administration, Topeka—CON-STRUCTION OF NEW STATE PRINTING PLANT. Interstate I-70 and MacVicar Avenue #A-4986

Parsons State Hospital and Training Center, Parsons-REROOFING, Maple and Holly Cottages #A-5108

Kansas Soldiers' Home, Fort Dodge—CONSTRUCT NATURAL GAS DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM #26175

Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services, Topeka—JANITORIAL SERVICE, Leavenworth #26180

Kansas State Park and Resources Authority, Topeka-RIP RAP, Elk City State Park #26182

Topeka State Hospital, Topeka—REFUSE COLLEC-

#58590-A Legislative Administrative Services, Topeka—CAR-PET AND INSTALLATION SERVICE

University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City-INFANT VENTILATOR W/HUMIDIFIER

University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City-PHYSIOLOGICAL MONITORING APPARATUS

#58886

Kansas Department of Health and Environment, Topeka—SAMPLING SYSTEM/AA SPECTROPHOTO-**METRY**

#58887

Department of Health and Environment, Topeka—16MM COLOR FILM "THE TOOTHKEEPER" AND TEACHING SUPPLIES

#58888

Kansas Technical Institute, Salina—LATHE #58889

University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City-GASTROINTESTINAL FIBERSCOPE #58904

Department of Administration, Division of Buildings and Grounds Services, Topeka—LAWN AND GARDEN TRACTORS

#58923

University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City-TISSUE STAINING APPARATUS #58929

Kansas Bureau of Investigation, Topeka—FINGER-PRINT FILE CABINETS

#58931

Department of Transportation, Garden City-MRA-SPECIAL, AGGREGATE, Morton County

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 22, 1984

#A-5088

Wichita State University, Wichita—ROOFING SYS-TEM REPLACEMENT, Henrion Gymnasium Facility #A-5090

Wichita State University, Wichita—ROOFING AND SKYLIGHT REPAIR, Grace Memorial Chapel #58882

Kansas State University, Manhattan—LABORATORY **SUPPLIES**

#58883

Kansas State Industrial Reformatory, Hutchinson—SECURITY STRIKES, SWITCHES AND CONSOLE #58884

Department of Transportation, Topeka-FILLER, PRESSURE RELIEF JOINT-TYPE II, WITHOUT LU-**BRICANT ADHESIVE**

#58890

Department of Transportation, Topeka-PERMA-NENT PAVEMENT MARKING

Kansas Fish and Game Commission, Pratt—FISH-**DEPTH RECORDER**

#58941

Department of Transportation, Hutchinson—PLANT MIX. BITUMINOUS MIXTURE, FOB Vendors Plant, Not Delivered

#58942

Kansas State Industrial Reformatory, Hutchinson-REFRIGERATION SUPPLIES

#58943 Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services, Topeka—TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM,

Garden City

#58945

University of Kansas, Lawrence—FILM PRODUC-**TIONS**

THURSDAY, AUGUST 23, 1984

#A-4904 (Revised—1st Rebid)

University of Kansas, Lawrence-PROVIDE VARI-ABLE AIR VOLUME RETROFIT, Wescoe Hall

#A-5110

University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City-ENTRANCE ALTERATIONS, Bell Memorial Hospital Facility

#26173

University of Kansas, Lawrence and University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City-FUSES #58895

Kansas Technical Institute, Salina-USED AIR-**CRAFT ENGINE**

#58896

Fort Hays State University, Hays-ELEVATOR RE-

#58897

Kansas Highway Patrol, Topeka—RECHARGEABLE FLASHLIGHTS

#58898

University of Kansas, Lawrence—CONTINUOUS FORMS, GRADE REPORTS AND SCHEDULES #58912

Kansas Correctional Industries, Lansing-MARKET FEASIBILITY STUDY

FRIDAY, AUGUST 24, 1984

#26185

University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City-MAINTENANCE SERVICE, INSPECTION, PARTS CONTRACT FOR UNINTERRUPTIBLE POWER SYS-TEM

#58949

Kansas Correctional Industries, Lansing—BLANKET LINING FABRIC, Hutchinson

#58950

University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City-VIDEO EQUIPMENT, VA Medical Center, Kansas City, Missouri

TUESDAY, AUGUST 28, 1984

University of Kansas, Lawrence—PRINTING, BIND-ING AND MAILING OF "THE KANSAS LAW RE-VIEW"

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1984

#58944

Department of Education, Topeka—PROFESSIONAL SERVICES TO PROVIDE VALIDATION OF CORE BATTERY OF NATIONAL TEACHERS EXAMINA-TION

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1984

AUCTION

Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services, Topeka—MISCELLANEOUS KITCHEN, HOUSE-HOLD, AND OFFICE EQUIPMENT

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1984

#26101

Wichita State University, Wichita-PROPERTY IN-**SURANCE**

> NICHOLAS B. ROACH Director of Purchases

State of Kansas SOCIAL AND REHABILITATION SERVICES

MENTAL HEALTH AND RETARDATION SERVICES

NOTICE OF COURT EVALUATION TRAINING SESSIONS

Under the provisions K.S.A. 22-3302 as amended by Senate Bill No. 880, the Kansas Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services' Mental Health and Retardation Services announces the scheduling of court evaluation training program sessions. Qualified professionals will be trained to perform court-ordered competency-to-stand-trial evaluations. Training sessions are two days in length and are scheduled for August 21 and 22, September 4 and 5, and September 18 and 19. Training will be conducted at Larned State Hospital. Call 913/296-3472 for additional information.

GEORGE D. VEGA, Administrator Mental Health and Human Resource Development Program

Doc. No. 002377

State of Kansas DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES

NOTICE OF REVIEW OF GRANT APPLICATIONS

Below are applications which have been submitted to the Kansas Review Process. For those requiring review, comments should be sent to the Kansas Single Point of Contact, Judy Krueger, Kansas Department of Human Resources, Office of the Secretary, 401 Topeka Ave., Topeka, KS 66603. The due date for comments is indicated.

KS840726-002-15916JO—Application for \$307,115 (matched \$307,115) to replace Merriam's existing swimming pool with new pool and correct recirculation system, lighting and diving area. Tom Pearson, City of Merriam, 9000 W. 62nd Terrace, Merriam, KS 66202, 816/361-0440. Comments due by September 4, 1984.

KS840726-003-15916LB—Application for \$15,000 to develop three mini-parks (construct tennis/basketball courts and playground equipment) in Altamont, KS. Carol Livingston, City of Altamont, Box 305, Altamont, KS 67330, 316/784-5612. Comments due by September 4, 1984.

KS840727-001-13600JO—Application for \$8,659 Head Start training and technical assistance program in Johnson County. Wylene Lipe, Olathe U.S.D. 233, 1005 S. Pitt St., Olathe, KS 66061, 913/764-3188. No review required.

KS840727-002-20106CY—Preapplication for airport improvements for \$419,580 of federal funds to improve runway by extending, widening and overlaying. Maloy Quinn, City Engineer, City of Clay Center,

Clay Center, KS 67432, 913/632-5375. Comments due by September 5, 1984.

KS840727-003-66418KW—Application for \$553,500 for a new Greensburg sewage treatment facility in Kiowa County. Dwane Shank, City of Greensburg, 239 S. Main, Greensburg, KS 67054, 316/723-2751. Comments due by September 5, 1984.

K\$840730-001-13600BU—Application for \$1,770 Head Start carryover funds for screening, testing, speech therapy and coordinator's salary in Butler County. Gerald Franklin, MIDKAP, Inc./Head Start, 126 E. 2nd, El Dorado, KS 67042, 316/321-6373. No review required.

KS840730-002-13600JO—Application for \$5,797 for Head Start training and technical assistance program in Johnson County. Elizabeth Hocker, Head Start of Shawnee Mission, Inc., 4510 W. 66th Terrace, Shawnee Mission, KS 66208, 913/262-1205. No review required.

KS840730-003-66418KE—Application for \$151,500 for Deerfield sewage treatment facility in Kearny County. James Jarboe, City of Deerfield, City Council, City Hall, Deerfield, KS 67838, 316/426-7411. Comments due by September 8, 1984.

KS840730-004-66418JO—Preapplication for \$11,130,000 (local \$5,660,000) to expand the Indian Creek Main Sewer District No. 1 wastewater treatment plant and to construct a new linking interceptor with the City of Olathe. Douglas Smith, Johnson County Unified Wastewater Districts, 6000 Lamar, Box 39, Shawnee Mission, KS 66202, 913/384-1100, ext. 300. Comments due by September 8, 1984.

