

Freezing rain could pose travel hazards Wednesday

By JARED SHELTON
News-Press NOW

A Winter Weather Advisory has been issued across Northwest Missouri and Northeast Kansas,

ahead of a chance for light freezing rain Wednesday morning and afternoon. The advisory includes the following Northwest Missouri counties from 3 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Feb. 5:

Andrew, Atchison, Buchanan, Clinton, DeKalb, Gentry, Holt, Nodaway, Platte, and Worth. The following Northeast Kansas counties are also included in the advisory:

Brown, Atchison, and Doniphan. Freezing drizzle and rain could result in ice accumulations of up to one-tenth of an inch. A light glaze of ice may

cause hazardous travel conditions across the advisory area. The greatest impacts are most likely Wednesday morning but could linger into the afternoon.

Slow down and use extra caution if traveling on Wednesday. Bridges and elevated surfaces could become icy as far south as the Interstate 70 corridor.

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Carl Roath, left, a worker with the Mason County Public Utility District, pulls fiber optic cable off of a spool, as he works with a team to install broadband internet service to homes in a rural area surrounding Lake Christine near Belfair, Washington.

Underserved communities focus of high-speed internet access efforts

By CHRIS FORTUNE
News-Press NOW

A federal program is helping underserved communities gain the infrastructure needed to access high-speed internet. The need for reliable internet is becoming essential for accessing health care and employment opportunities as well as education. Community Action Partnership Compliance Manager Amanda Recob said the benefits also extend to housing opportunities and food services.

“It’s important in every aspect,” Recob said. “Nowadays, everything’s technology-based, and a lot of things are virtual. So without that, you’re leaving a lot of families really behind.” The Bipartisan Infrastructure Law funds the Broadband Equity, Access and Deployment Program to bring high-speed internet to more Americans. These funds are funneled into individual states to provide for communities through competitive grant programs. Leaders at United Fiber, a

local internet provider with a base in Savannah, Missouri, are working to secure funding from the program to help expand internet access in Buchanan County to underserved rural areas. “We’re very rural with a lot of our areas, both with our membership and some other areas that we serve,” General Manager Darren Farnan said. “And so we’re always looking for opportunities to get more broadband (internet) out there for these really

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Fees for Inmate phone calls could be limited by bill

By JENNA WILSON
News-Press NOW

A proposed Missouri bill by State Senator Rusty Black would limit the rate inmates pay to make phone calls. SB50 states that correctional centers should provide offenders with reasonable access to phone services unless such access is restricted as a disciplinary measure. Additionally, no correctional center would be able to charge more than 12 cents per minute for any domestic phone calls made by inmates. “It depends on your average daily population as to what you can cap that at,” said Captain Joe Lysaght, a correctional administrator with the Buchanan County Sheriff’s Office. “For our facility, it will cap those phone calls at \$0.09 per minute.” According to Buchanan County officials, these changes to the phone call fee

could come as soon as April. This proposed bill is in favor for many who have loved ones inside correctional centers, however, Lysaght said in contrast, it comes with drawbacks for the operation of jail facilities. “This is certainly more favorable to the families because it does cost their families less money,” Lysaght said. “The problem you run into is, it costs money to operate facilities too and that will take money away from operations. So, there’s two sides to this story.” This will impact prices for daily things used inside the facility including, hygiene products, mattresses, blankets, towels and other necessities. Officials say they will have to try and obtain these items other sources if the facility becomes financially strained. As of Feb. 3, SB50 has been voted “Do Pass” by local government and election committees for further consideration.



The Buchanan County Jail has implemented a safer way for inmates to read mail.



Associated Press

Been here, done that

Chiefs and Eagles participated at the Super Bowl 59 Opening Night in New Orleans. Details on Page C1

City Council votes to cancel meeting on Feb. 18

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Local Chiefs fans prepare to head to New Orleans

By LEAH RAINWATER
News-Press NOW

A few local Chiefs fans are preparing for a chance of a lifetime, as they head to the Super Bowl LIX game in New Orleans. The Kansas City Chiefs will face the Philadelphia Eagles in a Super Bowl Sunday matchup and will have a chance to complete a three-peat. Nate Morrow and Gary Kirkpatrick are the creators and administrators of the Chiefs Lot J Tailgating Crew on Facebook. The two long-time Chiefs fans have been season ticket holders for about 12 years...And their both excited to be able to witness the chance for their favorite team to make history. “It’s history in the

making,” said Morrow. “It’s never been done. It makes...The dynasty becomes a real dynasty.” Both Morrow and Kirkpatrick have done their fair share of following the team to their many Super Bowl victories... Morrow making mention that he missed Super Bowl LV, where the Chiefs lost to the Tampa Bay Rays in 2021, where he discovered that he couldn’t miss another game since. But the pair isn’t tired of seeing their team in a big match up like the Super Bowl. “I mean, we’ve been through the lows, we know what it’s like,” said Kirkpatrick. “Two and 14 seasons weren’t very fun. I mean,

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Nate Morrow, left, and Gary Kirkpatrick, right, have been Chiefs season ticket holders for 12 years.



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Weather from the Storm Tracker Center and News-Press NOW



TODAY
High: **35°**
Low: **28°**

Cloudy and cold, 60% chance of wintry mix/rain.



THURSDAY
High: **43°**
Low: **24°**

Cool and breezy with lots of sunshine.

FRIDAY



High: **40**
Low: **29**

Cool and dry with increasing clouds.

SATURDAY



High: **42**
Low: **20**

Partly cloudy, 20% chance of morning rain.

SUNDAY



High: **37**
Low: **21**

Dry and colder with a mix of sun and clouds.

TODAY'S POLLEN COUNT: 0.1

Low on a scale of 0 to 12.

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Sun and Moon	Today	Thu.
Sunrise	7:24 a.m.	7:23 a.m.
Sunset	5:44 p.m.	5:45 p.m.
Moonrise	11:10 a.m.	11:50 a.m.
Moonset	1:20 a.m.	2:35 a.m.

Moon Phases

First	Full	Last	New
Feb 5	Feb 12	Feb 20	Feb 27

REGIONAL CITIES

City	Yesterday* Hi/Low/Prec	Today Hi/Low/W
Missouri		
C. Girardeau	52/39/0.00	54/52/r
Columbia	44/33/0.00	43/39/i
Maryville	31/18/0.00	34/25/i
Jefferson City	46/37/Tr	47/40/r
Kansas City	34/26/0.00	39/31/r
Kirksville	34/23/0.00	35/32/i
Sedalia	40/34/0.00	48/36/r
Springfield	45/37/Tr	61/53/r
St. Louis	47/37/0.00	45/40/r
Kansas		
Atchison	33/23/0.00	38/28/r
Dodge City	25/17/Tr	66/31/pc
Emporia	34/28/Tr	46/34/c
Garden City	24/15/Tr	69/31/pc
Goodland	21/12/0.00	69/25/pc
Manhattan	27/23/0.00	41/28/c
Pittsburg	42/35/0.00	58/44/r
Salina	26/19/Tr	44/26/c
Topeka	33/26/0.00	41/30/r
Wichita	33/27/Tr	52/35/c

*statistics through 6 p.m. yesterday
Weather (W): s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, f-ice.

DAILY ALMANAC

Statistics for St. Joseph are from Rosecrans Memorial Airport through 6 p.m. yesterday

Temperatures	Record	Normal	Actual
High	68 (1946)	40	34
Low	-10 (1936)	18	24

Yesterday's Hourly Temperatures

Precipitation

	Normal	Actual
24 hours ending 6 p.m. yest.	--	0.00"
Month to date	0.10"	0.00"
Year to date	0.81"	3.59"

Maximum winds yesterday NE at 20 mph
Barometer at noon 30.41", steady
Average Soil Temperature* 38°
*Source: Buchanan County Extension Center

RIVER BULLETIN

River stages as of 7 a.m. yesterday

River	Flood Stage	Yesterday
Missouri River		
Omaha	29 ft	10.08 ft.
Nebraska City	18 ft	6.82 ft.
Rulo	17 ft	5.05 ft.
St. Joseph	17 ft	4.32 ft.
Kansas City	32 ft	9.24 ft.
Platte River		
Agency	20 ft	9.04 ft.
Grand River		
Chillicothe	20 ft	9.49 ft.
Gavins Point Release		13,900 cfs.

LAKE BULLETIN

Lake levels as of 7 a.m. yesterday

Lake	Full Pool	Yesterday
Lake of the Ozarks	660 ft	656.69 ft.
Stockton Lake	867 ft	861.90 ft.
Truman	706 ft	706.19 ft.

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Across the **NATION** and around the **WORLD**

Trump says he's exploring option to send jailed U.S. criminals to other countries

GUATEMALA CITY | President Donald Trump said Tuesday that he was exploring whether he can move forward with El Salvador's offer to accept and jail violent American criminals in the "most severe cases" even as he and Secretary of State Marco Rubio both say it raises clear legal issues.

Rubio reached an unusual agreement with Salvadoran President Nayib Bukele a day earlier that the Central American country would accept U.S. deportees of any nationality, including American citizens and legal residents who are imprisoned for violent crimes.

"I'm just saying if we had a legal right to do it, I would do it in a heartbeat," Trump told reporters Tuesday in the Oval Office. "I don't know if we do or not, we're looking at that right now."

At a news conference earlier in San Jose with Costa Rican President Rodrigo Chaves, Rubio said there were "obviously legalities involved. We have a Constitution."

But Rubio noted that it was "a very generous offer. No one's ever made an offer like that — and to outsource, at a fraction of the cost, at least some of the most dangerous and violent criminals that we have in the United States."

Immigration — a Trump administration priority — was again the topic of the day during Rubio's first foreign trip as America's top diplomat. On his five-country Central America tour, he has faced major upheaval at the U.S. Agency for International Development, leaving many at the aid agency and the State Department fearful for their jobs.

While Rubio has been overseas this week, USAID staffers and Democratic lawmakers were blocked from its Washington headquarters after Elon Musk, who is running a budget-slashing Department of Government Efficiency, announced Trump had agreed with him to shut the aid agency.

Thousands of USAID employees already had been laid off and programs worldwide shut down after Trump imposed a sweeping freeze on foreign assistance after taking office. Rubio later offered a waiver for life-saving programs, but confusion over what is exempt from stop-work orders — and fear of losing U.S. aid permanently — is still freezing aid and development work globally.

"I would say if some organization is receiving funds from the United States and does not know how to apply a waiver, then I have real questions about the competence of that organization," he said. "Or I wonder whether they're deliberately sabotaging it for purposes of making a political point."

Rubio also said he has "long supported foreign aid. I continue to support foreign aid. But foreign aid is not charity." He noted that every dollar the U.S. spends must advance its national interest.

Amid the turmoil back home, Rubio and Chaves spoke of immigration and security challenges that Costa Rica faces as it has become not just a transit country for migrants headed to the U.S. but also a destination as thousands of Nicaraguans since that country cracked down on opposition starting in 2018.

Remains of all 67 victims of the midair collision recovered

ARLINGTON, Va. | The remains of all 67 victims of last week's midair collision of an American Airlines flight and an Army helicopter near the nation's capital have been recovered, authorities said Tuesday. All but one has been identified.

Meanwhile the NTSB said it was examining new data that could put the helicopter above its 200-foot flight ceiling. The airport's air traffic control screen — relying on radar sensors and other data — had it at 300 feet, the agency said. However that figure would have been rounded to the nearest 100 feet, according to authorities.

Investigators said they need to get more information from the still-submerged Black Hawk to verify the data.

The jet's flight recorder showed its altitude as 325 feet, plus or minus 25 feet.

Earlier in the day, crews working in choppy conditions raised a number of large pieces of the jetliner from the Potomac River, including

the right wing, the center fuselage and parts of the forward cabin, cockpit, tail cone and rudder.

"Our hearts are with the victims' families as they navigate this tragic loss," officials said in a joint statement from the city and federal agencies involved in the search and recovery, including the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Navy dive teams and Washington police and fire crews.

The chief medical examiner will be working to positively identify the final set of remains, officials said.

The collision occurred last Wednesday night as the plane was about to land at nearby Ronald Reagan National Airport, killing everyone on board both aircraft.

Authorities said early on that they expected to recover the remains of everyone who died, and they are now focusing on retrieving the jet and hope to recover the helicopter later this week.

— From AP reports

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MISSOURI	
Pick 3 - 1 PM	7-5-3
Pick 3 - 9 PM	5-8-8
Pick 4 - 1 PM	1-1-5-8
Pick 4 - 9 PM	9-6-2-8
Show Me Cash	4-6-15-20-34
Cash4Life	16-19-22-26-35 (CB 4)
KANSAS	
Pick 3 - 1 PM	4-5-7
Pick 3 - 9 PM	5-0-3
2 by 2	RED 14-18, WHITE 11-16
MULTISTATE	
Mega Millions	14-24-31-53-54 (MB 1)
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U.S. aid freeze puts at risk Ukraine’s wartime help for frontline evacuees

Associated Press

PAVLOHRAD, Ukraine — In what used to be the concert hall in this town in eastern Ukraine, cots are arranged on stage. Instead of music, the room is filled with the muffled sobs of local people driven from their homes by fighting in the country’s almost three-year war with Russia.

The Russian army’s recent advances have engulfed towns and villages in the area. The Pavlohrad concert hall was requisitioned as a temporary center for local civilians fleeing the relentless Russian bombardment.

“It’s good here. There’s food, warmth, and a place to wash,” said 83-year-old Kateryna Odraha, who lived through the Nazi German occupation of her village during World War II.

That refuge may now be in peril.

The shelter costs the equivalent of \$7,000 a month to run, and 60% of that was being covered by U.S. funds sent to help Ukraine.

President Donald Trump’s decision last week to freeze for 90 days the humanitarian aid that the United States provides to countries overseas was felt in plac-



Associated Press

People sit on beds after evacuation from the frontline at a center for displaced people on Saturday in Pavlohrad, Ukraine.

es far from Washington, including here, a few kilometers from the front line in eastern Ukraine.

Trump’s decision immediately halted thousands of U.S.-funded humanitarian, development and security programs. The consequences have rippled across the world.

“This news was abrupt and unexpected,” said Illia Novikov, the coordinator of the Pavlohrad transit center, which is run by the charity organization Relief Coordination Center. “At this moment, we have no idea what the future holds.”

The U.S. funding covered fuel for evacuation vehicles, salaries for aid workers, legal and psychological support, and tickets to help evacuees reach safer locations, he said.

Usually about 60 people pass through the shelter each day, but when the Russian bombardment worsens, that can climb to more than 200, according to Novikov.

Many people heading here have spent months living in their basement without electricity, running water or enough food.

Vasyl Odraha, 58, remained in his local vil-

lage for months, even as artillery fire and Russian guided bomb strikes became more frequent as the war moved closer.

He said he initially believed that Trump would stop the war within 24 hours of taking office, as he had promised during his election campaign.

“We pinned our hopes on Trump’s election,” he said, sitting on a cot beside his 83-year-old mother.

When the fighting didn’t stop, and the front line moved to within less than 2 miles of where they lived, they fled at dawn.

Internet

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difficult, high-cost areas to serve.”

According to Farnan, it is less cost-effective for internet providers to run underground fiber cables in areas with less population density.

“That’s why it’s difficult to serve those locations, because just getting a business case that makes sense is very difficult to do,” Farnan said. “And that’s why we’ve looked at supplementing some of that cost with these federal programs and state programs is to kind of help, you know, get people the service they deserve, but at a sustainable model.”

Farnan said federal maps show that nearly 1,300 people live in rural underserved areas within Buchanan County.

United Fiber plans to submit an application for

federal funding through the BEAD program by the Feb. 20 deadline, however, they are also waiting to see if there are any changes in requirements for the application since President Trump has taken office.

“We’re just waiting to see how the rules change, if at all,” Farnan said. “Because some of this money has already been allocated to the states.”

Metronet, another local internet provider based out of Indiana, said they do not anticipate using BEAD program funding for fiber-optic internet expansion in Missouri.

“Metronet privately funds the expansion of its fiber-optic networks and is doing that at a rapid clip — it’s currently the fastest-growing private fiber company in the country,” Metronet Vice President of Communications Scott Shapiro said. “We do not anticipate applying for BEAD funding in Missouri.”

Chiefs

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we didn’t get 50 years before we made it to another Super Bowl,” said Morrow. “It was 25 years before we won a playoff game.”

Morrow and Kirkpatrick said they hope other teams will someday get to feel the high that Chiefs fans have been feeling for the last five years.

But for now, like other Chiefs fans, they’re basking in the glory.

“I don’t can if it’s 10-7, I don’t care if it’s 29-5,” said Morrow. “I don’t care what the score is. Just win.”

Both fans are planning a

big weekend heading into the big game, as they’ll be heading to New Orleans on Saturday and will celebrate up until the big game...

And the two have some very big plans for former Chiefs players, Chiefs fans and anyone who wants to be involved in their tailgating group.

“A lot of the events we put on, I mean, it’s constantly...Every single day on the phone planning,” said Morrow. “So all the fans that do come to our events will have a good time.”

Morrow said the Lot J Tailgating Crew, in partnership with the Chop It Up Travel Club, will have different events and get-together’s leading up to the big game.





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Across the **Nation** and Around the **World**

Trump won't rule out deploying U.S. troops to support rebuilding Gaza

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — President Donald Trump on Tuesday suggested that displaced Palestinians in Gaza be “permanently” resettled outside the war-torn territory and proposed the U.S. take “ownership” in redeveloping the war-torn territory.