KS840730-005-20106KW—Preapplication for airport improvements for \$859,635 of federal funds and \$95,515 applicant's funds to improve runway, lighting, tiedowns and fencing. Lot Taylor, P.E., City of Greensburg, City Council, 239 S. Main, Greensburg, KS 67054, 316/276-2356. Comments due by September 8, 1984.

KS840730-006-13600BR—Application for \$85,000 Head Start expansion funds to incorporate a new center in Jackson County. Nancy Cazalet, Northeast Kansas Community Action Program, Inc., 113 E. 8th, Horton, KS 66439-1794, 913/486-2154. No review required.

KS840730-007-13600BR—Application for \$11,598 Head Start training and technical assistance program in Brown County. Applicant same as above. No review required.

KS840731-001-13600SG—Application for \$11,503 Head Start training and technical assistance program in Sedgwick County. Rex Stonger, Child Care Association/Wichita Head Start, 155 S. Hydraulic, Wichita, KS 67211, 316/265-0871. No review required.

K\$840731-002-66418JO—Application for \$2,716,505 (applicant \$2,516,915) to construct and expand the wastewater facilities in the upper and middle creek basin in Johnson County. This grant is in conjunction with the grant submitted by the Johnson

County Unified Wastewater District. Terry McKanna, Utilities Director, City of Olathe, 100 W. Santa Fe, Box 768, Olathe, KS 66061, 913/782-2600. Comments due by September 9, 1984.

KS840731-003-13600WY—Application for \$15,060 Head Start training and technical assistance program in Wyandotte County. Connie Hadly, Economic Opportunity Foundation, Inc., 1542 Minnesota Ave., Kansas City, KS 66102, 913/371-7800. No review required.

KS840731-004-13600CR—Application for \$10,166 Head Start training and technical assistance program in Crawford County. Bud Corn, SEK-CAP, Inc., 110 N. Ozark, Girard, KS 66743, 316/724-8204. No review required.

KS840801-001-13600RN—Application for \$8,544 Head Start training and technical assistance program in Reno County. Richard Fritschen, Hutchinson Public Schools, 1520 N. Plum, Hutchinson, KS 67501, 316/663-3981. No review required.

KS840801-002-20600KS—Kansas Highway Safety Plan for Fiscal Year 1985. Ken Stodgell, Kansas Department of Transportation, State Office Bldg., Topeka, KS 66612, 913/296-3276. Comments due by September 2, 1984.

KS840802-001-13600SG—Application for \$8,255 Head Start training and technical assistance program in Sedgwick County. Jerry Coppel, Kansas Children's Service League, P.O. Box 517, Wichita, KS 67201, 316/942-4261. No review required.

The following grants have been awarded:

486029925—The Kansas State Department of Education was awarded \$1,099,922 for state operated programs for handicapped children. Harold Blackburn, Commissioner of Education, State Department of Education, 120 E. 10th St., Topeka, KS 66612.

486029925—The Kansas State Department of Education was awarded \$10,571,072 for funds for both program operations and administration. Applicant same as above.

Kansas was awarded \$1,192,945 for Migrant/Seasonal Farmworker Programs to provide employment and training assistance through Wichita SER/Jobs for Progress, Wichita, KS.

> JERRY SHELOR Secretary of Human Resources

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NOTICE OF BOND SALE \$116,509.02 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS

RENO COUNTY, KANSAS

The COUNTY OF RENO, STATE OF KANSAS will receive sealed bids at the OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK, COUNTY COURTHOUSE, HUTCHINSON, KANSAS, until 10:00 o'clock A.M., C.D.T., on

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 15, 1984 for \$116,509.02 par value GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS of the County, at which time and place such bids will be publicly opened. No oral or auction bids will be considered.

The Series 1984 Bonds will be dated as of September 1, 1984, and shall mature on November 1 in each of the years and in the amounts set forth below. Such Bonds shall consist of fully registered certificated bonds, each in the denomination of \$5,000.00 or integral multiples thereof, except one Bond in the denomination of \$1,509.02, not exceeding the principal amount of Bonds maturing in each year. Interest will be payable semiannually, commencing May 1, 1985, and each November 1 and May 1 thereafter. The principal of, and premium, if any, on the Bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America, at the principal office of the Treasurer of the State of Kansas (the Paying Agent and Bond Registrar) to the registered owners thereof upon presentation of the Bonds for payment and cancellation. Interest on the Bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America, by check or draft of the Paying Agent to the registered owners appearing on the books maintained by the Bond Registrar as of the 15th day of the month next preceding the Interest Payment Dates (the "Record Dates"). The fees of the Bond Registrar for registration and transfer of the Bonds shall be paid by the County.

The Bonds will mature serially in accordance with

the following schedule:

| ring schedule. | 1 |
|----------------|----------------------|
| Principal | Maturity |
| Amount | Date |
| \$ 1,509.02 | November 1, 1985 |
| 5,000.00 | November 1, 1986 |
| 5,000.00 | November 1, 1987 |
| 5,000.00 | November 1, 1988 |
| 5,000.00 | November 1, 1989 |
| 5,000.00 | November 1, 1990 |
| 5,000.00 | November 1, 1991 |
| 5,000.00 | November 1, 1992 |
| 5,000.00 | 110101111001 2, 2000 |
| 5,000.00 | November 1, 1994 |
| 5,000.00 | November 1, 1995 |
| 5,000.00 | November 1, 1996 |
| 5,000.00 | November 1, 1997 |
| 5,000.00 | November 1, 1998 |
| 5,000.00 | November 1, 1999 |
| 5,000.00 | November 1, 2000 |

| 10,000.00 | • | November 1, 2001 |
|-----------|---|------------------|
| 10,000.00 | | November 1, 2002 |
| 10,000.00 | | November 1, 2003 |
| 10,000.00 | | November 1, 2004 |

Redemption

Bonds maturing November 1, 1995, and thereafter, are subject to call for redemption and payment prior to their respective maturities at the option of the County on and/or after November 1, 1994, in whole at any time or in part in inverse order of maturity, and by lot within maturities, on any interest payment date, at the redemption price of 102%, plus accrued interest to the redemption date.

Notice of any call for redemption will be mailed to the registered owners of such Bonds to be redeemed at the address shown on the registration books maintained by the Bond Registrar not less than 30 days prior to the date fixed for such redemption and payment. Interest on the Bonds so called for redemption and payment will cease to accrue after the redemption date, provided notice has been given and funds are then available to pay the full redemption price thereof.

Interest Rate

Proposals will be received on the Bonds bearing such rate or rates of interest as may be specified by the bidder. The same rate shall apply to all Bonds of the same maturity. Each interest rate specified shall be in an even multiple of one-eighth (1/8th) or one-twentieth (1/20th) of one percent (1%). The difference between the highest and lowest coupon rates specified in any bid shall not exceed three and one half percent (31/2%). No interest rate shall exceed the maximum interest rate allowed by Kansas law, said rate being the "20 Bond Index" of tax exempt municipal bonds published by the Weekly Bond Buyer in New York, New York on the Monday next preceding the day on which the Bonds are sold (August 13, 1984), plus 2%, and no bid of less than par and accrued interest will be considered. Bids for less than the entire issue of Bonds will not be considered.

Bid Form and Good Faith Deposit

Bids shall be submitted on the OFFICIAL BID FORM furnished by the County, and shall be addressed to the County at COUNTY COURTHOUSE, HUTCHINSON, KANSAS 67501, ATTENTION: GLENIS L. HELDENBRAND, COUNTY CLERK, and shall be plainly marked BOND BID. All bids must state the total interest cost of the bid, the premium, if any, the net interest cost of the bid, and the average annual interest rate, all certified by the bidder to be correct; and the County will be entitled to rely on the certificate of correctness of the bidder. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified or cashier's check equal to two percent (2%) of the total amount of the bid, and shall be payable to TREASURER, RENO COUNTY, KANSAS. In the event a bidder whose bid is accepted shall fail to carry out his Contract of Purchase, said deposit shall be retained by the County as liquidated damages. The checks of unsuccessful bidders will/be returned promptly.

Award of Bids

The sealed bids for the Bonds shall be opened publicly and only at the time and place specified in this Notice, and the Bonds will be sold to the best bidder. The County reserves the right to reject any and/or all of the bids, and to waive any irregularities. Unless all bids are rejected, the Bonds will be awarded to the bidder whose proposal results in the lowest net interest cost to the County, and the net interest cost will be determined by deducting the amount of any premium paid from the aggregate amount of interest upon all of the Bonds from their date until their respective maturities.

Delivery of the Bonds

The Bonds, duly printed, executed and registered, will be furnished and paid for by the County, and the Bonds will be sold subject to the unqualified approving opinion of GAAR & BELL, Bond Counsel of Wichita, Kansas. THE NUMBER, DENOMINATION OF BONDS, AND NAMES OF THE INITIAL REG-ISTERED OWNERS TO BE INITIALLY PRINTED ON THE BONDS SHALL BE SUBMITTED IN WRITING BY THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER TO THE BOND REGISTRAR NOT LATER THAN SEPTEMBER 6, 1984. The purchaser will be furnished with a complete Transcript of Proceedings evidencing the authorization and issuance of the Bonds, and the usual closing proofs, which will include a Certificate that there is no litigation pending or threatened at the time of delivery of the Bonds affecting their validity. Payment for the Bonds shall be made in immediately available funds. Delivery of the Bonds will be made to the successful bidder on or before SEPTEMBER 13, 1984, at any bank in the STATE OF KANSAS or KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI, at the expense of the County. Delivery elsewhere will be made at the expense of the purchaser.

Legal Opinion

Bids shall be conditioned upon the unqualified approving opinion of Gaar & Bell, Bond Counsel, Wichita, Kansas, a copy of which opinion will be printed on the reverse side of each Bond and a manually signed original will be furnished without expense to the purchaser of the Bonds at the delivery thereof. The cost of this legal opinion and the expense of printing the Bonds and legal opinion will be paid by the County. Said legal opinion will state in part substantially that the Bonds will constitute general obligations of the County, payable as to both principal and interest from the collection of special assessments which have been levied on benefited property, but any portion of said specially assessed part not so paid will be payable from ad valorem taxes which may be levied without limitation as to rate or amount upon all of the taxable tangible property within the territorial limits of the County, and that, under existing law, the interest on said Bonds is exempt from present federal income taxation and the Bonds are exempt from intangible personal property taxes levied by Kansas cities, counties and townships.

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Purpose of Issue

The Bonds are being issued for the purpose of constructing certain road improvements in the Prairie Hills Road District of the County.

CUSIP Identification Numbers

CUSIP identification numbers will be printed on said Bonds. All expenses in relation to printing of CUSIP numbers on said Bonds and the expenses of CUSIP Service Bureau for the assignment of said numbers shall be the responsibility of and shall be paid for by the County.

Assessed Valuation

Assessed valuation figures for Reno County, Kansas, for the year 1983, are as follows:

| Equalized Assessed Valuation of Taxable | | |
|--|---------|--|
| Tangible Property | . , \$2 | 235,565,936.00 |
| Tangible Valuation of Motor Vehicles | \$ | 39,898,970.00 |
| Tangible Valuation of Motor Vehicle | | 10 Page 10 Pag |
| Dealers' Inventory | \$ | 1,318,200.00 |
| Assessed Valuation of Farm Machinery | | |
| and Equipment (1982) | \$ | 9,014,451.00 |
| Assessed Valuation of Business Aircraft | | |
| (1982) | \$ | 765,185.00 |
| Equalized Assessed Tangible Valuation for Computation of Bonded Debt Limitations | | |

Bonded Indebtedness

The total bonded indebtedness of Reno County, Kansas, at the date hereof, including this \$116,509.02 proposed issue of Bonds, is in the amount of \$5,697,725.41. Of said amount, the County will retire \$92,500.00 of outstanding Temporary Notes from the proceeds of the Bonds, special assessments which have been collected in cash, and other available funds.

Official Statement
Additional copies of this notice of Bond Sale, or copies of the County's Official Statement relating to the Bonds, or further information may be received from the office of the County Clerk, County Court-

house, Hutchinson, Kansas 67501.

RENO COUNTY, KANSAS By GLENIS L. HELDENBRAND, County Clerk

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NOTICE OF BOND SALE CITY OF OVERBROOK, KANSAS \$150,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS SERIES 1984 (Sanitary Sewer Lagoon Project)

The City of Overbrook, Kansas will receive sealed bids at the OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK, CITY HALL, OVERBROOK, KANSAS, until 7:30 o'clock P.M., C.D.T., on August 15, 1984, for the purchase of One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$150,000) par value General Obligation Bonds (the "Bonds") of the City, at which time and place such bids will be publicly opened. No oral or auction bids will be considered.

The Series 1984 Bonds initially issued will be dated as of August 1, 1984 and shall mature on August 1 in each of the years and in the amounts set forth below. Such Bonds shall consist of fully registered certifi-

cated bonds, each in the denomination of \$5,000.00 or integral multiples thereof not exceeding the principal amount of Bonds maturing in each year. Interest will be payable semiannually, commencing August 1, 1985, and each February 1 and August 1 thereafter. The principal of, and premium, if any, on the Bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America, at the principal office of the Treasurer of the State of Kansas, (the Paying Agent and Bond Registrar) to the registered owners thereof upon presentation of the Bonds for payment and cancellation. Interest on the Bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America, by check or draft of the Paying Agent to the registered owners appearing on the books maintained by the Bond Registrar as of the preceding January 15 and July 15 (the Record Dates). The fees of the Bond Registrar for the registration and transfer of the Bonds shall be paid by

The Bonds will mature serially in accordance with the following schedule:

| Principal Amount | Maturity Date |
|------------------|----------------|
| \$15,000 | August 1, 1985 |
| 15,000 | August 1, 1986 |
| 15,000 | August 1, 1987 |
| 15,000 | August 1, 1988 |
| 15,000 | August 1, 1989 |
| 15,000 | August 1, 1990 |
| 15,000 | August 1, 1991 |
| 15,000 | August 1, 1992 |
| 15,000 | August 1, 1993 |
| 15,000 | August 1, 1994 |
| | |

Proposals will be received on the Bonds bearing such rate or rates of interest, not exceeding eight (8) different interest rates, as may be specified by the bidder. The repetition of a rate will not constitute one of said maximum number of rates. The same rate shall apply to all Bonds of the same maturity. Each interest rate specified shall be in an even multiple of oneeighth (1/sth) or one-twentieth (1/20th) of one percent (1%). The difference between the highest and lowest interest rates specified in any bid shall not exceed two percent (2%). No interest rate shall exceed the maximum interest rate allowed by Kansas law, said rate being two percent (2%) above the "Bond Buyer's 20 Bond Index," published in the Weekly Bond Buyer on Monday, August 13, 1984, and no bid of less than par and accrued interest will be considered. Bids for less than the entire issue of Bonds will not be considered.

Bids shall be submitted on the OFFICIAL BID FORM furnished by the City, and shall be addressed to the City at City Hall, Overbrook, Kansas 66524, and shall be plainly marked BOND BID. All bids must state the total interest cost of the bid, the premium, if any, the net interest cost of the bid, and the average annual interest rate, all certified by the bidder to be correct, and the City will be entitled to rely on the certificate of correctness of the bidder. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified or cashier's check equal to two percent (2%) of the total amount of the bid, and shall be payable to the City of Overbrook, Overbrook,

Kansas. In the event a bidder whose bid is accepted shall fail to carry out his Contract of Purchase, said deposit shall be retained by the City as liquidated damages. The checks of unsuccessful bidders will be returned promptly.

The Bonds, duly printed, executed and registered, will be furnished and paid for by the City, and the Bonds will be sold subject to the unqualified approving opinion of NICHOLS AND WOLFE CHAR-TERED, Bond Counsel of Topeka, Kansas, whose opinion will be paid for by the City.

The number, denomination of Bonds and names of the initial registered owners shall be submitted in writing by the successful bidder to the Bond Registrar

not later than September 17, 1984.

The purchaser will be furnished with a complete Transcript of Proceedings evidencing authorization and issuance of the Bonds, and the usual closing proofs, which will include a Certificate that there is no litigation pending or threatened at the time of delivery of the Bonds affecting their validity. Payment for the Bonds shall be made in immediately available funds. Delivery of the Bonds will be made to the successful bidder on or before October 1, 1984, at any bank in the STATE OF KANSAS or KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI, at the expense of the City. Delivery elsewhere will be made at the expense of the purchaser.