Trump’s audacious proposal appears certain to roil the next stage of talks meant to extend the tenuous ceasefire between Israel and Hamas and secure the release of the remaining hostages held in Gaza.

The provocative comments came as talks are ramping up this week with the promise of surging humanitarian aid and reconstruction supplies to help the people of Gaza recover

after more than 15 months of devastating conflict. Now Trump wants to push roughly 1.8 million people to leave the land they have called home and claim it for the U.S., perhaps with American troops.

Trump outlined his thinking as he held talks with Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu at the White House, where the two leaders also discussed the fragile ceasefire and hostage deal in the Israeli-Hamas conflict and shared concerns about Iran.

“I don’t think people should be going back,” Trump said. “You can’t live in Gaza right now. I think we need another location. I think it should be a location that’s going to make people happy.”

Trump said the U.S.



President Donald Trump and Israel's Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu speak during a news conference Tuesday in the East Room of the White House in Washington.

would take ownership of the Gaza Strip and redevelop it after Palestinians are resettled elsewhere and turn the territory into “the Riviera of the Middle East” in which the “world’s people”— includ-

ing Palestinians — would live.

“We’ll make sure that it’s done world class,” Trump said. “It’ll be wonderful for the people—Palestinians, Palestinians mostly, we’re

talking about.”

Egypt, Jordan and other U.S. allies in the Mideast have cautioned Trump that relocating Palestinians from Gaza would threaten Mideast stability, risk expanding the conflict and undermine a decades-long push by the U.S. and allies for a two-state solution.

Still, Trump insists the Palestinians “have no alternative” but to leave the “big pile of rubble” that is Gaza. He spoke out as his top aides stressed that a three-to-five-year timeline for reconstruction of the war-torn territory, as laid out in a temporary truce agreement, is not viable.

Last week, both Egyptian President Abdel Fattah el-Sissi and Jordanian King Abdullah II

dismissed Trump’s calls to resettle Gazans.

But Trump said he believes Egypt and Jordan—as well as other countries, which he did not name—will ultimately agree to take in Palestinians.

“You look over the decades, it’s all death in Gaza,” Trump said. “This has been happening for years. It’s all death. If we can get a beautiful area to resettle people, permanently, in nice homes where they can be happy and not be shot and not be killed and not be knifed to death like what’s happening in Gaza.”

Trump also said he isn’t ruling out deploying U.S. troops to support reconstruction of Gaza. He envisions “long-term” U.S. ownership of a redevelopment of the territory.

Tulsi Gabbard clears Senate committee to oversee U.S. spy agencies

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Tulsi Gabbard’s nomination to be President Donald Trump’s director of national intelligence cleared a key Senate committee Tuesday despite concerns raised about her past comments sympathetic to Russia and a meeting with Syria’s now-deposed leader.

A former Democratic congresswoman, Gabbard is one of Trump’s

most divisive nominees, with lawmakers of both parties also pointing to her past support for government leaker Edward Snowden. But the Senate Intelligence Committee advanced her nomination in a closed-door 9-8 vote, with the committee’s Democrats voting no.

Gabbard’s nomination now heads to the full Senate for consideration. A vote has not been scheduled yet.

Following a contentious confirmation hearing last week, where some Republican senators questioned Gabbard harshly, GOP support for her fell into place following a pressure campaign over the week-end unleashed by Trump supporters and allies, including Elon Musk.

Until three GOP members seen as swing votes announced their support, it wasn’t clear her nomination would advance beyond

the Intelligence Committee. Given strong Democratic opposition and thin Republican margins, Gabbard will need almost all GOP senators to vote yes to win confirmation to the top intelligence job.

Though some Republicans have questioned Gabbard’s past views, they support her calls to overhaul the Office of the Director of National Intelligence, which coordinates the work of 18 fed-

eral agencies focused on intelligence collection and analysis. GOP lawmakers have also taken aim at the office, saying it’s grown too large and politicized.

Senate Intelligence Chairman Tom Cotton, an Arkansas Republican, said Tuesday that he looked forward to working with Gabbard to “bring badly needed reforms” to ODNI.

Gabbard is a lieutenant colonel in the National Guard who deployed twice

to the Middle East and ran for president in 2020. She has no formal intelligence experience, however, and has never run a government agency or department.

Gabbard’s past praise of Snowden drew particularly harsh questions during the nomination hearing. The former National Security Agency contractor fled to Russia after he was charged with revealing classified information about surveillance programs.

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Grain Belt Express Draft EIS

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In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act, the U.S. Department of Energy's Loan Programs Office (DOE LPO) announces the release of a Draft EIS, DOE/EIS-0554, that considers the environmental impacts associated with providing federal financial assistance to support the development, construction, and operation of Phase 1 of the Grain Belt Express Transmission Project. This notice announces the release of and requests public review and comment on the Draft EIS. To view the full Draft EIS, visit <https://www.energy.gov/lpo/eis-0554-grain-belt-express-transmission-line>. For more information about the Grain Belt Express Transmission Project visit the project website at [GrainBeltExpress.com](https://www.GrainBeltExpress.com). The public comment period closes on **March 3, 2025**.

Public Meeting Dates and Locations

To gather public feedback on the Draft EIS, open house public meetings will be held both in-person and virtually. Two meetings will be held in Kansas and two meetings will be held in Missouri. Two virtual meetings will also be hosted.

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Wednesday, February 19, 2025, from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. CST

Thursday, February 20, 2025, from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. CST

To register for a virtual meeting please visit <https://www.energy.gov/lpo/eis-0554-grain-belt-express-transmission-line> and fill out the registration form.

Public Comment Submission

If you are unable to attend a meeting but would still like to provide feedback, written comments may be submitted by March 3, 2025, in any of the following formats:

Online at <https://www.energy.gov/lpo/eis-0554-grain-belt-express-transmission-line>

By email to LPO_GrainBelt_EIS@hq.doe.gov

Online at [Regulations.gov](https://www.Regulations.gov), search for Docket No. DOE-HQ-2023-0020

By mail enclosed in an envelope labeled “Grain Belt Express EIS” and addressed to:

Todd Stribley, NEPA Compliance Officer,
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Business BRIEFS

U.S. job openings fall to 7.6 million in December

U.S. job openings fell in December, a sign that the labor market is cooling but still healthy.

Openings fell to 7.6 million, from 8.2 million in November, the Labor Department reported Tuesday. They were down from 8.9 million a year earlier and a peak of 12.2 million in March 2022 when the economy was rebounding from COVID-19 lockdowns. The openings fell short of the 7.9 million that economists had expected.

The number of layoffs fell, suggesting that Americans enjoy unusual job security. The number of people quitting their jobs rose modestly but stayed below pre-pandemic levels. After surging in 2021 and 2022, quits have come down as workers lose confidence in their ability to find better pay or working conditions elsewhere.

Waffle House adds 50 cent surcharge for eggs

NEW YORK | The Waffle House restaurant chain is putting a 50 cent per egg surcharge in place due to the biggest bird flu outbreak in a decade.

The 24-7 restaurant said that the resulting egg shortage has led to a dramatic increase in its costs.

Bird flu is forcing farmers to slaughter millions of chickens a month, pushing U.S. egg prices to more than double their cost in the summer of 2023. And it appears there may be no relief in sight with Easter approaching.

Estee Lauder to cut up to 7,000 jobs as sales slide

NEW YORK | Estee Lauder may trim as many as 7,000 jobs by fiscal 2026, more than 11% of its workforce, after the global beauty cosmetics maker lost money in its most recent quarter as reported a 6% sales slump.

The New York company behind such brands as MAC, La Mer and Aveda tempered its profit outlook as the economies of China and Korea slow, in addition to global geopolitical uncertainty.

China announced retaliatory tariffs on some American imports and an antitrust investigation into Google on Tuesday, just minutes after a sweeping levy on Chinese products imposed by U.S. President Donald Trump took effect.

—From AP reports

Trump agrees to pause tariffs on Canada and Mexico

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — President Donald Trump on Monday agreed to a 30-day pause on his tariff threats against Mexico and Canada as America’s two largest trading partners took steps to appease his concerns about border security and drug trafficking.

The pauses provide a cool-down period after a tumultuous few days that put North America on the cusp of a trade war that risked crushing economic growth, causing prices to soar and ending two of the United States’ most critical partnerships.

“I am very pleased with this initial outcome, and the Tariffs announced on Saturday will be paused for a 30 day period to see whether or not a final Economic deal with Canada can be structured,” Trump posted on social media. “FAIRNESS FOR ALL!”

Canadian Prime Minister Justin Trudeau posted Monday afternoon on X that the pause would occur “while we work together,” saying that his government would name a fentanyl czar, list Mexican cartels as terrorist groups and launch a “Canada-U.S. Joint Strike Force to combat organized crime, fentanyl and money laundering.”

The pause followed a similar move with Mexico that allows for a period of negotiations over drug smuggling and illegal immigration. The 10% tariff that Trump ordered on China is still set to go into effect as scheduled on Tuesday, though Trump planned to talk with Chinese President Xi



Associated Press

The flags of Mexico, Canada and the United States are shown near the Ambassador Bridge on Monday in Detroit.

Jinping in the next few days.

While the trade war feared by investors, companies and political leaders now seems less likely to erupt, that doesn’t mean the drama over Trump’s tariff threats has ended. Canada and Mexico bought some additional time, but Trump could easily renew his tariffs and already plans to announce taxes on imports from the European Union.

All of that leaves the global economy uncertain about whether a crisis has been averted or if a possible catastrophe could still be coming in the weeks ahead.

Trump on Saturday had directed 25% tariffs on imports from Mexico and Canada, with another 10% tariff on Canadian oil, natural gas and electricity. The U.S. president had repeatedly previewed these moves, yet they still managed to

shock many investors, lawmakers, businesses and consumers.

Multiple analyses by the Tax Foundation, the Tax Policy Center and the Peterson Institute for International Economics showed that the tariffs could hurt growth, lower incomes and push up prices. But Trump repeatedly insisted — despite promises to curb inflation — that tariffs were necessary tools to get other nations to stop illegal immigration, prevent fentanyl smuggling and treat the United States, in his mind, with respect.

Trump and Mexican President Claudia Sheinbaum announced the monthlong pause on increased tariffs against each other after what Trump described on social media as a “very friendly conversation,” and he said he looked forward to the upcoming negotiations.

China counters with tariffs on U.S. products; will also investigate Google

Associated Press

BEIJING — China announced retaliatory tariffs on select American imports and an anti-trust investigation into Google on Tuesday, just minutes after a sweeping levy on Chinese products imposed by U.S. President Donald Trump took effect.

American tariffs on imports from Canada and Mexico were also set to go into effect Tuesday before Trump agreed to a 30-day pause, as the two countries acted to address his concerns about border security and drug trafficking. Trump planned to talk with Chinese President Xi Jinping in the coming days.

“It is being scheduled and will happen very soon,” White House Press Secretary Karoline Leavitt said Tuesday.

This isn’t the first round of tit-for-tat actions between the two countries. China and the U.S. engaged in an escalating trade war in 2018, when Trump repeatedly raised tariffs on Chinese goods and China responded each time.

This time, analysts said, China is much better prepared, announcing a slew of measures that go beyond tariffs and cut across different sectors of the U.S. economy. The government is also more wary of upsetting

its own fragile and heavily trade-dependent economy.

“It’s aiming for finding measures that maximize the impact and also minimize the risk that the Chinese economy may face,” said Gary Ng, a senior economist at Natixis Corporate and Investment Banking in Hong Kong. “At the same time ... China is trying to increase its bargaining chips.”

John Gong, a professor at the University of International Business and Economics in Beijing, called the response a “measured” one. “I don’t think they want the trade war escalating,” he said. “And they see this example from Canada and Mexico and probably they are hoping for the same thing.”

China said it would implement a 15% tariff on coal and liquefied natural gas products as well as a 10% tariff on crude oil, agricultural machinery and large-engine cars imported from the U.S. The tariffs would take effect next Monday.

“The U.S.’s unilateral tariff increase seriously violates the rules of the World Trade Organization,” China’s State Council Tariff Commission said in a statement. “It is not only unhelpful in solving its own problems, but also damages normal economic and trade cooperation between China and the U.S.”

Judge says Musk’s claims of harm from OpenAI are a ‘stretch’

Associated Press

OAKLAND, Calif. — Elon Musk’s lawyers faced off with OpenAI in court Tuesday as a federal judge weighed the billionaire’s request for a court order that would block the ChatGPT maker from converting itself to a for-profit company.

U.S. District Judge Yvonne Gonzalez Rogers said it was a “stretch” for Musk to claim he will be irreparably harmed if she doesn’t intervene to stop OpenAI from moving forward with its transition from a nonprofit research laboratory to a for-profit corporation.

But the judge also raised concerns about OpenAI and its relationship with business partner Microsoft and said she wouldn’t stop the case from moving to trial as soon as next year so a jury can decide.

“It is plausible that what Mr. Musk is saying is true. We’ll find out. He’ll sit on the stand,” she said.

Musk, an early OpenAI investor and board member, sued the artificial intelligence company last year, first in a California state court and later in federal court, alleging it had betrayed its founding aims as a nonprofit research lab benefiting the public good. Musk had invested about \$45 million in the startup from its founding until 2018, his lawyer said Tuesday.

Calm returns to Wall Street, indexes higher

Associated Press

NEW YORK — Calm returned to Wall Street Tuesday, and tech stocks led U.S. indexes higher following a strong profit report from Palantir Technologies, a darling benefiting from the artificial-intelligence boom.

The S&P 500 rose 0.7% a day after swinging sharply on worries that President Donald Trump’s tariffs could spark a trade war that would hurt economies around the world, including the United States.

The Dow Jones Industrial Average added 134 points, or 0.3%, and the Nasdaq composite climbed 1.4%.

Trump on Monday agreed to delay his taxes on U.S. imports of Canadian and Mexican products for a month, with the announcement on Canada coming after trading closed for the day. That bolstered Wall Street’s longstanding hopes that Trump’s tough talk on tariffs may be just that, talk. The hope is that Trump sees tariffs as a stick he can use in negotiations with trading partners rather than as a long-term policy.

That hope is built in part on traders’ belief that Trump would likely be turned off by the damage Wall Street would take if a worst-case, long-term trade war were to occur. Trump has pointed in the past to the stock market as a real-time measure of his performance.

But a trade war is still possible, and some analysts say more swings may be coming because Trump’s threats should be taken both seriously and literally.

“Investors have suggested the equity market is the US administration’s scorecard and any policy changes that hurt risk assets will be quickly dialed back,” Bank of America strategists led by Mark Cabana wrote in a BofA Global Research report. “We advise caution.”

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Elon Musk tightens grip on federal government as Democrats raise alarms

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Elon Musk is rapidly consolidating control over large swaths of the federal government with President Donald Trump’s blessing, sidelining career officials, gaining access to sensitive databases and dismantling a leading source of humanitarian assistance.

The speed and scope of his work has been nothing short of stunning. In a little more than two weeks since Trump took office, the world’s richest man has created an alternative power structure inside the federal government for the purpose of cutting spending and pushing out

employees. None of this is happening with congressional approval, inviting a constitutional clash over the limits of presidential authority.

Trump says Musk is doing his bidding.

Musk has been named as a special government employee, which subjects him to less stringent rules on ethics and financial disclosures than other workers. Trump has given Musk office space in the White House complex where he oversees a team of people at the so-called Department of Government Efficiency. The team has been dispersed throughout federal agencies to gather information and deliver edicts. Some of them



Elon Musk arrives on stage to speak at an indoor Presidential Inauguration parade event on Monday in Washington.

were spotted on Monday at the Department of Education, which Trump has vowed to abolish.

Republicans defend

Musk as simply carrying out Trump’s slash-and-burn campaign promises. Trump made no secret of his desire to

put Musk, the billionaire entrepreneur behind the electric automaker Tesla and the rocket company SpaceX, in charge of retooling the federal government.

“Elon can’t do and won’t do anything without our approval,” Trump told reporters in the Oval Office on Monday.

The Republican president also played down concerns about Musk’s conflict of interests as he flexes his power over the bureaucracy even though his businesses face regulatory scrutiny and have federal contracts.

“Where we think there’s a conflict or there’s a problem, we won’t let him go near it,

but he has some very good ideas,” Trump said.

Musk persists in spite of Democrats’ outrage.

Democrats, for their part, accused Musk of leading a coup from within the government by amassing unaccountable and illegal power.

“We will do everything in our power in the Senate and the House to stop this outrage,” Sen. Chris Van Hollen of Maryland said. “And in the meantime, since we don’t have many Republican colleagues who want to help us, we are doing everything we can with our colleagues through the courts to make sure that we uphold the rule of law.”

RFK Jr. appears on track to become U.S. health secretary

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Robert F. Kennedy Jr., a vocal vaccine skeptic and activist lawyer, appeared on track to become the nation’s health secretary after winning the crucial support of Republican Sen. Bill Cassidy, a doctor who says Kennedy has assured

him he would not topple the nation’s childhood vaccination program.

In a starkly partisan vote, the Republican-controlled Senate Finance Committee advanced Kennedy’s nomination 14-13, sending his bid to oversee the \$1.7 trillion U.S. Health and Human Services agency for a full vote

on the Senate floor.

All Democrats on the committee opposed Kennedy, whose family name had been synonymous with their party for generations before he aligned with President Donald Trump during the 2024 presidential campaign. They sounded an alarm on Kennedy’s work to sow

doubt around vaccine safety and his potential to profit off lawsuits over drugmakers.