The Bonds will constitute General Obligations of the City payable from ad valorem taxes which may be levied without limitation as to rate or amount upon all of the taxable, tangible property within the territorial limits of the City. The Series 1984 Bonds are being issued for the purpose of constructing, reconstructing and repairing the sanitary sewage disposal works of

the City.

The sealed bids for the Bonds shall be opened publicly and only at the time and place specified in this Notice. The City reserves the right to reject any and/or all of the bids, and to waive any irregularities. Unless all bids are rejected, the Bonds will be awarded to the bidder whose proposal results in the lowest net interest cost to the City, and the net interest cost will be determined by deducting any amount of any premium paid from the aggregate amount of interest upon all of the Bonds from their date until their respective maturities.

Assessed valuation figures of the City of Overbrook, Kansas, for the year 1984, are as follows:

Equalized assessed valuation of taxable tangible property . . . \$1.905.334 Assessed tangible valuation of motor vehicles 492,519 Equalized tangible valuation for computation of bonded indebtedness limitations \$2,397,853

CUSIP identification numbers will be printed on the Bonds. All expenses incurred in connection with the printing of CUSIP numbers on the Bonds and the expenses of the CUSIP Service Bureau for the assignment of said numbers shall be paid for by the City.

The total general obligation bonded indebtedness of the City of Overbrook, Kansas, at the date hereof, including this proposed issue of Bonds, is \$150.00.

Additional copies of this Notice of Bond Sale or further information may be received from Mildred J.

Cannon, City Clerk, City of Overbrook, Overbrook, Kansas 66524.

DATED July 27, 1984.

CITY OF OVERBROOK, KANSAS By MILDRED J. CANNON, City Clerk

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NOTICE OF BOND SALE \$3,160,000 CITY OF TOPEKA, KANSAS GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS **SERIES 1984-A**

Sealed Bids

Sealed bids for the purchase of \$3,160,000 principal amount of General Obligation Bonds, Series 1984-A (the "Bonds"), of the City hereinafter described, will be received by the undersigned, City Clerk of the City of Topeka, Kansas (the "City"), on behalf of the governing body of the City at the City Hall, 215 East 7th Street, Topeka, Kansas, until 10:00 o'clock A.M., central time, on

TUESDAY, AUGUST 21, 1984.

All bids will be publicly opened and read at said time and place and will be acted upon by the governing body of the City immediately thereafter.

Bond Details

The Bonds will consist of fully registered bonds without coupons in the denomination of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof. The Bonds will be dated September 1, 1984, and will become due serially on October 1 in the years as follows:

| | Principal |
|------|-----------|
| Year | Amount |
| 1985 | \$ 50,000 |
| 1986 | 50,000 |
| 1987 | 100,000 |
| 1988 | 100,000 |
| 1989 | 250,000 |
| 1990 | 250,000 |
| 1991 | 250,000 |
| 1992 | 250,000 |
| 1993 | 250,000 |
| 1994 | 250,000 |
| 1995 | 250,000 |
| 1996 | 250,000 |
| 1997 | 250,000 |
| 1998 | 300,000 |
| 1999 | 310,000 |

The Bonds will bear interest at rates to be determined when the Bonds are sold as hereinafter provided, which interest will be payable semiannually on April 1 and October 1 in each year, beginning on April 1, 1985.

Place of Payment and Bond Registration

The principal of and interest on the Bonds will be payable in lawful money of the United States of America by check or draft of the Treasurer of the State of Kansas, Topeka, Kansas (the "Paying Agent" and

"Bond Registrar"). The principal of the Bonds will be payable at maturity or upon earlier redemption to the registered owners upon presentation and surrender of the Bonds at the office of the Paying Agent. Interest on the Bonds will be paid by check or draft mailed by the Paying Agent to the persons in whose names the Bonds are registered on the registration books maintained by the Bond Registrar at the close of business on the Record Date for such interest, which shall be the fifteenth day (whether or not a business day) of the calendar month next preceding such interest payment date.

The City will pay for the fees of the Bond Registrar for registration and transfer of the Bonds and will also pay for printing a reasonable supply of registered bond blanks. Any additional costs or fees that might be incurred in the secondary market, other than fees of the Bond Registrar, will be the responsibility of the bondholders.

Redemption of Bonds Prior to Maturity

At the option of the City, Bonds maturing on October 1, 1994 and thereafter will be subject to redemption and payment prior to maturity on October 1, 1993, and thereafter in whole or in part on any interest payment date in inverse order of maturity (Bonds of less than a single maturity to be selected by lot in multiples of \$5,000 principal amount by the Paying Agent and Bond Registrar in such equitable manner as it shall designate), at the redemption prices set forth below, expressed as percentages of principal amount, plus accrued interest to the redemption date.

| Redemption | Kedemption |
|------------------------------------|------------|
| Dates | Price |
| October 1, 1993, and April 1, 1994 | 101.00% |
| October 1, 1994, and April 1, 1995 | 100.50% |
| October 1, 1995, and thereafter | 100.00% |

Whenever the City is to select the Bonds for the purpose of redemption, it shall, in the case of Bonds in denominations greater than \$5,000, if less than all of the Bonds then outstanding are to be called for redemption, treat each \$5,000 of face value of each such fully registered Bond as though it were a separate Bond of the denomination of \$5,000.

If the City shall elect to call any Bond for redemption and payment prior to the maturity thereof, the City shall give written notice of its intention to redeem and pay said Bonds on a specified date, the same being described by number and maturity, said notice to be mailed by United States registered or certified mail addressed to the registered owners of said Bonds, to the Paying Agent and Bond Registrar, and to the manager or managers of the underwriting account making the successful bid, each of said notices to be mailed at least 30 days prior to the redemption date. If any Bond be called for redemption and payment as aforesaid, all interest on such Bond shall cease from and after the date for which such call is made, provided funds are available for its payment at the price hereinbefore specified.

Conditions of Bids

Proposals will be received on the Bonds bearing

such rate or rates of interest as may be specified by the bidders, subject to the following conditions: The same rate shall apply to all Bonds of the same maturity. Each interest rate specified shall be a multiple of 1/8 or 1/20 of 1%. No interest rate shall exceed a rate equal to the "20 Bond Index" of tax exempt municipal bonds published by Credit Markets (formerly The Weekly Bond Buyer) in New York, New York, on the Monday next preceding the day on which the Bonds are sold, plus 2%. The difference between the highest rate specified and the lowest rate specified shall not exceed 1\%. No supplemental interest payments will be authorized. No bid of less than the principal amount of the Bonds and accrued interest will be considered. Each bid shall specify the total interest cost to the City during the life of the Bond issue on the basis of such bid, the premium, if any, offered by the bidder, and the net interest cost to the City on the basis of such bid. Each bid shall also specify the average net interest rate to the City on the basis of such bid.

Basis of Award

The award of the Bonds will be made on the basis of the lowest net interest cost to the City, which will be determined by subtracting the amount of the premium bid, if any, from the total interest cost to the City. If there is any discrepancy between the net interest cost and the average annual net interest rate specified, the specified net interest cost shall govern and the interest rates specified in the bid shall be adjusted accordingly. If two or more proper bids providing for identical amounts for the lowest net interest cost are received, the City shall determine which bid, if any, shall be accepted, and its determination shall be final.

Security for the Bonds

The Bonds will be general obligations of the City payable as to both principal and interest in part from special assessments levied upon the property benefited by such improvements and, if not so paid, from ad valorem taxes which may be levied without limitaton upon all the taxable tangible property, real and personal, within the territorial limits of the City. The balance of the principal of and interest on the Bonds is payable from ad valorem taxes which may be levied without limitation as to rate or amount on all the taxable tangible property, real and personal, within the territorial limits of the City.

Legal Opinion

The Bonds will be sold subject to the legal opinion of Gaar & Bell, Overland Park, Kansas, Bond Counsel, whose approving legal opinion as to the validity of the Bonds will be furnished and paid for by the City, printed on the Bonds and delivered to the successful bidder when the Bonds are delivered. Said opinion will also state that in the opinion of Bond Counsel, under existing law, the interest on the Bonds is exempt from federal income taxation.