A full Senate vote has not yet been scheduled, but with Cassidy’s vote no longer in doubt Kennedy’s nomination is likely to succeed absent any last-minute vote switches. Kennedy has been

among the more contentious of Trump’s Cabinet choices, and Republicans coalescing around him showed another powerful measure of near lockstep allegiance to the president.

Cassidy had publicly detailed his personal struggle, as a doctor who has seen the lifesaving ability

of vaccines, with Kennedy’s confirmation. “Your past, undermining confidence in vaccines with unfounded or misleading arguments, concerns me,” Cassidy told Kennedy last week.

Yet when it came to his vote Tuesday, he advanced Kennedy with a simple “aye.”

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Hair fondue

With all the money Trump has spent on legal fees getting himself out of trouble, you would think he would hire a hairdresser to take care of that flow mop? Yes, I said flow mop. It looks like somebody took a mop and just turned it upside down his head. What a hideous head of hair.

How come she's not arrested?

I had seen on the news where Kanye West wife showed at the Grammys totally nude. If that was a man exposing himself in public, he would be arrested for indecent exposure and prosecuted. How come she's not being arrested for indecent exposure and prosecuted?



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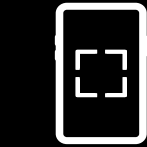
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THE CONVERSATION

What the 'moral distress' of doctors tells us about eroding trust in health care

The Conversation via AP

I sit on an ethics review committee at the Albany Med Health System in New York state, where doctors and nurses frequently bring us fraught questions.

Consider a typical case: A 6-month-old child has suffered a severe brain injury following cardiac arrest. A tracheostomy, ventilator and feeding tube are the only treatments keeping him alive. These intensive treatments might prolong the child's life, but he is unlikely to survive. However, the mother – citing her faith in a miracle – wants to keep the child on life support. The clinical team is distressed – they feel they're only prolonging the child's dying process.

Often the question the medical team struggles with is this: Are we obligated to continue life-supporting treatments?

Bioethics, a modern academic field that helps resolve such fraught dilemmas, evolved in its early decades through debates over several landmark cases in the 1970s to the 1990s. The early cases helped establish the right of patients and their families to refuse treatments.

But some of the most ethically challenging cases, in both pediatric and adult medicine, now



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Pages from the United Healthcare website are displayed on a computer screen in 2024 in New York.

present the opposite dilemma: Doctors want to stop aggressive treatments, but families insist on continuing them. This situation can often lead to moral distress for doctors – especially at a time when trust in providers is falling.

Consequences of lack of trust

For the family, withdrawing or withholding life-sustaining treatments from a dying loved one, even if doctors advise that the treatment is unlikely to succeed or benefit the patient, can

be overwhelming and painful. Studies show that their stress can be at the same level as people who have just survived house fires or similar catastrophes.

While making such high-stakes decisions, families need to be able to trust their doctor's information; they need to be able to believe that their recommendations come from genuine empathy to serve only the patient's interests. This is why prominent bioethicists have long emphasized trustworthiness as a cen-

tral virtue of good clinicians.

However, the public's trust in medical leaders has been on a precipitous decline in recent decades. Historical polling data and surveys show that trust in physicians is lower in the U.S. than in most industrialized countries. A recent survey from Sanofi, a pharmaceutical company, found that mistrust of the medical system is even worse among low-income and minority Americans, who experience discrimination and persistent barriers to care. The COVID-19 pandemic further accelerated the public's lack of trust.

In the clinic, mistrust can create an untenable situation. Families can feel isolated, lacking support or expertise they can trust. For clinicians, the situation can lead to burn-out, affecting quality and access to care as well as health care costs. According to the National Academy of Medicine, "The opportunity to attend to and ease suffering is the reason why many clinicians enter the healing professions." When doctors see their patients suffer for avoidable reasons, such as mistrust, they often suffer as well.

At a time of low trust, families can be especially reluctant to take advice to end aggressive treatment, which makes the situation worse for everyone.

DID YOU KNOW?

FOREST FIRE DAMAGE IS ON THE RISE

The devastating wildfires that broke out in various areas of Los Angeles in early 2025 prompted renewed curiosity about wildfires and led many to question if the frequency of the blazes was on the rise.

A recent analysis conducted by the World Resources Institute found that the area burned by forest fires increased by roughly 5.4% per year between 2001 and 2023.

The figures are telling, as the WRI noted in its report that fires now cause about six million more hectares of tree cover loss each year than they did around the turn of the century.

In addition, the analysis found that fires account for roughly one-third of all tree cover loss across the globe, though some countries are experiencing greater wildfire-related devastation than others.

For example, the WRI noted in its report that extreme wildfires, such as those that affected Los Angeles in early 2025, accounted for 65% of fire-driven tree cover loss in Canada in 2023.

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City Council votes to cancel Feb. 18 meeting

By CAMERON MONTEMAYOR
News-Press NOW

St. Joseph city council members have approved the cancellation of their next meeting planned for mid-February. The group voted unanimously to cancel the meeting set for Feb. 18

because multiple members and city staffers are set to attend the Missouri Municipal League Legislative Conference in Jefferson City. The meeting was initially scheduled for a Tuesday due to President's Day falling on the normal Monday meeting date. The next city council

meeting will take place at 5:30 p.m. on Monday, March 4. **Upcoming items on the March 4 agenda include:** An agreement with the St. Joseph Umpires and Scorekeepers Association to provide officiating services for all Parks, Recreation and

Civic Facilities softball leagues in an amount not to exceed \$32,000. An ordinance authorizing the acceptance of a payment from J.E. Dunn and an amendment to the Planning and Community Development department

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Event aims to help fathers and daughters have fun together

By ASHLEY LUTHANS
News-Press NOW

A local business is offering a fun opportunity for fathers and daughters to connect. Ricky Dean's, 3610 N Village Drive, hosted its second annual daddy-daughter date night on Tuesday, Feb. 4. Owner of Ricky Dean's, Joe Lane, shared why they decided to bring the event back.

"Well, we had such a good turnout last year that we thought we'd offer it again, and I think we might even have sold a few more tickets this year," Lane said. "So, it's a great time for daddies and daughters to bond and have a great time." The evening included dinner, a limo ride, mini golf, a drink from Cup of Joe and goodie bags.

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Ashley Luthans | News-Press NOW

A group of girls take a picture with their dads at the daddy-daughter date night at Ricky Dean's on Tuesday.

Catholic Charities raffling off a Super Bowl trip for two

By CHARLES CHRISTIAN
News-Press NOW

Those who didn't purchase tickets to the Super Bowl still have a chance to go, thanks to a raffle by Catholic Charities of Kansas City-St. Joseph. A \$100 donation on the Catholic Charities website qualifies donors for a prize package to New Orleans for the game. The package

includes Super Bowl tickets and roundtrip airline tickets from Kansas City to New Orleans for two along with a one-night stay at the Mansion on Royal in New Orleans. To enter the raffle, go to **catholiccharities-kcsj.org** and select the Super Bowl raffle. Only those 18 or older can enter the drawing. Raffle sales will close at 8 p.m. on

Thursday, Feb. 6. The drawing for the prize package will be held an hour later. The winner will be contacted directly by phone, according to Catholic Charities. The prizes must be claimed within 24 hours. Donations will benefit a range of ongoing work by Catholic Charities in the Kansas City/St. Joseph area.

Buchanan County Sheriff's Office promotes internally

By NICOLE SCOTT
News-Press NOW

The Buchanan County, Missouri Sheriff's Office has recently promoted several internal candidates to new positions. According to a post on social media from the Buchanan County Sheriff's Office on Thursday, Jan. 30, "The Sheriff's Office is extremely happy to announce several promotions of our members. There are also several transfers and restructuring to stream-

line and enhance operations. Congratulations to everyone on their very well deserved promotions — go out and do amazing things!!!" Promotions include: Lieutenant Joe Lysaght — promoted to Captain — Correctional Administrator Deputy Mark Donaldson — promoted to Sergeant — Civil Process Deputy Heather Annigan — promoted to Sergeant — Patrol Division Deputy Ethan Faulkner

— promoted to Sergeant — Patrol Division Investigator Mike Smith — promoted to Sergeant — Special Operation — Drug Investigation Investigator Chris Brinton — promoted to Sergeant — Special Operations — Career Criminal Investigator Tami Parsons — promoted to Sergeant — Criminal Investigations Deputy Detective Annette Bonnett — promoted to Sergeant — Corrections

Ex-detective in Kansas left suicide letters before his body was found ahead of trial

Associated Press

MISSION, Kan. — A former police detective in Kansas left five suicide letters before fatally shooting himself as he was about to stand trial last month over allegations that he sexually assaulted and terrorized vulnerable Black women for decades, investigators announced Tuesday. Roger Golubski, who was white, left his house outside of Kansas City, Kansas, for his federal trial around 8:30 a.m. on Dec. 2, but returned home before reaching the courthouse 50 miles west in Topeka, the



Roger Golubski
Former Kansas City, Kansas, Police detective

Kansas Bureau of Investigation said in a news release. The 71-year-old was facing six felony counts of violating women's civil rights. Prosecutors say he preyed on female residents in poor neighborhoods, demanding sexual favors and sometimes threatening to harm or jail their relatives if they refused. The allegations outraged the community and deepened its historical distrust of law enforcement. The prosecution followed earlier reports of similar abuse allegations across the country in which hundreds of officers have

lost their badges after allegations of sexual assault. Golubski had pleaded not guilty to the charges against him. His lead attorney, Christopher Joseph, said before Golubski's death that lawsuits related to cases his client investigated were an "inspiration for fabrication" by his accusers. The morning of his death, Golubski's roommate reported hearing a gunshot around 9 a.m. after Golubski made several phone calls to family and to his attorney, the KBI said. The roommate immediately called 911, and police found Golubski dead on the

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Missouri House speaker says 'bounty hunter' immigration bill has little chance of passing

By MISSOURI INDEPENDENT
via TN Content Exchange

There is no appetite among House Republicans for a bill that would put a bounty on undocumented immigrants, Speaker Jon Patterson told reporters Thursday. The legislation, which was debated Tuesday in a Missouri Senate committee, would award a \$1,000 bounty for tips that result in the arrest of a person present in the United States without authorization. The sponsor of the bill also wants to to authorize bounty hunters to track down people identified in tips. No one in the House has



File photo | Associated Press

Missouri Speaker of the House Jon Patterson listens as Gov. Mike Kehoe delivers the State of the State address, Tuesday in Jefferson City, Missouri. "We are committed to making sure that we have legal immigration but that it does clear the Senate.

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Late Notices

Jonathan Boller Sr.

Jonathan Boller Sr., 81, of St. Joseph, died Feb. 3, 2025. Visitation 6 to 8 p.m. Feb. 6 at the Rupp Funeral Home. Private family services at a later date with Interment in Memorial Park Cemetery.

www.ruppfuneral.com.

Sean M. Fisk

Sean M. Fisk, 57, of St. Joseph, died Feb. 3, 2025. Mr. Fisk has been cremated under the care of Rupp Funeral Home. www.ruppfuneral.com.

other extended family and friends.

Farewell Services were 1 p.m. Monday, Cornerstone Baptist Church. Private Inurnment Memorial Park Cemetery. The family gathered with friends one hour prior to the service. The family suggests memorial contributions to Cornerstone Baptist Church or Mosaic Life Care Hospice.

Online guest book and obituary at www.meierhoffer.com.



L. June Bullock
1939-2025

ATCHISON, Kan. — L. June (Reid) Bullock, age 85, of Atchison, Kansas, passed away at home on Jan. 28, 2025. June was born on April 10, 1939, to Roy and Evelyn (Mahan) Reid in the Good Intent township, rural Atchison County, Kansas.

June married William Joseph (Joe) Bullock on Feb. 10, 1957, at First Christian Church, Atchison.

June was predeceased by her beloved husband, Joe;

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CHARLES ED KINCAID

St. Joseph Chapel
Charles Ed Kincaid, 89, St. Joseph, passed away Friday, Dec. 20, 2024.

Mr. Kincaid has been cremated under the direction of Heaton-Bowman-Smith & Sidenfaden Chapel. Visitation will be held at Heaton-Bowman-Smith & Sidenfaden Chapel Friday, Feb. 7, 2025, from 6 to 7:30 p.m. Memorial service will be also at Heaton-Bowman-Smith & Sidenfaden Chapel Saturday, Feb. 8, 2025, at 2 p.m. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that you please donate to a charity of your choice to honor the memory of Ed.

For the full obituary or to leave an online condolence to the family; please visit: www.heatonbowmansmith.com

JEAN HOLCOMB

St. Joseph Chapel
Jean Louise (Klindt) Holcomb, 84, of St. Joseph, passed away on Saturday, Feb. 1, 2025.

Visitation will be Friday evening, Feb. 7, 2025, where family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m. at Heaton-Bowman-Smith & Sidenfaden Chapel. The family requests donations be directed to Mosaic Life Care Hospice.

For the full obituary or to leave an online condolence to the family; please visit: www.heatonbowmansmith.com

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her parents, Roy and Evelyn; brother, Paul; sisters-in-law and spouses, Helen and William Thurlow, and Wilma and Robert Thorne; and nephew, Gary Thorne. She is survived by her five children: Joe (Sharon) Bullock, Dea (Basil) Yanke, Shelly Stohs, Brenda Bullock, and Nancy (Chris Phipps) Bullock; 12 grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren; her brother, David (Lois) Reid; numerous nieces and nephews; and family friend, Doran Bailey.

A Celebration of Life Service will be Saturday, Feb. 8, 2025, at 11 a.m. at St. John Lutheran Church, Bendena, Kansas, with a meal and visitation afterward. Burial will be held privately at the Moray Cemetery. Flowers and contributions may be sent to the Harman-Rohde Funeral Home, P.O. Box 426, Wathena, KS 66090.



Lila M. Deiter
1940-2025

Lila Mae Deiter, 84, of St. Joseph, passed away Sunday, Feb. 2, 2025, at Mosaic Life Care. She was born Nov. 18, 1940, in St. Joseph, daughter of the late, Louise and Ira Stout. She graduated from Lafayette High School, class of 1958.

Lila worked as a caregiver. She loved the KC Chiefs, her animals, and was a member of the Patee Park Baptist Church.

Lila was preceded in death by her parents, and brother, Lewis Stout.

Survivors include her son, Christopher Deiter (Tara Murphy), of Barnard, Missouri; grandchildren, Austyn and Devyn Deiter, of Maryville, Missouri; brother, William Stout, of St. Joseph; and four nephews.

The family will receive friends from 1 to 2 p.m. on Friday, Feb. 7, 2025, at Rupp Funeral Home. Funeral services and public live stream 2 p.m. Friday, Feb. 7, 2025, at Rupp Funeral Home. The Interment will



JUDITH MORGAN

Inurnment 11 a.m. Thursday, Mount Auburn Cemetery

MARK WHITLOCK

Inurnment 2:30 p.m. Thursday, Leavenworth National Cemetery.

KATHLEEN WHITHAM

Family will receive friends 5 to 6 p.m. with Memorial Service 6 p.m. Thursday, Rupp Funeral Home. Officiant: Reverend Jim Barnett.

JON BOLLER SR.

Family will receive friends 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday, Rupp Funeral Home. Graveside Memorial Service and Interment 10 a.m. Friday, Memorial Park Cemetery. Officiant: JoAnn Springs

LILA DEITER

Family will receive friends 1 to 2 p.m. with a Memorial Service 2 p.m. Friday, Rupp Funeral Home. Officiant: Scott Jensen. Interment: 11 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 11. Memorials to Patee Park Baptist.

LINDA MCCOY

Family will receive friends 5 to 7 p.m. Friday, Rupp Funeral Home.

SAMUEL HOLMES

Family will receive friends 5 to 7 p.m. Friday, Rupp Funeral Home. Memorials to Sam Holmes Memorial Fund in c/o Rupp Funeral Home.

KYLE HORNSBY

Kyle has been cremated under the care of Rupp Funeral Home.

SEAN FISK

Sean has been cremated under the care of Rupp Funeral Home.

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be at the Memorial Park Cemetery following. Memorials are requested to the Patee Park Baptist Church.

Online condolences, obituary and public live stream at www.ruppfuneral.com.



Marian Fannon
1943-2025

Marian “Sue” Fannon, 81, St. Joseph, passed away Saturday, Feb. 1, 2025. She was born Dec. 19, 1943, to Claude and Helen (Thompson) Brashears, in Bertrand, Missouri.

Sue graduated from Stanberry High School in 1961. She married Max L. Fannon on Dec. 3, 1961.

Sue owned Country House Antiques and Crafts for many years in St. Joseph.

She was preceded in death by her parents; brothers, Ronald and Robert Brashears.

Survivors include her husband of 63 years; children, Randy Fannon, David Fannon (Carrie), Sherry Potter (Darren), and Tammy Panning (Stephen); eight grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; brothers, Tony and Sunny Brashears.

Natural Farewell under the direction of Meierhoffer Funeral Home & Crematory.

Online guest book and obituary at www.meierhoffer.com.



Barry J. Greenwald
1944-2025

Barry J. Greenwald, 80, St. Joseph, passed away Monday, Feb. 3, 2025.

Farewell Services 1 p.m. Saturday, Wyatt Park Christian Church. Private Interment Evergreen Cemetery, Osborn, Missouri.

Online guest book and full obituary at www.meierhoffer.com.