Delivery and Payment

The City will pay for printing the Bonds and will deliver the Bonds, without cost to the successful bid-

der, properly prepared, executed and registered, on or prior to September 17, 1984, at such bank or trust company in the contiguous United States of America as may be specified by the successful bidder. Said bidder will also be furnished with a certified transcript of the proceedings evidencing the authorization and issuance of the Bonds and the usual closing documents, including a certificate that there is no litigation pending or threatened at the time of delivery of the Bonds affecting their validity and a certificate regarding the completeness and accuracy of the Official Statement. Payment for the Bonds shall be made in federal reserve funds, immediately subject to use by the City. The denominations of the Bonds and the names, addresses and social security or taxpayer identification numbers of the registered owners shall be submitted in writing by the successful bidder to the City and Bond Registrar at least two weeks prior to the date of delivery of the Bonds. In the absence of such information, the City will deliver Bonds in the denomination of each maturity registered in the name of the successful bidder.

Good Faith Deposit

Each bid shall be accompanied by a cashier's or certified check drawn on a bank located in the United States of America in the amount of \$63,200 payable to the order of the City to secure the City from any loss resulting from the failure of the bidder to comply with the terms of its bid. No interest will be paid upon the deposit made by the successful bidder. Said check shall be returned to the bidder if its bid is not accepted. If a bid is accepted, said check shall be held by the City until the bidder shall have complied with all of the terms and conditions of this Notice at which time said check shall be returned to the successful bidder or deducted from the purchase price at the option of the City. If a bid is accepted but the City shall fail to deliver the Bonds to the bidder in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Notice, said check shall be returned to the bidder. If a bid is accepted but the bidder shall default in the performance of any of the terms and conditions of this Notice, the proceeds of such check shall be retained by the City as and for liquidated damages.

CUSIP Numbers

CUSIP identification numbers will be printed on the Bonds, but neither the failure to print such number on any Bond nor any error with respect thereto shall constitute cause for failure or refusal by the purchaser thereof to accept delivery of and pay for the Bonds in accordance with the terms of this Notice. All expenses in relation to the assignment and printing of CUSIP numbers on the Bonds will be paid by the City.

Bond Ratings

The outstanding general obligation bonds of the City are rated "Aal" by Moody's Investor Service, Inc., and the City has applied for rating on the Bonds herein offered for sale.

Bid Forms

All bids must be made on forms which may be

procured from the City Clerk. No additions or alterations in such forms shall be made and any erasures may cause rejection of any bid. The City reserves the right to waive irregularities and to reject any or all bids.

Submission of Bids

Bids must be submitted in sealed envelopes addressed to the undersigned City Clerk and marked "Proposal for the Purchase of General Obligation Bonds." Bids may be submitted by mail or delivered in person to the undersigned at the City Hall and must be received by the undersigned prior to 10:00 o'clock A.M., central time, on August 21, 1984.

Official Statement

Upon the sale of the Bonds, the City will adopt an Official Statement in substantially the form as the Preliminary Official Statement, subject to minor amendments and supplementation. Copies of the City's Preliminary Official Statement relating to the Bonds may be obtained from the City Clerk or the financial advisor, Shearson Lehman/American Express Inc., 2345 Grand Avenue, Suite 1600, Kansas City, Missouri 64112 (816/346-6114). Upon request, a reasonable number of copies of the Official Statement will be made available to the successful bidder without charge. Additional copies may be obtained at the expense of such bidder.

Assessed Valuation and Indebtedness

The total assessed valuation of the taxable tangible property within the City for the year 1983 is \$331,606,103. The total general obligation bonded indebtedness of the City as of the date of the Bonds, including the Bonds, is \$45,452,000. In addition, the City has outstanding as of the date of the Bonds, \$6,418,000 of temporary notes, of which \$2,943,000 will be retired out of the proceeds of the Bonds herein offered for sale. The City has also authorized the sale of \$8,325,000 principal amount of its Temporary Notes, Series 1984-B, dated September 1, 1984, as described in the City's Preliminary Official Statement relating to said Notes, copies of which may be obtained from the City Clerk or the financial advisor.

Dated this 7th day of August, 1984.

CITY OF TOPEKA, KANSAS NORMA E. ROBBINS City Clerk City Hall 215 East 7th Street Topeka, Kansas 66603 (913/295-3940)

KANSAS FACTS

PEOPLE ARE PROUD. STRONG AND INDUSTRIOUS

"The Kansas spirit is . . . one that finds something exhilarating in the challenge of an extreme

-From "Kansas," an essay by Carl Becker, 1910.

The people of Kansas are one of the state's greatest assets. Kansas people are good, strong, industrious, and dedicated to the support of their beliefs. Kansas is in the section of the country which was once known as the "Great American Desert." The pioneers who came to Kansas and stayed were strong, hardy and persistent-necessary qualities for survival here in those days. Those characteristics are continued in the present population.

Since before Kansas became a state, Kansans have been humanitarians—good people, devoted to helping others. The very birth of the state was surrounded by controversy over Kansans' pursuit of a humanistic goal: the abolition of slavery. The territorial period of Kansas was characterized by constant struggle between abolitionists and pro-slavery forces. (Many of the latter were from out of state.) In the 1850's and 1860's an "underground railroad" existed in Kansasthe "railroad" consisted of groups of people who hid and aided escaped slaves.

The various abolitionist activities in Kansas made the state somewhat of a haven for Black Americans after the Civil War. A number of Blacks settled in the 'Black" town of Nicodemus in western Kansas which in 1976 was designated a National Historic Landmark.

Kansas also led the nation in granting suffrage to women—the 1861 Legislature gave them the right to vote in school elections. In 1887 that right was extended to city and bond elections. In that same year a Kansas town, Argonia, chose as its mayor 27-year-old Susanna Madora Salter. She was the first woman mayor in the country.

The rights of women were recognized in the original Kansas Constitution, which guarantees women equal privileges with men in ownership of property and "control of children." This was a tremendous advance over the rights allowed women in the eastern states at that time. Universal suffrage in Kansas was granted by constitutional amendment in 1912. In 1972 Kansas was one of the first states to ratify the Equal Rights Amendment to the U.S. Constitution.

Over the years, many Kansans have gained national fame and made significant contributions to our soci-

During the "cattle town" days in Kansas, several lawmen in the state gained national fame. James Butler "Wild Bill" Hickok was active in Kansas in the 1860's and 1870's, serving part of that time as city marshal in the cattle town of Abilene. Wyatt Earp served as a lawman in Wichita and Dodge City during the 1870's. "Bat" Masterson served during the same era as Sheriff of Ford County, where Dodge City is located. Tremendously popular in Dodge City, Masterson was often called back there to help settle disputes after he had left the area. He spent his last years as a sports writer for a New York City newspaper.

Among early Kansans to gain national attention was Edmund G. Ross, a U.S. Senator from 1866-1871. Ross is remembered for his part in the impeachment trial of President Andrew Johnson. Ross, voting against the wishes of most other Republicans, cast his vote for Johnson's acquittal. The popular story that Ross' vote alone saved Johnson is said by historians to be exaggerated, since some other Republicans did vote for acquittal and some others might have done so if necessary. However, Ross' vote did occur at the right time in the roll call to provide the needed number of votes for acquittal. It is acknowledged that Ross acted with great personal courage in voting for Johnson. Ross was accused of being a traitor, and the incident virtually ended his political career in Kansas. Ross is one of the persons profiled in President John F. Kennedy's book Profiles in Courage.

U.S. Senator John J. Ingalls gained nationwide acclaim in the 1860's as an orator, though Kansans apparently found him to be a person they could not relate to-history records that he was not a "common" sort of man. This is illustrated by a verse written about Ingalls by Eugene F. Ware, a Kansas lawyer, newspaperman and poet who was known as "Ironquill," after Ingalls lost his Senate seat to William A. Peffer, a

Populist.

'Up was he stuck and in the upness of his stucktitude

He fell.

Around the turn of the century, Mrs. Carry Nation became nationally known as a symbol of the temperance movement. She is best known for destroying

illegal saloons with her famous hatchets.

William Allen White, editor and publisher of the Emporia Gazette, is the most famous of the many journalists who helped to shape the future in Kansas. More newspapers were published in Kansas between 1854 and 1936 than in any other state. Kansas journalists have always been highly opinionated, serving as champions for that in which they believe. Early-day Kansas newspaper editors were dubbed "Pistol-Packin' Pencil Pushers.'

Kansan Ben Hibbs was editor of the Saturday Evening Post from 1942-1961, during which time he modernized the magazine's style and broadened its scope. He was Senior Editor of Reader's Digest from 1962-1972.