Margaret Hager
1944-2025

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Margaret “Margy” Hager passed away peacefully in Washington, D.C., after a prolonged illness. Her loving husband, Bob, sat with her for the last leg of her journey, just as he had for every step along the way.

Margy was born in St. Joseph on Feb. 22, 1944, and lived there most of her life. She graduated from Convent of the Sacred Heart/Bishop LeBlond High School in 1962. Although she had many jobs in her varied career, she always spoke warmly of her first job at Anchor Serum. Later, she found her greatest fulfillment as an educator, touching countless lives teaching religion at LeBlond and working with special needs students at Central High School. She helped her students seek the truth while always feeling they were valued as individuals. After retirement, she and Bob moved to Washington, D.C. to be closer to their son and his family.

Margy is remembered as a loving wife and mother; a

fierce competitor in family trivia and bridge games, and a force of nature who wrapped all around her with her warmth. Although Alzheimer’s robbed so much from her, it never took her smile, which is now making heaven just a bit brighter.

Margy is survived by her husband, Bob; her brothers, Mike and Ted; her sister, Marilyn; her son, Matt; and her two granddaughters, Clare and Elizabeth; and numerous nieces and nephews.

She is preceded in death by her brother, Tom.

The family would like to acknowledge the staff and residents at Carroll Manor Senior Living, in Washington, D.C., who cared for her with great compassion during her final years.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to the Alzheimer’s Association via her Memorial Page, http://act.alz.org/goto/margy_hager

Margy will be remembered at a funeral at Holy Trinity Church, in Washington, D.C., on Feb. 7 at 10:30 a.m. The family invites those who wish to honor Margy’s memory to join us for a memorial Mass at St. Francis Xavier Church, in St. Joseph, at 11 a.m. on Feb. 22. A luncheon will follow at the Parish Center.



Jean L. Holcomb
1940-2025

Jean L. Holcomb, 84, St. Joseph, passed away Saturday, Feb. 1, 2025, surrounded by her loving family. Jean was born on Aug. 12, 1940, in Bethany, Missouri, to Fred and Dorothy (Williams) Klindt.

Mrs. Holcomb worked in numerous places in St. Joseph. Among them were Parisoff Grocery, Belt American Bank and the FDIC in St. Joseph.

While working for FDIC, she also worked in Kansas City, Chicago and Dallas.

Jean married Gerald Holcomb on Aug. 25, 1958, in Coffey, Missouri. They celebrated 58 years of marriage, before his passing on March 9, 2017.

Jean and Gerald raised their family in Faucett, Missouri. They built a retirement home in Bella Vista, Arkansas, and lived there until 2008. For decades Gerald and Jean spent their winters in Mission, Texas

In addition to her husband and parents, Jean was preceded in death by brother, Larry Mullins; and son-in-law, Richard McCollum.

Jean is survived by her children, Tony Holcomb, Lois McCollum, Steve and Stephanie Holcomb, Brad and Angela Holcomb; seven grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; sister, Carol Langdon; sister-in-law, Kay Mullins; other relatives and friends.

Visitation will be Friday evening, Feb. 7, 2025, from 6 to 8 p.m. at Heaton-Bowman-Smith & Sidenfaden Chapel. Memorial contributions to Mosaic Hospice.

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Samuel Holmes III
1978-2025

Samuel Holmes III, 47, of St. Joseph, passed away Saturday, Feb. 1, 2025. He was born Jan. 7, 1978, in St. Joseph.

Sam was a free and kind soul, loved being outdoors and riding his Harley. He especially loved his family, especially his grandson and nieces and nephews. He had a gift being able to brighten anyone’s day.

Sam was preceded in death by his uncle, Archie Tracy.

Survivors include his mother, Lyda Hamilton, of St. Joseph; father Steven Nichols; wife, Angela Sauter-Holmes; and their children, Stephen, John and Jessica Sauter; sisters, Samantha Deaton, of Avenue City, Missouri; sister, Bobbie (Steven) Rollett, of St. Joseph, and Desari Coffman, of St. Joseph; grandson, Kamden Sauter; aunt, Cindy Tracy; several nieces, nephew, aunts and uncles.

The family will receive friends from 5 to 7 p.m. on Friday at the Rupp Funeral Home. Mr. Holmes will be cremated following services. Memorials are requested to the Samuel Holmes Memorial Fund, c/o Rupp Funeral Home.

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Celebration of her life Services 1 p.m. Friday, Feb. 7, 2025, Meierhoffer Funeral Home & Crematory. David H. Mejia officiating. The family will gather with friends 12:30 to 1 p.m.

GLEND E. ROBERTS

Farewell Services and Public Livestream 3 p.m. Friday, Meierhoffer Funeral Home & Crematory. Dr. W.A. Hedge officiating. The family will gather with friends 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday, Meierhoffer Funeral Home & Crematory.

BARRY J. GREENWALD

Farewell Services 1 p.m. Saturday, Wyatt Park Christian Church. Pastor Ben Hitzfeld officiating. Private Interment Evergreen Cemetery, Osborn, Missouri.

JOHN RANDOLPH BLAKELY

Farewell Services and Public Livestream 1 p.m. Saturday, Meierhoffer Funeral Home & Crematory. Pastor Earnestine Blakely officiating. Interment Ashland Cemetery. The family will gather with friends one hour prior to the service.



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Linda S. McCoy
1950-2025

Linda Susan McCoy, 74, of St. Joseph, passed away Friday, Jan. 31, 2025, in a St. Joseph hospital. She was born June 11, 1950, in St. Joseph, daughter of the late Laveran Lettie and Carroll McCoy. She graduated from Bishop LeBlond High School class of 1969. She worked as a caregiver.

Linda enjoyed spending time with her family while thrifting and going to garage sales on the weekends.

She was preceded in death by her parents; step mother, Freda Halpin; son, Jason McCoy; brothers, Lonnie and Randell McCoy; sisters, Martha Halpin, and Charlene Peterson.

She is survived by sons, Andy (Lisa), Nate, and Chris (Dana) McCoy, all of St. Joseph; grandchildren: Michael, Allysa, Kenzington, Christian, Matt, Roman, Ashley, Awkman, Heaven Cohutta, Emad, Jensen, Columbiana, Kyle, Jesse, Kelby, Brendon, Zach, and Trevor; and her niece, Tammy Wright; and nephew, Donald Halpin.

The family will receive friends from 5 to 7 p.m. on Friday Feb. 7, 2025, at the Rupp Funeral Home.

Online condolence and obituary at www.ruppfuneral.com.



Mary Ann Newgard
1940-2025

Mary Ann (Hull) Newgard, 84, St. Joseph, passed away Friday, Jan. 31, 2025. She was born April 20, 1940, in St. Joseph, to Judge J.P. and Effie Rue (Vestal) Hull. Mary Ann was a 1958 graduate of Faucett High School and attended St. Joseph Junior College.

Mary Ann married Don Newgard on April 20, 1989. He preceded her in death on April 23, 2007.

She worked as a clerk in the Buchanan County Assessor's Office for many years.

With a talent emerging at age 3. Marv Ann became a

tremendous pianist and had played at many churches in the area, including First Baptist Church in St. Joseph, where she was a longtime member.

She cherished her loyal Shih Tzus and loved to cook, especially for family dinners.

Mary Ann leaves a legacy for her family as a strong, independent woman who was a loving wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother.

The family thanks AseraCare Hospice for their excellent, loving care of our mother, especially Renee and Dana.

Mary Ann was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Don; and sister-in-law, Sue Hull.

Survivors include her children, Lori Mollus (Tony), Jo Peters (Barry), and Sam Riddle (Amy); grandchildren, Cori Mollus, Jacob Mollus (Stephanie), J.P. Peters (Elma), Katie Chilcoat, McKenzie Basecke (Graham), Erin Riddle (fiancé, Mat Andriano), and Jack Riddle; 12 great-grandchildren; brother, Sam Hull; and three nephews.

Farewell Services and Public Livestream 1 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 11, Meierhoffer Funeral Home & Crematory. Interment Faucett Cemetery. The family will gather with friends 5 to 7 p.m. Monday, Feb. 10, Meierhoffer Funeral Home & Crematory. The family suggests memorial contributions to First Baptist Church of St. Joseph.

Online guest book and obituary at www.meierhoffer.com.



Glenda E. Roberts
1950-2025

Glenda E. Roberts, 74, St. Joseph, passed away Sunday, Feb. 2, 2025. She was born Dec. 26, 1950, in Pennsylvania.

On April 30, 1976, Glenda married the love of her life, Edward Eugene Roberts, and together they built a family full of love and laughter. She was a cherished mother to Rachel Eckart (Gene) and Christopher Roberts. Glenda's role as a grandmother was one she enjoyed with all her heart, leaving behind treasured memories with grandchildren Jordan, Kailyn, and Jasper Roberts, Joslin

Carpenter, and Samantha Stapleton, as well as great-grandchildren Theo and Archie Richey.

Glenda is lovingly remembered by her husband, her children, and their families, as well as her siblings, Evonda Weinmann, Tony Knowles, Mickie Holman, and Chuck Hord.

She was preceded in death by her mother, Frances Hill.

Glenda's passion for stained glass and the precious moments spent with her grandchildren will be held close to the hearts of her family and friends forever.

Farewell Services and Public Livestream 3 p.m. Friday, Meierhoffer Funeral Home & Crematory. The family will gather with friends 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday, Meierhoffer Funeral Home & Crematory.

Online guest book and obituary at www.meierhoffer.com.



Merlin R. Yeager
1941-2025

ALBANY, Mo. — Merlin "Merle" Ross Yeager, 83, of Albany, Missouri, passed away Feb. 3, 2025, in Savannah, Missouri.

Survivors: son, Brian (Jan) Yeager; daughter, Diana Lane; grandchildren, Maisie (Melissa) Yeager, Bobby Jr. (Christy) Goble and Adrienne (Levi) Teel; six great-grandchildren; brother, Dean (Sveta) Yeager; aunt, Bonnie Brooks; nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Graveside Service and Burial: noon Friday, Feb. 7, at Oak Grove Cemetery, Oak Grove, Missouri.

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we don't tolerate illegal immigration," said Patterson, a Lee's Summit Republican. "I have not heard any enthusiasm from our members about doing any sort of bounty. I don't think that's something that you're going to see on this side."

Patterson said the issue is being handled by the federal government, noting that President Donald Trump recently signed legislation that

requires the U.S. Department of Homeland Security to detain certain non-U.S. nationals who have been arrested for burglary, theft, larceny or shoplifting.

It also authorizes states to sue the federal government for "decisions or alleged failures related to immigration enforcement."

Gov. Mike Kehoe signed executive orders on his first day in office earlier this month designed to prepare Missouri to assist the federal government in immigration enforcement.

"A lot of it's being addressed at the federal level," Patterson said.

State Rep. Bridget Walsh Moore, a St. Louis Democrat, called the Senate bill authorizing bounty hunters "fear mongering" and "a very bold step towards fascism."

"Any talk of rounding up and getting your papers," she said, "especially during the same week as Holocaust Remembrance Day, is incredibly disrespectful, and honestly, should terrify anyone who calls himself a patriot."

Council

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budget all in the amount of \$14,700 to provide funding for future professional services costs associated with the development of the new Rolling Hills Library.

An ordinance accepting a payment from Epstein and Sons International and an amendment to the general fund Planning and Community Development department budget all in the amount of \$50,401 to provide funding for future professional services costs associated with the development of an expansion at Daily's Premium Meats, LLC.

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back porch of his split-level home.

The final autopsy report concluded Golubski died of a gunshot wound to the head and that his death was a suicide. The KBI said agents traced a handgun found near the body to a Kansas City, Missouri, woman who said the weapon was stolen from her vehicle in 2022.

Agents were not able to determine how Golubski came to possess the firearm. Investigators could not establish a connection between him and the

gun owner, the KBI said.

The heart of the case against Golubski focused on two women: one who said the former detective began sexually abusing her when she was in middle school, and another who said he began abusing her after her twin sons were arrested. Prosecutors said seven other women were planning to testify that Golubski abused or harassed them as well.

Despite Golubski's death, a second criminal case involving three co-defendants and allegations of a violent sex trafficking operation is continuing.

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There were four sessions for the event on Feb. 4, with each being an hour long.

There will also be one session on Monday, Feb. 10 from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m.

Additionally, on Feb. 10, there will be a "Mom and Me" date night for mothers and sons that will last from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m.

The only session still



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Ricky Dean's is hosting a daddy-daughter date night on Feb. 4 and 10. open for the mother-son date night is 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Tickets are \$45 per parent-child duo, and it is \$20 for each additional guest/child. Tickets can be purchased at rickydeans.com/events.

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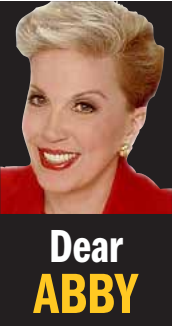
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DEAR ABBY,
Twenty years ago, I developed psychosis with a personality change. I did things I'm ashamed of. I had an affair, remarried and moved out of the country, leaving my 13-year-old daughter with my ex-husband. I snapped out of it 15 years ago with the help of a good psychiatrist and excellent medication. I deeply regret my behavior, and I have made every effort to change things. However, my relationship with my daughter has never recovered in spite of my apologies, sorrow and deep shame.



Fast-forward,
My daughter got married recently and invited her father but not me. I was devastated. I have been trying so hard for so many years to reestablish trust and show her I love her. I know I can't force her to forgive me, but banning me from her wedding brings me to tears every time I think of it.
I have a therapist and I'm working hard to recover from my bout of insanity all those years ago. I love my daughter very much. Can you think of anything I can do to heal our relationship, or must I just bump along unless and until she forgives me?

— **IN A STATE IN WASHINGTON**
DEAR IN A STATE,
I know neither you nor your daughter other than what you have described to me. Continue talking with your therapist for guidance. This individual is most familiar with your history and how hard you have tried to repair the damage you caused. Your therapist is the most qualified to help you traverse the “bumpy” path ahead.

DEAR ABBY,
I have a longtime friend, “Erin,” who is my age (early 60s). She retired several months ago and has told me a couple of times since then that she has stopped wearing bras. I thought she meant around the house, but she means ALL the time. Erin is generously endowed and has “headlights.” In warmer weather, she's less likely to wear a cardigan, so the lack of a bra or anything else to preserve a bit of modesty other than wearing her shirts in a larger size is starting to bother me.
I don't normally care what other women wear. But I cringe having Erin around my husband and other friends, and I no longer want to go out and about with her. Am I a prude? If this were something occasional, I would ignore it. But this seems to be forever. If I say something, what should I say?

— **CAN'T UNSEE THIS IN CALIFORNIA**
DEAR CAN'T UNSEE,
If your longtime friend is unaware of how much of her “assets” are on display, someone should point it out. If she asks why you have distanced yourself, be truthful. (You may be doing her a favor.) Do not, however, expect her to stop doing what she's been doing. Erin has the right to go braless if she wishes. Only you can decide whether her lack of attire is grounds for ending a long friendship.

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Super Bowl theme food table scene with pizza, hamburgers, wings, snacks and sides.

Winging it for the Super Bowl? Broccoli might be a cheaper party snack this year

Associated Press

The good news? The cost of hosting a Super Bowl party is expected to barely budge this year, with an average increase of about 10 cents from the previous year.
The bad news? Consumers might have to use some fancy footwork to ensure their dollars get further down the field.
Economists with the Wells Fargo Agri-Food Institute found a surprising spread in prices for popular game-day ingredients and prepared foods so finding a balance between more expensive items and those that have dropped in price can help keep the budget from running out of bounds.
They've pegged the price for a Super Bowl party menu for 10 people at around \$139 this year, just 0.1% more than last year.
While inflation and shrinkflation have been grocery store buzzwords for a while now, coming up with a winning game plan to keep party guests

happy could become even more of a challenge as the Trump administration looks for opportunities to impose more tariffs.
With no overarching, easily understood theme to explain everything, the Wells Fargo economists say party planners must become “food fluent” to successfully navigate price fluctuations.
A review of data from NielsenIQ, which tracks food scanned at retailers across the U.S., shows that celery and broccoli are the best veggies for dipping this year, as both have seen price decreases. Potato chips, frozen shrimp and cauliflower also have seen decreases.
Salsa and nacho cheese prices are holding steady, but it can get complicated if guacamole dip is on the menu.
Fresh avocados have jumped by 11.5% compared to last year, but prepared guacamole dip increased by only 1.5%. So making guacamole from scratch can still save money despite the hike in avocado prices. This

scenario, the experts say, underscores the broader trend of price variability within categories.
Overall, the review found the total cost of chips and guacamole is just two cents higher than last year.
On the beverage front, beer and wine have seen only 2% increases.
Chicken wings continue to be a favorite, but they come at a premium this year. They're up by more than 7%, an increase that reflects not just inflation but also a sustained consumer demand that supports higher prices.
On the bright side, retail prices for whole frozen shrimp have decreased by 4%. This is due to increased supply from shrimp-exporting countries and a subsequent softening in demand following price spikes around the coronavirus pandemic. While shrimp is two and half times more expensive per pound than chicken wings, shrimp might be the “Hail Mary” for reaching those protein goals.

Guilty PLEASURES | Entertainment stories from The Associated Press

The man charged with stabbing Salman Rushdie is going on trial. The author will take the stand

MAYVILLE, N.Y. | In 2022, **Salman Rushdie** was about to deliver a lecture before a live audience in western New York when a man ran towards him and plunged a knife into the author's hand as he raised it in self-defense.
“After that there are many blows, to my neck, to my chest, to my eye, everywhere,” Rushdie recalled in a memoir that followed. “I feel my legs give way, and I fall.”
In the coming weeks, Rushdie is expected to return to the same New York county to recount the experience as one of the first witnesses in the trial of the man charged with wielding the knife that day, **Hadi Matar**.
Jury selection got underway Tuesday, Matar, 27, of Fairview, New Jersey, has pleaded not guilty to charges of attempted murder and assault.
Under different circumstances, Rushdie's book, which details his account of that day and his recovery, might offer important evidence in the Aug. 12, 2022, attack that left the 77-year-old blind in his right eye and his hand permanently damaged.
But “this isn't a back alley event that occurs unattended in a dark alley,” said Chautauqua County District



Associated Press

Hadi Matar, left, charged with severely injuring author Salman Rushdie in a 2022 knife attack, is led into Chautauqua County court by public defender Nathaniel Barone before the start of jury selection on Tuesday in Mayville, New York.
Attorney **Jason Schmidt** following a pretrial hearing. “This is something that was recorded, it was witnessed live by thousands of people.”
Despite Beyoncé, Sabrina Carpenter and Kendrick Lamar, ratings for the Grammys fall
LOS ANGELES | Ratings for the Grammy Awards dipped from last year, despite the nail-biting tension of whether **Beyoncé** would win album of the year and a surprise appearance by The Weeknd.
Sunday night's broadcast on CBS was seen by 15.4 million viewers according to Nielsen. That

Woman's lawsuits say sci-fi author Neil Gaiman repeatedly sexually assaulted her

MADISON, WIS. | A woman from New Zealand has filed three civil lawsuits accusing best-selling British author **Neil Gaiman** of repeatedly sexually assaulting her while she was working as his family's babysitter and nanny.
Scarlett Pavlovich filed the lawsuits — one against Gaiman and his wife, **Amanda Palmer**, and two more against Palmer — in federal court in Wisconsin, Massachusetts and New York on Monday.
The Associated Press doesn't identify people who say they have been sexually assaulted unless they publicly identify themselves. Pavlovich identified herself in an interview with New York Magazine, which published an article in January detailing allegations of assault, abuse and coercion leveled by eight women.
Pavlovich alleges in the lawsuits that she was homeless and living on a beach when she met Palmer in Auckland, New Zealand, in 2020. Pavlovich was 22 years old at the time.
According to the lawsuits, Palmer invited Pavlovich to the couple's home on Waiheke Island. Pavlovich began running errands for the couple, babysitting their son and helping with chores, eventually becoming the couple's nanny.

NEWS-PRESS NOW PUZZLES AND COMICS

Universal Crossword

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Continental Breakfast by Darrell Bridges

ACROSS

1. Makeshift guest bed

5. Trade this for that

9. Elevate

13. HS math class

14. Contact by phone

15. Any artistic category

16. It may be big or bright

17. "Billions" actor ____ Kate Dillon

18. Language of Julius Caesar

19. Dutch baby, by another name

22. Sprayed in self-defense

23. A-lister

24. Wardrobe malfunction

27. Beer such as a stout

28. Unusual

31. Not long ago

33. Showing signs of injury

36. Invites to prom

37. Its main ingredient should be slightly stale

39. Spanish artist Salvador

41. Kind of speech at a convention

42. Sautéed shrimp dish

44. Flight status abbr.

45. What bouncers check

48. Lunar New Year in Hanoi

49. "God ____ Knows" (Beach Boys hit)

52. Like charged atoms

54. It has large squares

58. Amazon voice assistant

60. Butter used in Indian cooking

61. Caramel-topped dessert

62. One taking the train

63. "Little Red Riding ____"

64. Reusable shopping bag

65. Cluttered room, say

66. 2,000-pound measures

67. Hasn't yet repaid

DOWN

1. Badge of shame

2. Harsh experience

3. Hostile and aggressive

4. Best effort, in competition

5. Digitize, as documents

6. Paper nest builder

7. Name on a rap sheet

8. Industrial facility

9. Pipe problem

10. Investment accrual

11. Part of TGIF: Abbr.

12. X amount?

15. Night driving hazard

20. Absolutely treasure

21. One might be closed at a dealership

25. Tattoo artist's need

26. Scoreboard amts.

29. Participating in an NBA All-Star weekend contest

30. Backgammon cubes

32. Sleuth's job

33. Filled to the ____

34. Reserved in nature

35. Italian volcano

37. Some trucks or trailers

38. Sun-filled lobbies

39. "Spring forward" abbr.

40. Score perfectly on

43. Like the ice caps

45. Amount being received

46. Get wider, as pupils

47. Public tantrums

50. Not heavy

51. Web search engine

53. "We're ____ see the wizard ..."

55. Old partners

56. Gas that's colorless under normal conditions

57. Gets hitched

58. Asset for an outfielder or a quarterback

59. Whopper, for one

Universal Sudoku

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RECIPE OF THE DAY — Cherry Pie Bars



Getting Started

Metro Creative

Tart, red cherries and Valentine's Day seem to be the perfect pair. Not only do cherries align with a Valentine's Day color scheme, they even resemble little hearts when hanging from their stems.

Celebrating Valentine's Day involves many different traditions, and enjoying decadent desserts is among them. Purchasing ready-made treats from a local bakery is one way to indulge in a sugary confection, but crafting a recipe at home is another way to show that special someone how much you care.

"Cherry Pie Bars" are not exactly a pie, but a pound cake with a cherry pie filling swirl. They can be made for many different occasions, but make for something sweet on Valentine's Day. Whip up this recipe from "Butter, Flour, Sugar, Joy" (Sourcebooks) by Danielle Kartes.

Cherry Pie Bars

Yield: One 9-by-13-inch pan

2 cups sugar

1 cup butter, softened

4 eggs

2 cups all-purpose flour

1 teaspoon baking powder

1/2 teaspoon salt

1 21-ounce can cherry pie filling

Preheat oven to 350 F. Line a 9-by-13-inch pan with parchment paper.

In a stand mixer, or with a hand mixer, cream sugar and butter on low. Add the eggs one at a time. Beat until just combined.

Add the flour, baking powder and salt. Spread a little over half the cake batter into the pan. Evenly spread the pie filling over the top, and spoon the rest of the cake batter over the pie filling. It's fine if the cherries show through.

Bake 35 minutes or until the top has turned slightly golden. Do not overbake. Allow to cool and slice into squares. Enjoy!

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This photo shows cherry pie bars.

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Making a comeback

Kareem Hunt’s approach to second chances has led to his first Super Bowl

Associated Press

NEW ORLEANS — Chiefs running back Kareem Hunt has understood the value of second chances since fumbling on the first carry of his NFL debut in 2017. “I thought my career was done and I was like, ‘Man, I’m a bust. It’s over with,’” Hunt re-

called on Tuesday as he fielded questions about playing in his first Super Bowl against the Philadelphia Eagles this Sunday. As Hunt remembers it, Chiefs coach Andy Reid wasted little time seeking him out on the sideline at New England after his early turnover. “He was like, ‘Relax, man.

Calm down. When we get this ball back, we’re giving it right back to you,’” Hunt said. “So that was another second chance right there. And I’m like, ‘Wow, I got to make the most of it.’” Similarly, Hunt has made the most of his latest stint

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Associated Press

Kansas City Chiefs running back Kareem Hunt celebrates after scoring during the first half against the Houston Texans on Jan. 18 in Kansas City, Missouri.

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Kansas City Chiefs quarterback Patrick Mahomes participates during Super Bowl 59 Opening Night on Monday in New Orleans.

ALMOST SHOWTIME

Chiefs and Eagles handle the Super Bowl opening night spectacle

Associated Press

NEW ORLEANS — Patrick Mahomes treated Super Bowl opening night like a two-minute drill, providing rapid-fire answers to one question after another. Travis Kelce passed on an inquiry about popping the question to Taylor Swift. Been here, done that. That’s how the Kansas City Chiefs handled the

annual extravaganza that kicks off Super Bowl week. The Philadelphia Eagles were here two years ago so they weren’t fazed by the silliness either, though their most dynamic player is new to the wild experience that could overwhelm teams that aren’t used to the circus atmosphere. Saquon Barkley got his first taste of this made-for-television spec-

tacle. Nick Sirianni received letters, and a kiss from Chad Johnson. Jalen Hurts even cracked a smile or two. Before Mahomes, Kelce and the Chiefs take on Hurts, Barkley and the Eagles in the Super Bowl on Sunday, they had to tackle the media in waves.

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Rory McIlroy takes a step toward winning at the Big Three

Associated Press

PEBBLE BEACH, Calif. — The knock on Rory McIlroy used to be that he won his majors on soft courses. Even on Sunday, when he won the AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am, McIlroy said an argument could be made that he hasn’t won on courses of the highest repute. That’s what made this victory a little more special. “There’s a few what I could call cathedrals of golf here — Augusta, St. Andrews obviously, maybe a few more you could add in there,” he said. “I had a big, fat zero on all of those going in here. To knock one off at Pebble is very cool. I’m a big historian of the game, and I remember all the championships that have been played here. And to add my name to that list is pretty cool.” Art Spander, the longtime Bay Area columnist, years ago referred to Pebble Beach, Augusta and St. Andrews as the three best

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Associated Press

Rory McIlroy, of Northern Ireland, celebrates at Pebble Beach Golf Links after winning the AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am golf tournament Sunday in Pebble Beach, California.

Luka Doncic is excited to join the Lakers after stunning trade

Associated Press

EL SEGUNDO, Calif. — Luka Doncic was nearly asleep last Saturday night in Dallas when his phone buzzed. Only then did he learn that the Mavericks had just stunned the sports world by trading

him to the Los Angeles Lakers. “You can imagine how surprised I was,” Doncic said. “I had to check if it was April 1. I didn’t really believe it.” The superstar has begun to recover after his first two days in LA, and

he’s growing increasingly excited about a new chapter with LeBron James and his famed new team on the sunny West Coast. And while his past and future teammates say Doncic has never lacked motivation to be great, he has all the fuel he’ll ever

need after the Mavericks inherently questioned his talent and determination by making this seismic trade. “It was a big shock,” Doncic said. “(Dallas) was home, so it was really hard moments for me. ... (But now) I get to play in the

greatest club in the world, and I’m excited for this new journey.” The Lakers formally welcomed Doncic on Tuesday, less than three days after they traded Anthony Davis and Max Christie in a three-team deal for the Slovenian scorer who won

his first scoring title last season before leading the Mavs to the NBA Finals. Doncic is a five-time All-NBA selection and a five-time All-Star. Stars of Doncic’s age and accomplishments

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SPORTS BRIEFS

Tiger Woods says his mother has died

Kultida Woods, the Thai-born mother of Tiger Woods who instilled his dominant spirit and encouraged him to wear a red shirt on Sunday as his power color, died Tuesday.

Woods announced the death of his 80-year-old mother in a social media post. He did not disclose a cause or other details. She was at his indoor TMRW Golf League match last week in South Florida, where she lived.

He described her as a “force of nature” who was his biggest supporter from the time she drove him to junior golf tournaments in California to being there for his 15 major championships, often wearing her wide-brimmed visor and sunglasses.

“It is with heartfelt sadness that I want to share that my dear mother, Kultida Woods, passed away early this morning,” Woods wrote. “My Mom was a force of nature all her own, her spirit was simply undeniable. She was quick with the needle and a laugh. She was my biggest fan, greatest supporter, without her none of my personal achievements would have been possible. She was loved by so many, but especially by her two grandchildren, Sam and Charlie.”

NFL referees union calls allegations of bias toward the Chiefs ‘insulting’

NEW ORLEANS | The head of the union representing NFL officials called allegations that officiating crews are biased in favor of the Kansas City Chiefs or any other team “insulting and preposterous.”

NFL Referees Association executive director Scott Green released a statement on Tuesday thanking Commissioner Roger Goodell for dismissing the allegations and responding to “conspiracy theories” on social media about favoritism to the Chiefs.

“Commissioner Goodell’s comments that it is ‘ridiculous’ to presume that NFL officials are not doing everything possible to make the right call on every play is spot on,” Green said. “Officiating crews do not work the same team more than twice each regular season. It is insulting and preposterous to hear conspiracy theories that somehow 17 officiating crews consisting of 138 officials are colluding to assist one team.”

A handful of high-profile calls in the playoffs that have gone in Kansas City’s favor have fueled the theories of favoritism, with Houston getting penalized for two illegal hits on Patrick Mahomes in the divisional round and Josh Allen being ruled just short of converting a fourth-and-1 sneak in Kansas City’s 32-29 victory over Buffalo in the AFC championship game.

Trump will attend the Super Bowl in New Orleans

WASHINGTON | Donald Trump is going to the Super Bowl in New Orleans on Sunday, the first sitting president to do so.

The U.S. Secret Service, which is responsible for protecting the president, said in a statement Tuesday that it has had staff on the ground for days preparing for his visit. Trump will watch the Kansas City Chiefs take on the Philadelphia Eagles.

“Extensive planning and coordination have been in place to ensure the safety of all attendees, players, and staff,” Secret Service spokesman Anthony Guglielmi said in a statement. “Security measures have been further enhanced this year, given that this will be the first time a sitting President of the United States will attend the event.”

Coco Gauff donates \$100,000 to UNCF for a scholarship program

WASHINGTON | Tennis star Coco Gauff donated \$100,000 to UNCF to provide scholarships for students playing competitive tennis at historically Black colleges and universities.

UNCF will administer the Coco Gauff Scholarship Program, which was announced Tuesday.

“My family has a deep-rooted history with HBCUs, going all the way back to my great-great-grandfather. From aunts and uncles to cousins, HBCUs have played a huge role in shaping who we are,” Gauff said. “Supporting UNCF in creating opportunities for student-athletes in tennis means a lot to me. As a young Black athlete, I understand how impactful it is to see people who look like me thriving in both sports and education.”

—From AP reports

Chiefs

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Barkley wasn’t here two years ago when the Eagles lost to the Chiefs 38-35. He left the rival New York Giants to join a winning team and did his part with a historic season.

“That’s why me and my family made the decision to come to Philadelphia, to have an opportunity to play in the Super Bowl. And here we are,” Barkley said.

The Chiefs have been here five times in the past six years so they’re used to the strange questions and odd requests that have become far too common on opening night.

Mahomes picked NBA players for a mock football team, choosing Russell Westbrook at quarterback and Anthony Edwards at wide receiver. He even asked the media for restaurant recommendations.

Kelce talked up Swift’s pop tarts and said he hopes to match her energy on stage when he’s on the field. But asked if he plans to propose to his Grammy-winning superstar girlfriend, Kelce pulled a Drew Rosenhaus: “Super Bowl ring? Next question.”

Players were asked their favorite foods, colors, Kendrick Lamar songs and more. A Mexican television reporter gave Sirianni a stack of letters from fans. He also got a kiss on the head from Johnson, the former Bengals star also known as Ochocinco. The usually stoic Hurts cracked up laughing when someone tossed him a cookie — it was an errant throw. Browns quarterback Jameis Winston, working for a



Associated Press

Kansas City Chiefs tight end Travis Kelce participates during Super Bowl 59 Opening Night on Monday in New Orleans.

television network, fired questions at Darius Slay before telling him to eat a “W.”

The Eagles went first, spending an hour talking to thousands of reporters from across the globe inside the Superdome. The Chiefs came later and received a loud ovation.

Media day has evolved from a daytime event on Tuesdays to a live, ticketed, prime-time showcase on national television. More than 6,000 media members from 26 countries were accredited to cover the Super Bowl last year in Las Vegas.

Yes, this is where a female reporter showed up in a wedding dress and veil and proposed to Tom Brady in Arizona in 2008. He politely declined.

Football’s Xs and Os take a back seat for the first night.



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Kansas City Chiefs running back Kareem Hunt addresses the media before practice on Jan. 30 in Kansas City, Missouri.

Hunt

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with the team that drafted him.

Following offseason sports hernia surgery, Hunt entered the 2024 season unsigned and working out on his own at his old high school and recovering from his training sessions in a sauna at the YMCA, unsure whether he’d played his final game in the NFL.

“I didn’t know if the opportunity was going to come or not,” said Hunt, who’d spent his previous five seasons with the Cleveland Browns.

When Isiah Pacheco fractured his fibula in Week 2, Hunt got the call he’d longed to receive — not only from the team that drafted him, but during what has become the Chiefs’ bid to become the first NFL franchise to win three straight Super Bowls.

“When I got that call, I was excited and I told them, ‘You won’t regret it,’” Hunt said.

They didn’t.

Hunt led the Chiefs in rushing this season with 728 yards and his seven touchdowns also were a team high.

Even after Pacheco returned to the lineup, Hunt remained the Chiefs’ primary running back

and has since added touchdowns in each of Kansas City’s two playoff victories.

“Being able to play football in February is amazing,” Hunt said. “I got to make the most of it now.”

Hunt was one of the NFL’s premier players by his second pro season in 2018, and was helping then first-year starter Patrick Mahomes lead the Chiefs to the playoffs. But in late November of that season, video surfaced that showed Hunt kicking a woman in the hall of a Cleveland hotel.

While no charges were filed after the woman stopped cooperating with authorities, the Chiefs released their young star running back.

Hunt joined the Browns in 2019 and served an eight-game suspension for violating the NFL’s personal-conduct policy. But most of his five seasons in Cleveland — during which he rushed for 2,285 yards and five touchdowns — were far less productive than his first two in Kansas City.