Well-known artists from Kansas include Henru Worrall of Topeka who did portraits and Kansas landscapes during the 1860's. He was known for his contributions to popular magazines of the day. John Steuart Curry of Jefferson County was another wellknown Kansas artist. He was a leader in the movement for "realistic regionalism" along with Grant Wood and Thomas Hart Benton. Among Curry's works are several murals in the Kansas Capitol. Artist Sven Birger Sandzen came to the United States from Sweden in 1894 to teach at Bethany College in Lindsborg. A museum there honors him. A contemporary artist, Rudolph Wendelin, is a native of Rawlins County. He is

best known as the "caretaker" of the Smokey Bear image—as a U.S. Forest Service artist, Wendelin has drawn Smokey numerous times and approves commercial versions of Smokey. Wendelin, now retired, has numerous artistic talents and has done a historical mural for Rawlins County.

Kansas has produced a President of the United States, a Vice-President, and unsuccessful major party nominees for both positions. Dwight D. Eisenhower. who was raised in Abilene, was Commander-in-Chief of the Allied Armies in Europe during World War II and President of the U.S. from 1953-61. He is buried in Abilene. Charles Curtis of Topeka, a U.S. Senator from Kansas for many years, was Vice-President of the U.S. under Herbert Hoover.

Alf Landon, Governor of Kansas from 1933-1937, was the Republican Presidential nominee in 1936. Senator Bob Dole was the Republican candidate for Vice-President in 1976.

Industrialist Walter P. Chrysler, who established the Chrysler Corporation in 1925, was born at Wamego and grew up in Ellis.

Clyde Tombaugh, Burdette, discovered the planet

Pluto in 1930.

Noted black American George Washington Carver, called the "foremost agricultural scientist of the age, lived in Kansas during his youth and homesteaded in Ness County for a time.

Aviatrix Amelia Earhart of Atchison was the first woman granted a pilot's license by the National Aeronautics Association and the first woman to fly solo across the Atlantic Ocean. She disappeared during her

1937 attempt to fly around the world.

Several other Kansas women have achieved important "firsts." Lucy Hobbs Taylor, the first fully-trained woman dentist in the world, practiced dentistry in Lawrence from 1867 to 1907. Lutie Lytle, Topeka, was the first black woman to be admitted to the practice of law in the U.S. (1897). Nellie Cline of Larned was the first woman lawyer to appear before the U.S. Supreme Court, April 4, 1918. Novelist Margaret Hill McCarter was the first woman to address a Republican National Convention (1920). A Topeka banker and business woman, Mrs. Georgia Neese Clark Gray, was the first woman appointed as Treasurer of the U.S. She served in that position from 1949-53. In 1978 Kansas elected its first woman U.S. Senator: Nancy Landon Kassebaum. She is the first woman from any state to be elected in her own right to a full term in the Senate. Other women have served in the Senaté, but all were either appointed to succeed their husbands, or were elected following their appointments to fill unexpired terms. Senator Kassebaum is the daughter of Presidential nominee Alf Landon.

Two Kansas women have been named Miss America. Deborah Bryant of Overland Park was selected in 1966, and Debra Barnes, Moran, was Miss America 1968.

A number of fine athletes have come from this state, and Kansas is particularly noted for its excellent runners. In the 1930's Glenn Cunningham of Elkhart held the world record in the mile run. Another Kansan, Archie San Romani, was Cunningham's teammate in

the 1936 Olympics. Romani beat Cunningham in the 1937 and 1938 Kansas Relays. Jim Ryun of Wichita held the world record in the mile run during the 1960's. In boxing, Jess Willard of Emmett was the world heavyweight champion during the World War I era. One of major league baseball's greatest righthanded pitchers and a member of the Baseball Hall of Fame, Walter "Big Train" Johnson, was a native of Humboldt.

Earl Sutherland, who was born in Burlingame, won the Nobel Prize for physiology and medicine in 1971.

Four individual Pulitzer Prize winners have been Kansans. In 1923, famed Kansas journalist William Allen White was awarded a Pulitzer for his editorial "To an Anxious Friend." William Inge, a native of Independence, was a Pulitzer winning playwright. He wrote "Picnic," "Bus Stop," and "Come Back, Little Sheba." Gordon Parks, born at Fort Scott, is a worldrenowned photographer, writer and motion picture producer, and won the 1973 Pulitzer Prize in photography. Parks wrote the books The Learning Tree and A Choice of Weapons, and he directed the movie "Shaft." **Brian Lanker**, a photographer for the Topeka Capital-Journal, also won a Pulitzer Prize for photography in 1973. As an organization, the Hutchinson News received a Pulitzer Prize in 1965 for its role in getting reapportionment of state legislative districts in

Astronaut Ron Evans, commander of the pilot ship during the flight of Apollo 17 to the moon, was born in St. Francis and is a graduate of Topeka public schools and the University of Kansas.

Emmett Kelly, who became famous as the clown "Weary Willie," was born in Sedan. There is a mu-

seum there named in his honor.

General Bernard W. Rogers of Fairview is now serving as commander of the NATO forces in Europe. Another military leader from Kansas was General Lewis Walt of Wabaunsee County, former assistant commandant of the U.S. Marine Corps. Col. Frank E. Petersen, a native of Topeka, recently became the first black brigadier general in the history of the Marine

Actor Edward Asner ("Lou Grant") is from the Kansas City, Kansas, area, and actress Vera Miles spent her childhood in Wichita. Milburn Stone, who played Doc on "Gunsmoke," grew up in Kansas. Stone's characterization of "Doc" was patterned after his own country-doctor grandfather.

The Menninger family of Topeka founded and operates the world-famous Menninger Foundation

mental health facility.

Lefthanders International, an association of lefthanded people, was founded by a Kansan and has its

headquarters in Topeka.

Author Alex Haley of Roots fame has indirect ties to Kansas. His brother, George, lived in Kansas City and was a Kansas State Senator from 1965-1968. Haley's cousin, Georgia Anderson, lived in Kansas City for several years until her death. She was instrumental in Haley's research for Roots, filling in details of the family story which had been handed down. Mrs.

Anderson's assistance is acknowledged by Haley in

In addition to its famous people, Kansas has pro-

duced some infamous ones.

Boston Corbett, the man who shot John Wilkes Booth, lived in Kansas for a time. Corbett was part of a 25-member cavalry troop sent to capture Booth, who had shot Abraham Lincoln, and return him alive. Corbett, disobeying orders, shot and killed Booth. Corbett was somewhat of a hero and collected a reward. Corbett eventually migrated to Kansas and became an Assistant Doorkeeper in the Kansas House of Representatives. On Feb. 15, 1887, he attained additional notoriety by firing shots at the members of the House from the west balcony of the House chamber. He was judged insane and committed to the Topeka Insane Asylum. In 1888 he escaped and disappeared without

During the 1870's the Bender family of Parsons took in unsuspecting travelers and murdered them. Led by daughter Kate, the family murdered at least 11 people.

A later infamous Kansan was John Richard Romulus Brinkley, better known as "Doc" Brinkley. He is most famous for his goat gland transplants-surgical procedures which were supposed to restore sexual potency to human males. He also operated the first radio station in Kansas, giving medical advice and prescriptions over the air. Despite criticism of his methods and revocation of his medical license, Brinkley ran for Governor as a write-in candidate and apparently received the most votes. However, 50,000 votes were voided and thrown out by election officials, and the Democrat candidate was declared the winner. Brinkley ran again in 1932, but with little enthusiasm. He was defeated, and soon after that he moved to Texas, where he died of a heart attack in 1942.

An infamous bank robber and bootlegger, Alvin "Creepy" Karpis, spent his childhood in Topeka, where his life of crime began. In the 1930's he was rated "Public Enemy Number One" by the FBI.

The book In Cold Blood by Truman Capote tells the story of the Clutter family murders at Holcomb in November, 1959. Perry Smith and Richard Hickock

were hanged for those murders.

Besides famous and infamous people, Kansas has produced a famous "non-person": Dorothy of "The Wizard of Oz." The familiar story by L. Frank Baum has in recent years become a television favorite, and Dorothy is well-known to young and old alike.

LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES

"The prairie seems to be an endless succession of rolls, with a smooth green surface, dotted all over with the most beautiful flowers. The soil is of the most rich and fertile character, with no waste land."