The Chiefs, meanwhile, went to four Super Bowls — winning three — after Hunt was gone.

While he’s missed out on those championships, he’s back in time to try to help this Chiefs dynasty make history.

Golf

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datelines in golf. Imagine having trophies from all three.

It’s a small list.

Jack Nicklaus and Tiger Woods have the ultimate trifecta as the only players to have won the Masters at Augusta National, the U.S. Open at Pebble Beach and the British Open at St. Andrews.

Sam Snead won majors at Augusta National and St. Andrews, along with winning the Bing Crosby Pro-Am at Pebble. Add to the list Mark O’Meara and Phil Mickelson. They won the Masters, along with the AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am and the Dunhill Cup at St. Andrews.

McIlroy has only one, but he’ll take it, along with a few close calls.

He lost a four-shot lead in the final round of the 2011

Luka

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are almost never traded in any sport, and particularly not in such an abrupt manner. But when Dallas decided to move on from its 25-year-old centerpiece, the Lakers eagerly gave up Davis — one of basketball’s best big men — to make it happen.

Doncic is still processing the upheaval, but he already is seeing the limitless upside of a career in Los Angeles that will begin alongside the 40-year-old James, the top scorer in NBA history.

“Honestly, it was hard at first,” Doncic said. “That first day was really hard. I felt like these last 48 hours was one month. Emotionally, it was really hard, but today was much better. This is the Lakers. It’s one of the best clubs in history, so I’m excited to be here.”

General manager Rob Pelinka didn’t hide his glee at landing Doncic when they met with the media at the Lakers’

training complex. In his typically florid style of discourse, Pelinka said Doncic’s arrival would bring “basketball joy to the world.”

“We have one of the game’s biggest superstars and an international player coming to join the Lakers,” Pelinka said. “I think it’s going to be something incredibly special that the NBA and basketball has never seen before.”

Although James was blindsided by the deal along with the rest of the NBA, he quickly made a call to Doncic to welcome him to the Lakers. Doncic has often described James as his idol.

“It’s just like a dream come true,” Doncic said. “I always looked up to him. There’s so many things I can learn from him, and I’m just excited to learn everything and get to play with him. It’s an amazing feeling.”

Doncic hasn’t played since Christmas because of a calf strain, but he is close to a return. He will participate in 5-on-5 work at practice Wednesday, and the Lakers will make a plan for Doncic’s debut afterward.



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From left to right, Los Angeles Lakers general manager Rob Pelinka, Luka Doncic, and head coach JJ Redick pose for photos during an introductory press conference Tuesday in El Segundo, California.

Masters (he was runner-up in 2022 to Scottie Scheffler but never had a chance to win) and he lost the share of the 54-hole lead at St. Andrews in 2022, finishing third behind Cameron Smith. He also has had three runner-up finishes in the Dunhill Links Championship, where two rounds are held at St. Andrews.

Hoffman’s Letter

Charley Hoffman is the latest player to write a letter to his colleagues asking them

to do their part to improve the PGA Tour. His focus was on pace of play, with no additional insight. Justin Thomas wrote more about players doing more with the broadcast.

Most peculiar about Hoffman’s letter was the veiled shot at Rory McIlroy in a letter — obtained by Golf.com — sent out to the membership Sunday as McIlroy was playing the final hole of a compelling victory at the AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am.



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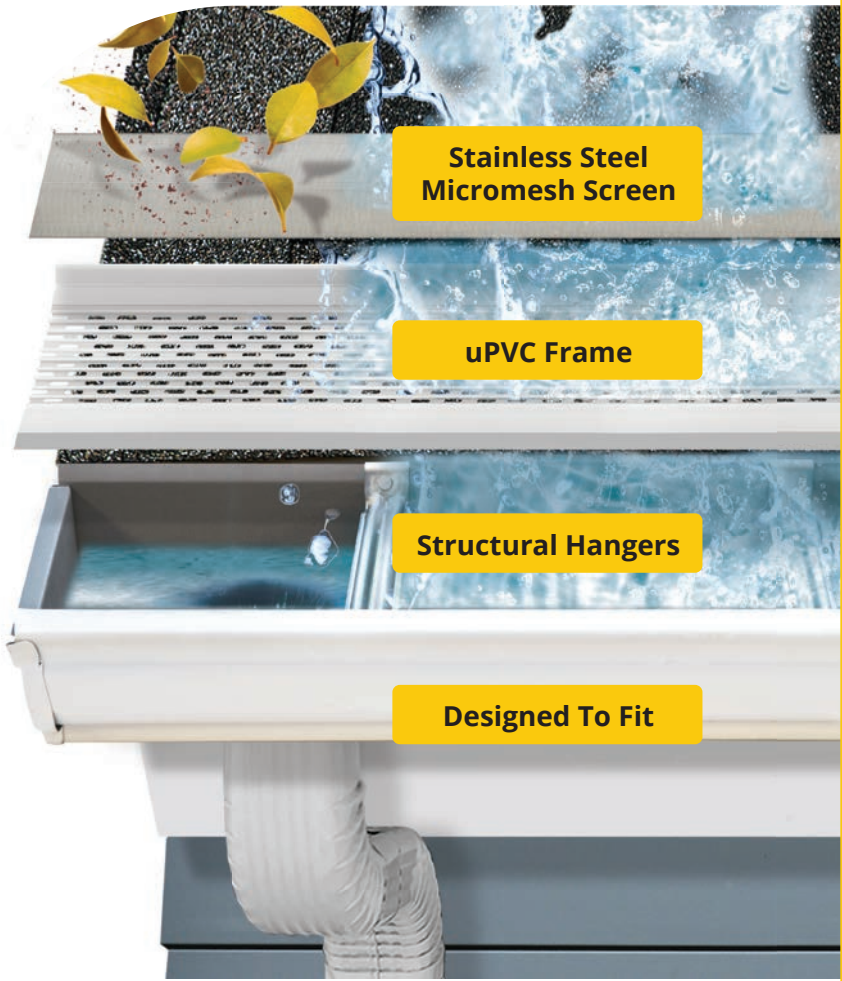
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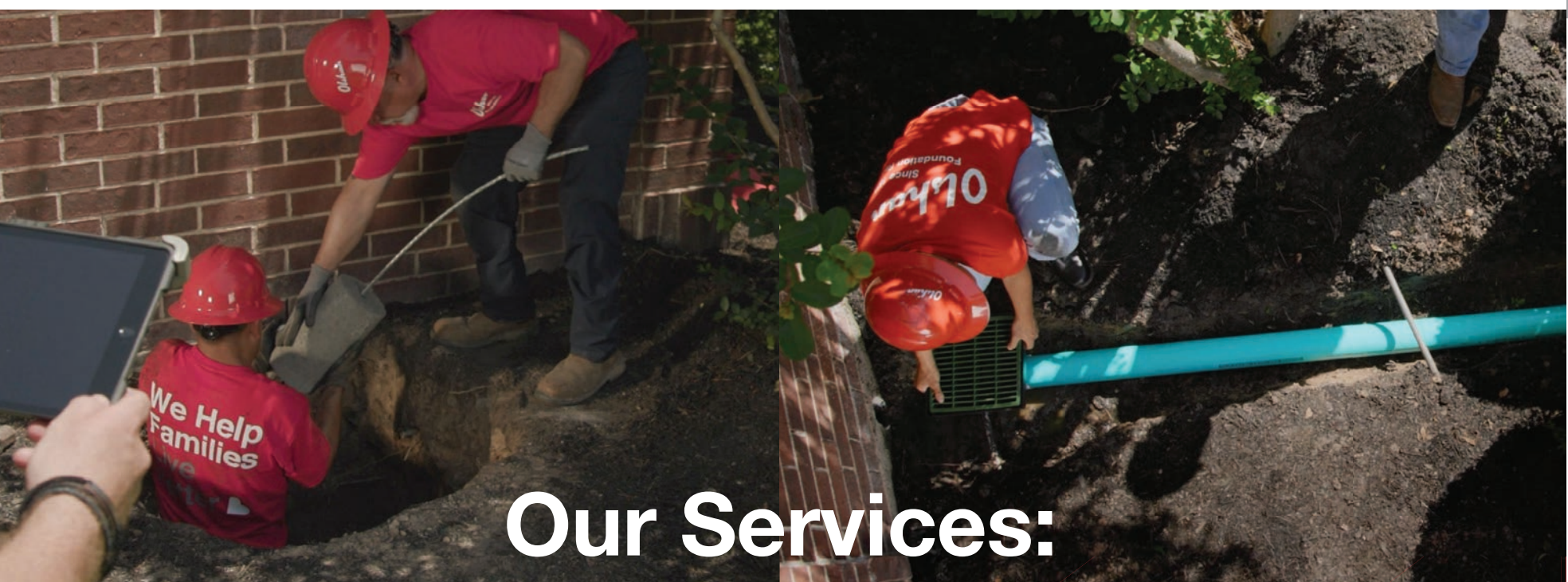
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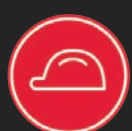
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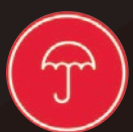
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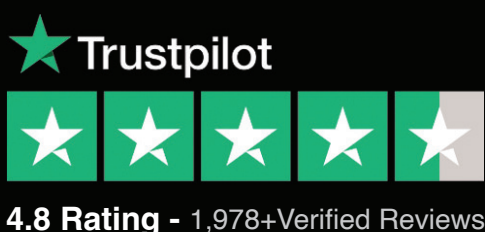


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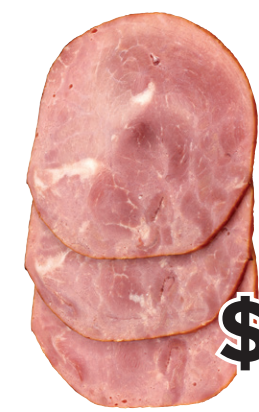
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Quaker Quick or Old Fashioned Oats
18 oz.



\$2.99

Jell-O Gelatin or Pudding Mix
.3-3.9 oz



2/\$2

With \$1 digital coupon and purchase of 2

Best Choice Breakfast Syrup
24 oz.



\$2.99

Orville Redenbacher's Popcorn
6-10 ct.



\$3.99

Chi-Chi's Tortilla Chips or Salsa
11-16 oz.



\$2.99

Buffalo Wild Wings or Chick-fil-A Sauce
12-16 oz.



2/\$7

Frank's Red Hot or Wing Sauce
12-13 oz.



2/\$7

Dole Fruit Bowl
4 pk.



\$2.99

Best Choice Biscuits
12 oz.



3/\$5

Imperial Stick Margarine
16 oz.



\$1.29

Kraft Cheese Cracker Cut or Cubes
6.4-7 oz.



2/\$6

New York Garlic Bread or Texas Toast
6-8 ct.



2/\$5



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2/\$5
Nabisco snack crackers
or Chips Ahoy! cookies
3.5 to 13 oz.



2/\$5
Kraft or Velveeta
natural cheese
shredded, chunk
or crumbles, 5 to 8 oz.

GAME DAY DEALS



buy two, get two
FREE
Pepsi soda
12 pk. cans, 8 pk. bottles 12 fl. oz.
or 10 pk. mini cans 7.5 fl. oz.



1.39
Ro-Tel tomatoes
10 oz.



3/\$10
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Jack's pizza
13.8 to 15.8 oz.



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FREE
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GAME DAY DEALS



1.88
Hy-Vee cream cheese
8 oz.



1.99 ea.
with purchase of 3
Frito-Lay Lay's, Kettle Cooked
or Rold Gold snacks 5 to 16 oz.



7.99
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digital coupon
7.49
Velveeta cheese loaf
32 oz.



4.99 lb.
Hy-Vee True chicken wings
previously frozen



6.99 lb.
Market Grille boneless
chicken wings
6 flavors available



9.99 lb.
Buffalo chicken dip
or spinach artichoke dip



6.99
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16 oz.



Honey
BBQ



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BBQ



Maple
BBQ



Buffalo



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8 pk. bottles 20 fl. oz.



15.99
12" Bakery fresh
decorated
chocolate chip
cookie



15.99
Pretzel bites with
cheese dip tray 16 oz.



12.99
Market Grille ribs
24 oz.



6.99
12 ct. Hy-Vee Short Cuts
deviled eggs



6.99
6 ct. Bakery fresh
decorated cupcakes



8.99
Crab Rangoon
& chicken egg roll tray
10 oz.



9.99
8 piece Market Grille
chicken bucket
crisp'n tender, herb roasted,
spicy or strips
12 piece chicken bucket ~~14.99~~

2.99
Hy-Vee Hickory House
wing sauce 12 oz.



25.00
12" Hy-Vee vegetable tray
includes dip, 49 oz.



26.00
12" Hy-Vee fruit tray
includes dip, 63 oz.

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1.68lb.

Bone-in pork shoulder roast
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Party Size Frito-Lay snacks,
queso dip or salsa
8.12 to 24 oz.



2.99ea.

with purchase of 4
Pepsi soda
6 pk. bottles 16.9 fl. oz.



3.99

Fresh ground beef
80% lean, 20% fat 16 oz.
roll



4.99

Fish Market cooked shrimp
tail-off, peeled & deveined, 71 to
90 ct., 12 oz. pkg.



4.99

Farm Rich appetizer
or meatballs
14.3 to 26 oz.



2.68

Nabisco Ritz crackers
or toasted chips
7 to 13.7 oz.



1.98

Sweet Baby Ray's
barbecue sauce
or honey mustard
14 or 18 oz.



1.99

Planters peanuts
16 or 16.5 oz.



3.48

On the Border tortilla chips
or queso dip 15 to 15.5 oz.



2.99

Hillshire Farm sausage
rope, links or Lit'l Smokies,
12 to 14 oz.



3.99

Bellatoria ultra thin
or breadcrumb pizza
12.76 to 21.96 oz.

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14.00

Fresh ground beef patties
85% lean, 15% fat, 8 ct., 2 lb. pkg.



3.99

Bakery fresh
sourdough bread
24 oz.



1.48

Bolthouse Fresh baby-cut carrots
16 oz. pkg.



3.49

McCain fries, onion rings,
hash patties or taters
14 to 22 oz.



4.99

Litehouse salad dressing
20 fl. oz.



5.49

Rib Rack sauce, rub
or marinade 4.5 to 19 oz.



8.99

Jennie-O turkey burgers
6 ct.



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refreshers or mixers
1 liter



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12 ct. or Pop-Tart crunchy
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12 oz.
2.39 NON-MEMBER PRICE



3.99

HYPERKS PRICE
Mrs. Renfro's salsa
16 oz.
4.49 NON-MEMBER PRICE



4.28

HYPERKS PRICE
Minute Rice
28 oz.
4.68 NON-MEMBER PRICE



6.99

HYPERKS PRICE
Starbucks hot cocoa
8 ct.
7.49 NON-MEMBER PRICE

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Brawny paper towels
4 double rolls
or Quilted Northern
bath tissue 6 mega rolls



5.99

Simply Done paper, foam
plates or cups 40 to 150 ct.



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50% off
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CeraVe skin care
.5 to 16 fl. oz. or 24 ct.
(of equal or lesser value)



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regular price

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4 to 30 oz. (price varies by store)



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24 fl. oz. (price varies by store)



9.99

Paws clumping cat litter
40 lb.



24.99

Anchor Hocking bakeware set
4 piece with tote



8.99

Simply Done laundry detergent
100 fl. oz.



12.88

Hy-Vee wild bird food
20 lb.



10.99

Kingsford or Match Light
charcoal briquets
12 or 16 lb.



6.88

Simply Done personal wipes
210 ct.



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Bayer pain relief
100 or 120 ct.



3.49

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16.9 or 18 fl. oz.



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Beef Chuck Roast
KC Pride, Boneless
\$8⁹⁹
lb



Lean Beef Stew Meat
KC Pride, Boneless
\$6⁴⁹
lb



Pork Sirloin Roast
Boneless
\$2²⁹
lb



Pork Sirloin Chops
Boneless
\$2⁴⁹
lb



St. Louis Style Pork Spare Ribs
Sold Frozen,
1 Slab per Cry-O-Vac
\$2⁹⁹
lb



Georges Chicken Breast
Boneless, Skinless
\$5⁹⁹
lb



Chicken Spiedini Skewers
8 oz
Selected Varieties
2/\$9⁹⁸



Seasoned Hamburger Patties
4 ct
Selected Varieties
\$9⁹⁹

Choice Certified Angus Beef® Brand

93% Lean Ground Beef
\$6⁹⁹
lb

Filet Mignon
Boneless
\$24⁹⁹
lb

Ribeye Steak
12 oz
Boneless
\$16⁹⁹
ea

+++ Seafood



Atlantic Salmon Fillet
Fresh, Farm Raised,
Boneless
\$12⁹⁹
lb



Lobster Tail
Cold Water,
Wild Caught
4 oz
\$8⁰⁰
ea



Catfish Nuggets
Farm Raised,
Sold Frozen
\$1⁹⁹
lb



Swai Fillet
Farm Raised,
Sold Frozen
\$3⁴⁹
lb



Sea Best 21/25 ct Cooked Shrimp
16 oz
Peeled and Deveined,
Sold Frozen
\$8⁹⁹

+++ Packaged Meat



Farmland Thick Cut Bacon
22-24 oz
Selected Varieties
\$6⁹⁹



Bob Evans Sausage Patties
40 oz
\$9⁹⁹



Ole South Breakfast Sausage
16 oz
Hot or Mild
\$2⁹⁹



Old Wisconsin Beef or Turkey Snacks
5-6 oz
Selected Varieties
\$3⁹⁹



Armour Pepperoni or Hard Salami
4-5 oz
Selected Varieties
\$2⁹⁹



Hillshire Farm Ultra-Thin Deli Meat
7-9 oz
Selected Varieties
\$3⁹⁹



Oscar Mayer Bologna or Cotto Salami
16 oz
Selected Varieties
\$2⁹⁹



Oscar Mayer Wieners or Turkey Franks
16 oz
Selected Varieties
2/\$6



Johnsonville Fresh Brats
16-19 oz
Selected Varieties
\$4⁹⁹



Hillshire Farm Smoked Sausage
12-14 oz
Selected Varieties
\$2⁹⁹

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Bar-S Smoked Sausage
32-40 oz
Selected Varieties
\$5⁹⁹



Frick's Quarter Sliced Ham or Turkey
24 oz
Selected Varieties
\$8²⁹



Nathan's Beef Franks
10-12 oz
Selected Varieties
\$4⁹⁹



Bar-S Jumbo Franks
16 oz
Selected Varieties
\$1⁹⁹

Save \$5 When You Buy Kingsford and Fresh Meat Limit 1 Offer

Kingsford or Matchlight Charcoal
12-16 lb
Selected Varieties
\$9⁹⁹

*Discount Taken at Register



Bob Evans Family Size Side
28-32 oz
Selected Varieties
\$4⁴⁹



Steak-umms Sliced Steak
9 oz
\$3⁹⁹



Foster Farms Chicken
20-24 oz
Selected Varieties
\$8⁴⁹



Curly's Baby Back Ribs
24 oz
\$12⁹⁹



Smithfield Marinated Pork
18.4-27.2 oz
Boneless,
Selected Varieties
\$5⁹⁹



State Fair Corn Dogs
12-32 ct
Selected Varieties
\$8⁹⁹



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TRESemmé
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4.1-11 oz
Selected Varieties

\$4.99

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ANY 3 ITEMS

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Axe
2N1 or 3N1
Shampoo or
Conditioner
16 oz
Selected Varieties

\$3.99

WHEN YOU BUY
ANY 3 ITEMS

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Axe
Styling Product
2.64 oz
Selected Varieties

\$5.99

WHEN YOU BUY
ANY 3 ITEMS

\$6.99 single purchase



Axe
Body Wash
16 oz
Selected Varieties

\$3.99

WHEN YOU BUY
ANY 3 ITEMS

\$4.99 single purchase



Dove
Baby Body Wash
13 oz
Selected Varieties

\$5.49

WHEN YOU BUY
ANY 3 ITEMS

\$6.49 single purchase



Dove
Body or
Face Wash
30-34 oz
Selected Varieties

\$9.99

WHEN YOU BUY
ANY 3 ITEMS

\$10.99 single purchase



Dove
Body Wash
20 oz
Selected Varieties

\$6.99

WHEN YOU BUY
ANY 3 ITEMS

\$7.99 single purchase



Dove
Foam or Serum
Body Wash
13.5-18.5 oz
Selected Varieties

\$8.99

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ANY 3 ITEMS

\$9.99 single purchase



Dove
Men + Care
Body Wash
18 oz
Selected Varieties

\$6.99

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Dove
2 Bar Soap
7.5 oz
Selected Varieties

\$3.99

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ANY 3 ITEMS

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Dove
6 Bar Soap
22.5 oz
Selected Varieties

\$8.99

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ANY 3 ITEMS

\$9.99 single purchase



Axe
Antiperspirant
Deodorant
2.7-3 oz
Selected Varieties

\$3.49

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ANY 3 ITEMS

\$4.49 single purchase



Degree
Antiperspirant
Deodorant
2.6-2.7 oz
Selected Varieties

\$3.99

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ANY 3 ITEMS

\$4.99 single purchase



Degree
Dry Spray
Antiperspirant
Deodorant
3.8 oz
Selected Varieties

\$4.99

WHEN YOU BUY
ANY 3 ITEMS

\$5.99 single purchase



Dove or
Dove Men + Care
Antiperspirant
Deodorant
2.6-3 oz
Selected Varieties

\$5.99

WHEN YOU BUY
ANY 3 ITEMS

\$6.99 single purchase



Dove
Dry Spray
Antiperspirant
Deodorant
3.8 oz
Selected Varieties

\$6.99

WHEN YOU BUY
ANY 3 ITEMS

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Axe
Body Spray or
Max Hold Gel
4-5 oz
Selected Varieties

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ANY 3 ITEMS

\$4.99 single purchase



Vaseline
Intensive Care
Lotion
20.3 oz
Selected Varieties

\$5.99

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ANY 3 ITEMS

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EARN 5 POINTS REWARDS

KIND Bar
1.4 oz
Selected Varieties
5/\$5

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Think! Protein Bars
5 ct
Selected Varieties
\$7⁹⁹

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Emergen-C Super Daily Immune Support
30 ct
Selected Varieties
\$12⁹⁹

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Pampers Baby Dry or Swaddlers
44-104 ct
Selected Varieties
\$27⁹⁹

Pampers Cruisers 360° Diapers
48-64 ct
Selected Varieties
\$27⁹⁹

Pampers Baby Wipes
84-312 ct
Selected Varieties
\$12⁹⁹

Scott Bath Tissue or Paper Towels
6 Mega or 12 Double Roll or 6 Big Roll
Selected Varieties
\$4⁹⁹

Gain EZ Squeeze Dish Soap
24.3 oz
Selected Varieties
\$2⁹⁹

Tide Laundry Detergent
105 oz, 43-57 ct
Selected Varieties
\$13⁹⁹

EARN 5 POINTS REWARDS

Bar Keepers Friend Cleanser
12 oz
\$1⁹⁹

EARN 15 POINTS REWARDS

Glad Press'n Seal Plastic Wrap
70 sq ft
\$3⁴⁹

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Frozen

DiGiorno Pizza
14-29.3 oz
Selected Varieties
\$4⁴⁹

Totino's Party Pizza
9.8-10.9 oz
Selected Varieties,
Single Purchase \$1.67
3/\$4 *When You Buy 3*

Totino's Pizza Rolls
15 ct
Selected Varieties,
Single Purchase \$1.67
3/\$4 *When You Buy 3*

EARN 15 POINTS REWARDS

Lunchables Grilled Cheesies
2 ct
Selected Varieties
\$3⁴⁹

EARN 15 POINTS REWARDS

Eggland's Best Breakfast Bowl
7 oz
Selected Varieties
\$3⁴⁹

Boston Market Entrée
13-16 oz
Selected Varieties
\$2⁹⁹

EARN 25 POINTS REWARDS

Stouffer's Family Size Macaroni & Cheese
40 oz
\$7⁹⁹

EARN 25 POINTS REWARDS

Stouffer's Family Size Entrée
28-40 oz
Selected Varieties
\$8⁹⁹

EARN 10 POINTS REWARDS

Reames Dumplings or Egg Noodles
12 oz
\$2⁶⁹

PictSweet Vegetables
10-12 oz
Selected Varieties
3/\$5

Green Giant Simply Steam Vegetables
10 oz
Selected Varieties
\$1⁷⁹

Best Choice Superior Selections Fruit
12-48 oz
Selected Varieties
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EARN 5 POINTS REWARDS

New York Garlic Texas Toast or Breadsticks
6-8 ct
2/\$5

iHola! Churros Bites
8-9.8 oz
Selected Varieties
\$3⁹⁹

Blue Bell Ice Cream or Sundae Cups
1/5 gal, 12 ct
Selected Varieties
\$6⁴⁹

Baskin Robbins Ice Cream
14 oz
Selected Varieties
\$2⁹⁹

Hormel Party Tray
28 oz
Selected Varieties
\$15⁹⁹

Hormel Black Label Bacon
12-16 oz
Selected Varieties
\$5⁹⁹

Hormel Microwave Ready Bacon
12 oz
\$7⁹⁹

Hormel Fully Cooked Bacon
2.52 oz
\$4⁴⁹

Hormel Smoked Pork Chops
15 oz
Fully Cooked, Bone-In,
Selected Varieties
\$5⁹⁹

Hormel Chicken Breast
10 oz
\$3²⁹

EARN 15 POINTS REWARDS

Hormel Spam
12 oz
Selected Varieties
\$3⁹⁹

EARN 10 POINTS REWARDS

Hormel Real Bacon Bits or Pieces
2.8-3 oz
Selected Varieties
\$2⁶⁹

Hormel Pepperoni
5-6 oz
Selected Varieties
\$3⁹⁹

Hormel Sliced Dried Beef
2.5 oz
\$2⁹⁹

Hormel Chili with Beans
14-19 oz
Selected Varieties
\$2⁴⁹

Hormel Chili No Beans
14-15 oz
Selected Varieties
\$2⁷⁹

Hormel Tamales
15 oz
\$1⁹⁹

EARN 5 POINTS REWARDS

Hormel Compleats
7.5-10 oz
Selected Varieties
2/\$5

Hormel Natural Choice Lunchmeat
6-8 oz
Selected Varieties
\$3⁹⁹

Hormel Side
19-20 oz
Selected Varieties
\$3⁹⁹

Lloyd's BBQ Meat
15-16 oz
Selected Varieties
\$4⁹⁹

Hormel, House of Tsang or Herdez Entrée
15 oz
Selected Varieties
\$7⁹⁹

Planters Cashews Duos
5 oz
Selected Varieties
\$3⁹⁹

Planters Peanuts
16 oz
Selected Varieties
\$3⁴⁹

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Price Chopper Purified Water
5 L or 10 oz 24 pk
Selected Varieties
\$3.49



Powerade
20 oz 8 pk
Selected Varieties
\$7.49



Monster Energy Drink
12 oz 6 pk
Selected Varieties
\$9.99



Crystal Light Drink Mix
10-12 qt
Selected Varieties
\$2.99



Crystal Light On The Go Drink Mix
9-10 ct
Selected Varieties
\$2.99



V8 Splash
64 oz
Selected Varieties
2/\$4



Starbucks Coffee
3.17-32 oz, 10 ct Pods
Selected Varieties
\$7.99

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Orville Redenbacher's Popcorn
6-10 ct
Selected Varieties
\$3.49



Krispy or Zesta Crackers
16 oz
\$3.29



Oreo Family Size Cookies
9.21-20 oz
Selected Varieties
\$3.99



Maxwell House Coffee
27.5 oz
Original Roast
\$9.99



General Mills Cereal
12-16.8 oz
Selected Varieties
\$3.99



Kellogg's Cereal
9-13.3 oz
Selected Varieties
\$3.29



Hungry Jack Pancake Mix
28-32 oz
Selected Varieties
\$2.69



IHOP Syrup
24 oz
Selected Varieties
\$3.99



Nature's Own or Wonder Hamburger or Hot Dog Buns
8 ct
Selected Varieties
\$2.49



Mission Soft Taco Flour Tortillas
10 ct
\$1.29



New York Bakery Texas Toast Croutons
5 oz
Selected Varieties
2/\$3



Kraft Salad Dressing
14-16 oz
Selected Varieties
\$2.69



Hidden Valley Ranch Salad Dressing
36 oz
Selected Varieties
\$6.99



Heinz Mustard
14 oz
Selected Varieties
\$1.99



Kraft Mayo
30 oz
Selected Varieties
\$4.49



Kraft Mayo
22 oz
Selected Varieties
\$4.49

Save \$1 with Digital Coupon Use up to 2 times!



Miracle Whip
30 oz
Selected Varieties
\$5.49



Miracle Whip
19 oz
Selected Varieties
\$4.99



Best Choice Ketchup
38 oz
\$2.49



Heinz Ketchup
38 oz
\$2.99

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Gates Bar-B-Q Sauce
18 oz
Selected Varieties
\$3.99



Jack Stack Barbecue Sauce
18 oz
Selected Varieties
\$4.99



KC Masterpiece BBQ Sauce
21-28 oz
Selected Varieties
\$2.49



Sweet Baby Ray's Barbecue Sauce
28 oz
Selected Varieties
2/\$5

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Red Gold Ketchup
32 oz
Single Purchase \$1.99
1.59 ea When You Buy 5



Red Gold Tomatoes or Sauce
28 oz
Selected Varieties
Single Purchase \$1.99
1.59 ea When You Buy 5



Red Gold Salsa
15.5-16 oz
Selected Varieties
Single Purchase \$1.99
1.59 ea When You Buy 5



Tabasco Sauce
2 oz
Selected Varieties
\$1.49



Tabasco Sriracha Sauce
20 oz
\$3.99



A.1. Steak Sauce
10 oz
Selected Varieties
\$4.49



Lea & Perrins Worcestershire Sauce
10 oz
\$4.49



Cervasi Extra Virgin Olive Oil
500 ml
\$9.99



Cervasi Artichokes
14 oz
Selected Varieties
\$2.99



Mt. Olive Peppers
12 oz
Selected Varieties
\$1.99



Best Choice Pickles
16 oz
Selected Varieties
\$2.49



Vlasic Pickles or Relish
16-24 oz
Selected Varieties
2/\$5



Skippy Peanut Butter
15-16.3 oz
Selected Varieties
\$2.99



ReaLemon 100% Juice
32 oz
\$2.69



McCormick Grill Mates Seasoning
2.12-3.5 oz
Selected Varieties
\$1.49



McCormick Chili Seasoning
1-1.25 oz
Selected Varieties
99¢

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Grocery

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Chopper Shopper EARN 15 POINTS REWARDS



Dinty Moore Beef Stew
20 oz
\$3.49



Bush's Baked Beans
21.7-28 oz
Selected Varieties
2/\$5



Hunt's Manwich Sauce
15-16 oz
Selected Varieties
4/\$5



Brooks Chili Beans
15.5 oz
Hot or Mild
4/\$5

Chopper Shopper EARN 20 POINTS REWARDS



Six Gun Chili Mixin's
4 oz
Selected Varieties
\$4.29



Wendy's Chili
15 oz
With Beans
\$4.49




Old El Paso Taco Seasoning
0.85-1 oz
Selected Varieties
79¢



Margarita's Salsa
24 oz
Selected Varieties
\$3.99



Classico Pasta Sauce
8.1-24 oz
Selected Varieties
2/\$5



Barilla Pasta
7-16 oz
Selected Varieties
2/\$3



Kraft Mac & Cheese Cups
4 pk
Selected Varieties
\$4.49



Knorr Sides
4-5.8 oz
Selected Varieties
\$1.49

Chopper Shopper EARN 15 POINTS REWARDS



Cascone's Pasta Sauce
24 oz
Selected Varieties
\$3.49

Chopper Shopper EARN 5 POINTS REWARDS



Pillsbury Frosting
15-16 oz
Selected Varieties
\$1.99



Pillsbury Cake Mix
15.2 oz
Selected Varieties
\$1.69



Jell-O Pudding or Gelatin Mix
0.3-3.9 oz
Selected Varieties
2/\$3

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Sweet Treats



Hershey's Valentine's Candy Gift Box
6.4-6.6 oz
Selected Varieties
\$5.49



Dove Valentine's Candy
7.94-8.87 oz
Selected Varieties
\$4.49



M&M's Valentine's Candy
7.44-10 oz
Selected Varieties
\$4.49



Hershey's Valentine's Candy
7.5-10.1 oz
Selected Varieties
\$4.99



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Produce

INSPECTED TRIPLE PRODUCE



Red Peppers
99¢



Green Giant Gold or Red Potatoes
5 lb bag
\$3.99



Roma Tomatoes
99¢ lb



Jalapeño Peppers
\$1.49 lb



Clementines
3 lb bag
\$5.99



Honeycrisp Apples
\$2.99 lb



Dozen Rose Bouquet
Selected Varieties
\$24.99
Valid Through 2/14

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Dairy



Simply Orange Juice or Drink
52 oz
Selected Varieties
\$4.49

Chopper Shopper EARN 10 POINTS REWARDS



Sunny D
1 gal, 11.3 oz 6 pk
Selected Varieties
\$2.99

Chopper Shopper EARN 5 POINTS REWARDS



Turkey Hill Tea or Lemonade
1/2 gal
Selected Varieties
\$1.79



Red Diamond Tea
128 oz
Extra Sweet or Sweet Tea & Lemonade
\$3.79

Chopper Shopper EARN 25 POINTS REWARDS



SToK Cold Brew Coffee
48 oz
Selected Varieties
\$4.99
Save \$1 with Digital Coupon



Coffee mate Creamer
32 oz
Selected Varieties
\$3.49

Chopper Shopper EARN 20 POINTS REWARDS



International Delight Cold Foam Creamer
14 oz
Selected Varieties
\$3.99



Bob Evans Egg Whites
16 oz
\$2.79



Country Crock Spread
45 oz
Selected Varieties
\$4.99



Hiland Cottage Cheese
24 oz
Selected Varieties
\$2.99



Kraft Singles
16 ct
Selected Varieties
\$3.49



Kraft Natural Sliced Cheese
10-18 ct
Selected Varieties
2/\$5



Chobani Greek Yogurt
4 ct
Selected Varieties, Single Purchase \$3.99
\$2.99 ea When You Buy 3



Dannon Greek Yogurt
4.5-5.3 oz
Selected Varieties
4/\$5



Oikos Greek Yogurt
4 ct
Selected Varieties
\$3.49
Save \$1 with Digital Coupon



Pillsbury Grands! Crescents or Pull Apart Bread
12-16.8 oz
Selected Varieties, Single Purchase \$3.99
\$2.99 ea When You Buy 2

PRICE CHOPPER



Loves



KANSAS CITY

Grocery



Sparkling Ice Flavored Water
17 oz
Selected Varieties

5/\$5



Mission Tortilla Chips
9-11 oz
Selected Varieties

\$1.99



Corn Nuts
7 oz
Selected Varieties

\$1.99



Cheez-It Crackers
5.75-12.4 oz
Selected Varieties

\$3.99

Buy 2, Save \$2 with Digital Coupon



Sensible Portions Tortilla Chips
6 oz
Selected Varieties

\$3.49



Frank's Red Hot Sauce
12-13 oz
Selected Varieties

\$3.49



Chex Mix, Bugles or Gardetto's
7-8.6 oz
Selected Varieties,
Single Purchase \$1.99,
LIMIT 2 OFFERS

99¢ ea When You Buy 2



Pillsbury Brownie Mix
18.4 oz
Selected Varieties

\$1.99



Hefty Cups
28-30 ct
Selected Varieties

\$3.49



Hefty Foam Bowls or Plates
18-54 ct
Selected Varieties

\$1.99



Price Chopper Paper Plates
80 ct
9 inch, Heavy Duty

\$3.99



Solo Paper Plates
44-90 ct
Selected Varieties

\$6.49

MIX, MATCH & SAVE!