-Charles A. Robinson, first Governor of Kansas

Located in the heart of the nation, Kansas is a 208 by 411 mile rectangle. It rises from less than 700 feet above sea level in its southeastern corner to more than 4,100 feet at its western border and has a total of 82,264 square miles. Kansas ranks 14th among the states in geographic size. Because of its distance from east to west Kansas has a great variation of climate, terrain, soil, native plants and animals, although most of the state lies within a region generally called the

The original Kansas Territory included portions of what is now Colorado west to the Continental Divide.

Pike's Peak was in Kansas at that time.

The geographic center of the contiguous 48 states of the United States is located near Lebanon, in Smith County in north central Kansas. Of more scientific interest is the North American geodetic datum, established in Osborne County, forty miles south and east of the historic geographical center. This geodetic datum is the controlling point for all land surveys in the United States, Canada and Mexico.

Kansas has a varied climate with an average annual temperature of 55 degrees. Normal annual precipitation ranges from slightly more than 40 inches in the southeastern counties to less than 20 inches in the western counties. From 70 to 77 percent of the annual precipitation falls between April 1 and September 30. The overall average annual rainfall for the state is

about 27 inches a year.

Although Kansas is often considered a dry state, it has five river systems, and over 50,000 streams which are large enough to be named. The Missouri, the Kaw and the Arkansas Rivers are considered navigable, although the Missouri is the only river in Kansas on which there is a considerable amount of river traffic. A number of springs in the state were important sources of water for early travelers through Kansas. There are many lakes in the state, most of which are man-made. Osage County is the only county in the U.S. which has two federal reservoirs.

Kansans enjoy as many as 300 clear or partly clear days over the western half of the state and around 275 such days in the eastern half.

Kansas is a windy state. Dodge City in western Kansas is the windiest city in the United States with

an average wind speed of 14 m.p.h.

Kansas is part of the Interior Plains country composed of the Interior Low Plateau, Central Lowland and Great Plains provinces. The western two-thirds of Kansas is in the Great Plains province which extends for thousands of miles along the east side of the Rocky Mountains. The Great Plains province has two sections: the Dissected High Plains and the High Plains.

The more varied landscape of the eastern third of the state is in the Central Lowlands province with three sections: Osage Plains, Dissected Till Plains,

and the Arkansas River Lowlands.

The Flint Hills extend north and south across the east central part of the state, covering an area about 50 miles wide. Bluestem grass growing in the Flint Hills makes it a unique grazing land, and the area also contains oil and gas. Some people want a portion of the Flint Hills set aside as a Tall Grass Prairie National Park, but there is opposition from ranchers and others who fear the natural state of the land would be disturbed.

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The soils of Kansas are among the best in the world. These soils have come from decomposition of underlying rock formations or have been transported into the region by water, wind or ice.

Kansas ranks among the top ten mineral-producing states in the nation. There is an abundance of petroleum and natural gas—Kansas ranks 7th in the nation in petroleum production. Leading mineral resources in Kansas, by total dollar value of production:

petroleum natural gas propane, helium cement salt coal
building stone
sand & gravel
clay & shale products

Limestone is an important resource in Kansas and has been used extensively for buildings and early day fenceposts. Limestone is also the basis for a large cement manufacturing industry.

One of the most extensive beds of pre-historic ocean fossils is located in Kansas in the chalk beds of Logan and Gove counties.

The Grassland of the Great Plains was a natural habitat for the buffalo, or American Bison, whose numbers in early historic times have been estimated at 60 to 75 million. By 1830, after gunpowder had begun to take its toll, an estimated 40 million buffaloes remained—still very large numbers. Early explorers reported sighting herds containing as many as three or four million buffaloes. In 1871, Major Richard Irving Dodge reported travelling at least 25 miles through one immense herd of buffaloes. The great herd "was about five days passing a given point, or not less than fifty miles deep," Dodge said.

The buffalo was the supermarket for the Indians of the Great Plains. Food, shelter, clothing, fuel, and some war materials could be fashioned from a buffalo carcass. The Plains Indian followed the buffalo for his livelihood. White hunters in later years slaughtered buffaloes for their hides, often leaving the carcasses to rot. However, many explorers, fur trappers and others enjoyed buffalo meat.

Today, Kansas hunters enjoy the opportunity to harvest a wide variety of game within the state. Because there is almost no wasteland, there are few areas outside those held by federal or state agencies as game preserves in which wildlife can exist completely unobstructed. Kansas boasts the largest flock of prairie chickens left on the North American Continent, and in quail and dove hunting Kansas ranks among the top five states. Also extensively sought by hunters are pheasant, turkey, duck, geese, coyote, deer, rabbit, squirrel, and fur-bearing animals.

Fur-trapping is carried on for beaver, bobcat, racoon, opposum, skunk, muskrat, mink, badger, fox and coyote.

There are now more than 304,000 acres of public hunting and game management lands in Kansas. These units are scattered throughout the state within short driving distances for most hunters.

Good fishing abounds in Kansas, with a great variety of species found in the state's lakes and reservoirs. Largemouth Bass, Crappie, Channel Catfish, White Bass, Bluegill, Flathead Catfish, Kentucky or Spotted Bass, Striped Bass, Walleye and Northern Pike are all available from Kansas lakes and streams. Kansas' 24 beautiful federal reservoirs, together with many well-established state, county and city lakes, provide ample opportunity for angling enjoyment.

Kansas has 22 state parks located throughout the state with campsites which can be enjoyed overnight or for a longer period of time. Many of the more than 100 privately owned and operated campsites are located near lakes or streams and provide facilities for fishing, swimming, boating, skiing, picknicking, hiking, and all types of outdoor recreation. Many have restaurants, grocery stores and boat rental.

KANSAS: THE NATION'S LEADER IN AGRIBUSINESS

"We have made the State of Kansas,
And to-day she stands complete—
First in freedom, first in wheat;"
—from "Quivera—Kansas" by Eugene F. Ware

Kansas is one of the leading agricultural states in the country. Known as the "Wheat State" and the "Breadbasket of the Nation," Kansas produces more wheat and milo than any other state, as well as a number of other agricultural products.

Early explorers travelling through Kansas disagreed over the agricultural possibilities of Kansas resources. Some referred to the area as the "Great American Desert," while others immediately recognized the value of Kansas soil and other natural resources. During the last half of the 19th century there were three important developments which helped to establish Kansas as an agricultural state: the windmill, barbed wire and the mechanical combine.

Today, farming is part of a multi-billion dollar industry known as agribusiness, which includes farming and related businesses such as manufacturing of farm equipment and fertilizer, and processing of farm products. Kansas ranks third among the states in production of agricultural equipment.

Nearly 50 million acres of Kansas land are devoted to farming. Leading crops and livestock products are:

wheat grain sorghums forage sorghums sorghum silage soybeans sugar beets oats alfalfa hay

aifalfa seed wild hay lespedeza seed dehydrated alfalfa cattle sheep hogs

Wheat

"Win the War with Wheat!"

That was a popular slogan in Kansas during both world wars. Times of war have been boom times for wheat farmers, but Kansas wheat plays an important part in feeding the world in times of peace also.

Kansas produces 20 to 25 percent of all wheat grown in the United States, making Kansas the leading state in wheat production. Only seven *countries*, including China and Russia, produce more wheat than does Kansas. Heavy wheat exports help to make Kansas the number one state in exports per capita of all products:

An important development for wheat farming was the introduction into Kansas of Hard Red Winter Wheat, or "Turkey Red Wheat," brought from Russia by the Mennonites in 1874.

While modern wheat farmers have produced record crops, the market prices for wheat have fluctuated drastically in recent years. Large grain sales to Russia and China in the early 1970's have helped, but throughout this decade the prices received by farmers for their wheat have rarely exceeded the cost of production.

The Kansas Wheat Commission, financed by an excise tax on first sales of wheat, assists wheat farmers and promotes use of wheat products.

Cattle

Cattle were very important to the early development of Kansas. Cattle raised in Texas were driven to Kansas railroad towns to be loaded for shipment to eastern markets. The most important "cowtowns" were Abilene, Wichita, Ellsworth, Newton, Dodge City and Caldwell. All of these flourished as cowboys drove their cattle up the various cattle trails to the railroads and brought business to the towns. There were some problems with the cattle drives; Texas cattle brought Texas and Spanish Fever into the state, so quarantines had to be enacted against Texas cattle during warm weather to protect Kansas cattle.

Production of cattle in Kansas is significant, with cattle being raised in all counties of the state. Kansas is the third ranking state in production of beef cattle, and the cattle feedyards in western Kansas are some of the largest in the country.

Problems and Solutions

Over the years, Kansas farmers have been plagued with various types of problems ranging from droughts to floods and from grasshopper plagues to low market prices. The agricultural history of the state reveals cycles of boom and bust which resulted in expansion of agricultural holdings, only to be followed by thousands of foreclosures on Kansas farms. The frustrations of the farmers often spilled over into politics, as can be seen in the Populist and AAM movements of the 19th and 20th centuries.

One of the roughest times for Kansas farmers was the 1930's. General problems of the Great Depression were compounded by dust storms and drought. The dry soil of the Great Plains combined with strong winds to create massive clouds of dust which were thousands of feet high and miles across, and which obscured the sun for hours. Shelter belts (rows of trees) built with federal funds to diminish soil erosion are still in evidence throughout central Kansas.

Despite the hard times in the 1930's, most farmers stayed on their farms, hoping for better times. President Roosevelt's "New Deal" programs brought some relief, and the next decade brought a boom time during World War II.

The soil erosion of the 1930's has yielded to scientific farming methods, and today thousands of acres of Kansas farmland are irrigated by modern irrigation systems supported by wells, federal reservoirs, farm ponds and local reservoirs.

While the great grasshopper plagues of the 19th century no longer exist, grasshoppers and other pests periodically continue to invade crops. Modern chemical pesticides have helped to control and eradicate them.

This use of pesticides, along with herbicides and chemical fertilizers, has greatly increased farm production costs. Despite high costs, prices for many farm products have remained low in recent years, and some unhappy farmers have expressed their discontent through farm "strikes," parades and demonstrations.

Research and Other Support Services

Better agricultural methods are constantly being sought by researchers in Kansas.

Kansas State University is recognized as one of the outstanding agricultural research institutions in the nation. Researchers on campus and at agricultural experiment stations throughout the state are especially noted for their outstanding work in the eradication of plant and animal diseases, and for their development of new hybrids of wheat and other grains.

Farmers also receive various types of support from organizations such as 4-H clubs, Future Farmers of America, Grange, Farm Bureau, Farmers Union, National Farmers Organization, Livestock Association and local farm cooperatives.

MIDWAY, U.S.A. FOR BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY

"Kansas is a slice from the juiciest side of the earth. A few years ago it was a wilderness; today it is the garden of the world, redolent with the fragrance of the orchard and vintage, teeming with the homes of thrifty people, pulsing with the vim and vigor of progress, and mellow with the bloom of an almost perennial harvest."

-from the Chicago Journal, May 14, 1889

Commerce and industry in Kansas are varied, but are dominated by the aircraft industry and agriculture-related enterprises.

Products manufactured in the state range from airplanes to pizza, from camping equipment to greeting cards, and from tires to sewing patterns. Other major industries include meat packing, mining, flour milling and petroleum refining.

The variety of commerce and industry creates a healthy state economy and a good job market. Unemployment in Kansas is consistently among the lowest in the nation.

The state's location in the center of the country makes Kansas an ideal site for many businesses. Walter Beach, the founder of Beech Aircraft Corporation, once said, "No matter where you deliver an airplane from Wichita, you're already halfway there."

In recent years Kansas has sought and attracted dozens of new industries. Much of the credit for this accomplishment goes to the Kansas Department of Economic Development (KDED), a state agency, and the Kansas Cavalry. The Cavalry is a group of about 300 Kansas business leaders who volunteer their time

and expertise to meet with business leaders from other states who might be interested in locating in Kansas. Delegations of Cavalry members have traveled, at their own expense, all over the United States and even to some foreign countries.

Strong "selling points" for Kansas used by KDED and the Cavalry include the state's central location, high worker productivity rate and an excellent system of air, rail and ground transportation. Kansas is the fifth ranked state in total railroad miles, and third in

the number of highway miles.

Kansas is the world leader in production of general aviation aircraft. Three Kansas companies manufacture two-thirds of all the general aviation aircraft produced in the entire world.

The major Kansas aircraft firms are located in Wichita, the "Air Capital of the World." Over 50,000 people are employed by Kansas aircraft firms and firms supplying aircraft components and parts.

Hutchinson is a major salt production center, with one of the world's largest salt mines and three of the largest salt evaporation plants. There are also two salt

mines and a salt processing plant at Lyons.

The Pittsburg area in southeast Kansas is a center of large strip coal mining operations. Located at Pittsburg are the nation's largest plant devoted mainly to the production of coal preparation equipment, and one of the country's largest ammonium nitrate plants.

Kansas ranks in the top ten states in production of popcorn, railroad cars, cattle and rubber tires, as well as wheat, milo and aircraft. The state is the country's

leading producer of helium.

A noteworthy item in regard to Kansas business is the fact that two of the nation's top female business leaders are Mrs. Olive Ann Beech and Mrs. Olive Ann Garvey, who both reside in and operate their businesses from Wichita.

The following companies are several of the larger and several of the more unique in Kansas:

Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company: Santa Fe has a major office in Topeka, where over 1,000 persons are employed. Santa Fe owns over 2,500 miles of railroad track in Kansas, and is the largest railroad company in the state.

Beech Aircraft Corporation: Beech Aircraft in Wichita employs over 8,000 people in its three Kansas plants. The company produces commercial, private and defense aircraft of all sizes.

Boeing Wichita Co.: Boeing Wichita, in operation since 1927, handles military and commercial aircraft assignments, including modifications. The facility does support work for the entire commercial jetliner series delivered at Seattle. Boeing Wichita employs 12,000 people.

Cessna Aircraft Co.: Cessna, located in Wichita, produces 51.8% of all general aviation aircraft. The Cessna Skyhawk (172) is the largest selling general aviation aircraft in history.

The Coleman Company, Inc.: Coleman, Wichita, produces camping products, recreational vehicle equipment, and heating and air conditioning units. Coleman products are marketed internationally.

Evans Products, Inc.: Evans Products, Dodge City, is one of only three companies in the U.S. which manufacture plastic drum heads for musical instruments. The company, which has been in business since 1958, sells drum heads to customers all over the world, including some of the top rock groups. Among the Evans drum heds are some which are unique, and made by no other company in the world. One such product is the "hydraulic head," an oil-filled head.

Gates Learjet Corporation: Gates Learjet in Wichita is the world's leading producer of business jet aircraft. Many entertainers, foreign dignitaries and other well-known people have visited Wichita to take possession of their new Learjets.

Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company: The Goodyear factory in Topeka is the world's largest producer of giant earthmover tires. About 4,000 people are employed at the facility, which manufactures approximately 900 different types and sizes of tires.

Hallmark Cards, Inc.: Hallmark, the world's leading publisher of greeting cards, has three major production centers in Kansas. Over 2,000 people are employed in those facilities at Topeka, Lawrence and Leavenworth. Items produced at those centers include greeting cards, stationery, paper party goods, candles, writing instruments, key chains and Springbok jigsaw puzzles.

Hesston Corporation: In 1947, a Hesston farmer became frustrated by the lost hours of productivity while his crew unloaded wheat out of combine grain tanks into trucks. Searching for a better way, the farmer and another Hesston man developed an unloading auger for the combine. Their product was marketed and the Hesston Corporation was born. Today Hesston is a major international producer of farm equipment, and also manufactures wood office furniture. About 1,500 people are employed at the corporation's plant in Hesston.

Harold Hillman—Sphere-maker: In a small shop in Ellis, attractive but rough rocks are turned into decorative spheres that look like large, beautiful marbles. The sphere-maker, Harold Hillman, invented, built and patented all the machinery in his shop. He is, as far as he knows, the only person in the world who produces spheres for public sale. Hillman's special equipment shapes and polishes spheres which are usually three or four inches in diameter, although they can be smaller or larger.

Josten's American Yearbook Co.: American Yearbook Co., a division of Josten's of Minnesota, publishes high school and college yearbooks. Over 1,000 people are employed at the Topeka facility.

King Radio Corporation: King Radio, Olathe, is one of the world's leading producers of aircraft avionics equipment. The company manufactures navigation and communication radios, radar and radar altimeters, auto pilots and similar items. King Radio employs over 2,800 people at its plants in Olathe, Paola, Ottawa and Lawrence, and has an office in Geneva, Switzerland, King equipment is used in 97 airplane models, ranging from a small Cessna model to the Concorde SST.

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