**BUY 5
SAVE \$3**

Buy 5 participating Pepsi or Frito-Lay items and save \$3. All items must be purchased in a single transaction through Tues., Feb 11, 2025 with your REWARDS Card



Doritos
6-10.75 oz
Selected Varieties

\$3.89 ea
WHEN YOU BUY ANY 5 ITEMS
\$4.49 single purchase



Ruffles Potato Chips
5.5-8.5 oz
Selected Varieties

\$3.89 ea
WHEN YOU BUY ANY 5 ITEMS
\$4.49 single purchase



Tostitos
9-13 oz
Selected Varieties

\$3.89 ea
WHEN YOU BUY ANY 5 ITEMS
\$4.49 single purchase



Pepsi Products
.5 L 6 pk
Selected Varieties

\$3.89 ea
WHEN YOU BUY ANY 5 ITEMS
\$4.49 single purchase



Gatorade
28 oz
Selected Varieties

99¢ ea
WHEN YOU BUY ANY 5 ITEMS
\$1.59 single purchase



Lipton Pure Leaf Tea
16.9 oz 6 pk
Selected Varieties

\$5.99 ea
WHEN YOU BUY ANY 5 ITEMS
\$6.59 single purchase



Gatorade
20 oz 8 pk
Selected Varieties

\$6.99 ea
WHEN YOU BUY ANY 5 ITEMS
\$7.59 single purchase



Bubly Sparkling Water
12 oz 8 pk
Selected Varieties

\$2.99 ea
WHEN YOU BUY ANY 5 ITEMS
\$3.59 single purchase



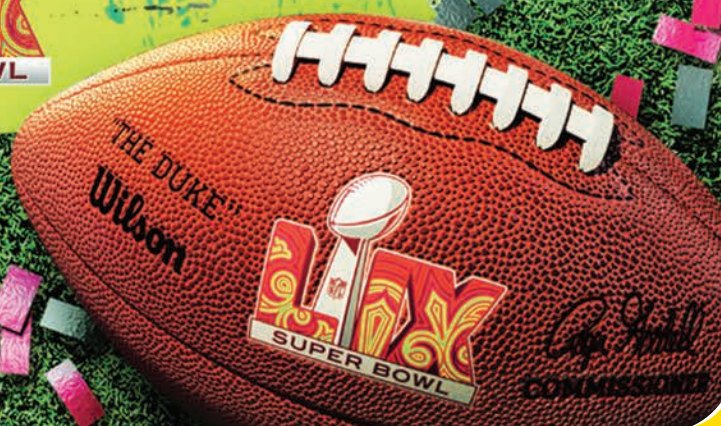
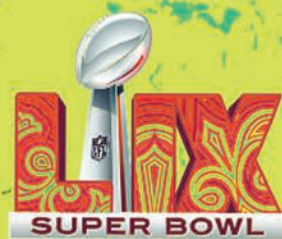
Lipton Tea
16.9 oz 12 pk
Selected Varieties

\$5.99 ea
WHEN YOU BUY ANY 5 ITEMS
\$6.59 single purchase



Frito-Lay Dip
10-15.75 oz
Selected Varieties

\$3.89 ea
WHEN YOU BUY ANY 5 ITEMS
\$4.49 single purchase



PRICE CHOPPER



Loves



KANSAS CITY

+++ Dairy



Dean's Dip
16 oz
Selected Varieties
\$1.99



Belfonte Sour Cream or Dip
16 oz
Selected Varieties
\$2.19



Daisy Sour Cream Dip
16 oz
Selected Varieties
\$2.69



Daisy Sour Cream
14 oz
Selected Varieties
\$2.49



Kraft Natural Cracker Cuts or Cubes
6.4-7 oz
Selected Varieties
\$2.99

+++ Packaged Meat



Johnsonville Summer Sausage
10-12 oz
Selected Varieties
\$4.99



Hillshire Farm Lit'l Smokies
12-14 oz
Selected Varieties
\$3.99



Johnsonville Meatballs or Grillers
24 oz
Selected Varieties
\$5.99



El Monterey Taquitos
18-20 ct
Selected Varieties
\$6.99



Foster Farms Fully Cooked Chicken Wings
16-22 oz
Selected Varieties
\$9.69



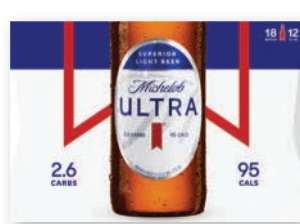
County Line Pride Chicken Wing Sections
3 lb
\$6.99

+++ Beer & Liquor

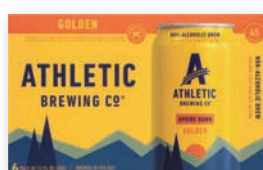
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Leinenkugel's 12-Pack
12 oz bottles or cans
Selected Varieties
\$14.99



Michelob Ultra 18-Pack
12 oz bottles or cans
Selected Varieties
\$19.99



Athletic Brewing Company Non-Alcoholic Beer 6-Pack
12 oz cans
Selected Varieties
\$8.99



Boulevard 6-Pack
12 oz bottles or cans
Selected Varieties
\$9.29



Fireball Cinnamon Whisky
750 ml
Selected Varieties
\$12.99



Four Roses Small Batch Bourbon Whiskey
750 ml
\$29.99



Jim Beam Bourbon Whiskey
750 ml
Selected Varieties
\$13.99



Ketel One Vodka
750 ml
Selected Varieties
\$17.49



Seagram's 7 Crown Whiskey
1.75 L
\$18.99



Svedka Vodka
1.75 L
Selected Varieties
\$14.99



19 Crimes Wine
750 ml
Selected Varieties
\$7.29



Robert Mondavi Private Selection Wine
750 ml
Selected Varieties
\$6.19



Ruffino Sparkling Wine
750 ml
Selected Varieties
\$11.49

PRICE CHOPPER



Loves



KANSAS CITY

+++ Deli



Deli Fresh Chicken Wings
Boneless or Bone-In
or Kettle Fried Chicken Wings
Selected Varieties
\$6⁹⁹
lb



Reser's Salad
44-48 oz
Potato, Mustard
Potato, Southern
Style, Macaroni
or Cole Slaw
\$5⁹⁹



Zarda Baked Beans
3 lb
Selected Varieties
\$11⁹⁹



**Sabra Hummus
or Guacamole**
7-10 oz
Selected Varieties
\$3⁹⁹



**Snack Factory
Pretzel Crisps**
7.2 oz
Selected Varieties
\$3⁹⁹

+++ Produce



**Large Veggie
Lover's Tray**
56 oz
\$19⁹⁹

FRESH



**Large Fruit
Lover's Tray**
72 oz
\$24⁹⁹

FRESH



EGG ROLL SANDWICH



SOUTHWESTERN FIESTA



APPETIZER COMBO



MEAT, CHEESE & VEGETABLE



SCAN TO VIEW TRAY SELECTION AND ORDER

PRICE CHOPPER



Loves



KANSAS CITY

+++ Bakery



KC Pride
Fresh Baked
Sugar or
Snickerdoodle
Cookies

12 ct
Selected Varieties

\$4.99



Fresh Baked
Large Sub
Rolls

4 ct

\$2.49



King's Hawaiian
Pretzel Bites

10.2 oz

\$6.99



King's Hawaiian
Rolls

12 ct
Selected Varieties

\$4.49



King's Hawaiian
Slider Buns

9 ct

\$4.49



KC Pride
Decorated Sugar
Cookie Tray

16 ct

\$19.99



Decorated
Chocolate Chip
Cookie

12 Inch
Selected Varieties

\$13.99



FRUIT & DIP



VEGETABLE & DIP



PINWHEEL



MEATBALL



SCAN TO VIEW TRAY SELECTION AND ORDER

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effective with
REWARDS Card



PRICE

CHOPPER

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Loves

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KANSAS CITY



Sea Best
16/20 ct
Argentine Red
Raw Shrimp
Sold frozen in 2 lb bag, \$14.98

\$749

lb



INSPECTED
TRIPLE
PRODUCE

Avocados

4/\$5



INSPECTED
TRIPLE
PRODUCE

Cauliflower
or Broccoli
Bunch

\$199

CHOPPER SHOPPER
EARN 5 POINTS
REWARDS



Club
or Town House
Crackers
7.1-13.8 oz
Selected Varieties

\$199



Red Baron
Pizza
15.39-23.45 oz
Selected Varieties,
Single Purchase \$3.99
LIMIT 2 OFFERS

\$299

ea

When
You
Buy 2



Screamin'
Sicilian
Pizza, Bowl
or Breadstix
8-26.9 oz, 9 ct
Selected Varieties

\$499



Campbell's
Chunky Soup
15.25-19 oz
Selected Varieties

3/\$5



Pace
Picante
or Salsa
16 oz
Selected Varieties

\$169



Ore-Ida
Potatoes
22-32 oz, 10 ct
Selected Varieties

\$299



Chopper Shoppers \$AVE MORE



Rosina
Meatballs
18-26 oz
Selected Varieties

\$499

with
Digital Coupon

\$699

without Digital Coupon

\$2 Digital Coupon Available. Use 1 time!



Pringles
4.9-5.5 oz
Selected Varieties

\$149

ea with
Digital Coupon
When You Buy 2

\$199

without Digital Coupon

\$1 Off 2 Digital Coupon Available. Use 1 time!



Philadelphia
Cream Cheese 2 Pack
8 oz ea
Selected Varieties

\$299

with
Digital Coupon

\$499

without Digital Coupon

\$2 Digital Coupon Available. Use up to 5 times!



BUD LIGHT
OFFICIAL BEER SPONSOR



LIXI
SUPER BOWL



30
STAL OF CANS
BUD LIGHT

Budweiser
30-Pack
12 oz cans
Selected Varieties

\$2399



30
CANS
Miller Lite



30
CANS
Coors LIGHT

Coors or Miller
30-Pack
12 oz cans
Selected Varieties

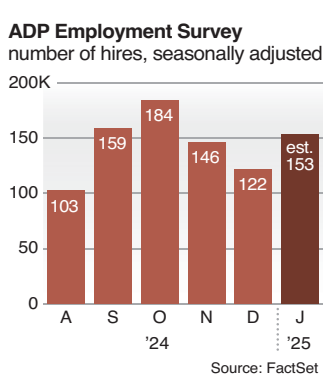
\$2399

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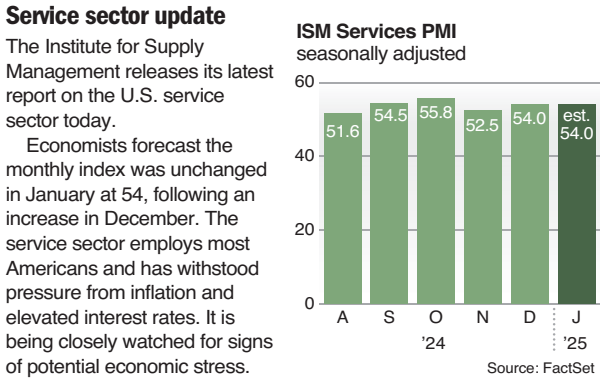

Hiring survey

Payroll processor ADP issues its monthly snapshot of hiring by private U.S. companies today. Economists project that its latest survey will show private employers added 153,000 new hires last month. That would be up from about 122,000 jobs added in December. The ADP survey comes ahead of the Labor Department's more comprehensive nonfarm payroll employment report, due out Friday.



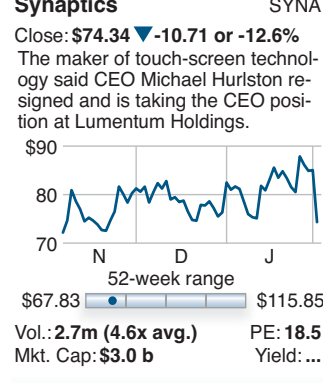
Year-end snapshot

Ford Motor Co. delivers its latest quarterly financial results today. Wall Street predicts the automaker will report fourth-quarter adjusted earnings of 34 cents per share on \$47.4 billion in revenue. That would top the company's year-earlier results. Stubbornly high warranty expenses and lagging cost-cutting efforts have held back Ford's profits over the past year.



Stocks

Calm returned to Wall Street, and tech stocks led U.S. indexes higher. The S&P 500 rose 0.7% Tuesday, a day after swinging sharply on worries that President Donald Trump's tariffs could spark a trade war. The Dow rose 0.3%. The Nasdaq rose 1.4%.



Meta AI spending soars

Meta CEO Mark Zuckerberg says 2025 will be a “defining year” for artificial intelligence, and his company is prepared to spend billions as it tries to ensure it stays competitive with rivals.

Zuckerberg announced last month that Meta will spend \$60-65 billion in capital expenditures this year while also growing the number of its AI-focused employees “significantly.” Meta, he added, has the capital to “continue investing in the years ahead.”

“Meta’s Q4 performance underscores the company’s resilience in a still-uncertain digital ad market. By beating both earnings and revenue



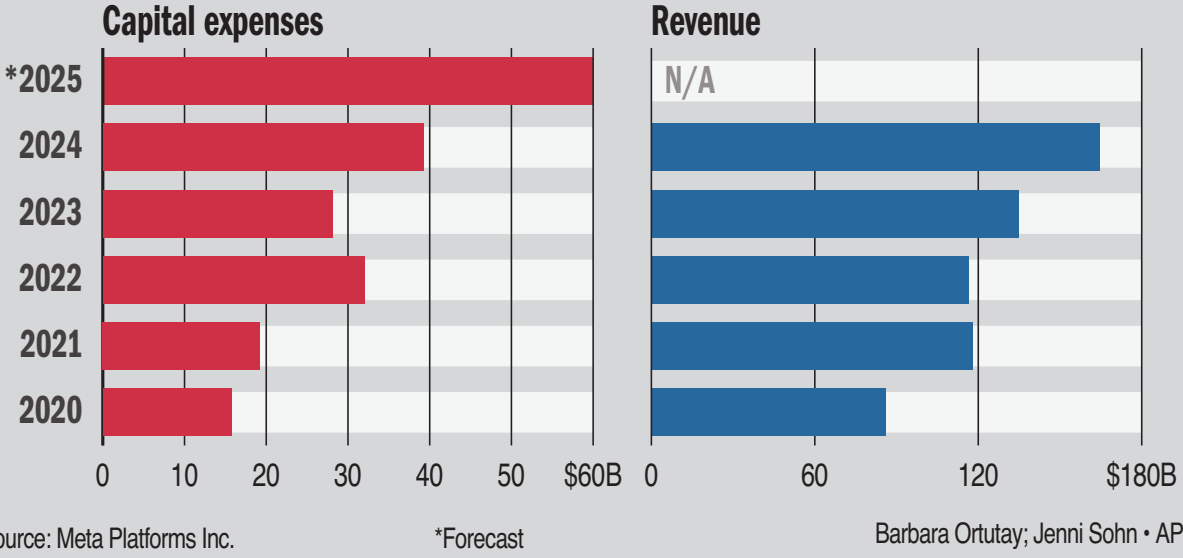
estimates, they’ve demonstrated that cost discipline and efficiency gains are paying dividends,” said Jesse Cohen, an analyst with Investing.com, following Meta’s stronger-than-expected earnings report. “However, the real headline is their commitment to aggressive

capital expenditures. This signals Meta is doubling down on its AI infrastructure and metaverse ambitions, even as investors grapple with the costs.”

In December, the Facebook and Instagram parent company announced it is building a \$10 billion data center in northeast Louisiana. It’s Meta’s largest data center to date at 4 million square feet (370,000 square meters).

Meta doubles down on AI spending

The Facebook and Instagram parent is accelerating AI, infrastructure spending as it tries to get ahead of rivals



Foreign Exchange

The U.S. dollar rose versus the Mexican peso but fell against the Canadian dollar, the Japanese yen, the euro, the Swiss franc and the British pound.

Commodities

U.S. crude oil and wholesale gasoline fell, and natural gas dropped 3%. Gold, copper and silver prices all rose.

Interestrates



The yield on the 10-year Treasury note fell to 4.51% Tuesday. Yields affect rates on mortgages and other consumer loans.

Company Spotlight Palantir prowess

Palantir Technologies climbed to its third-biggest gain on record Tuesday after the software company topped Wall Street's fourth-quarter sales and profit expectations and gave a strong forecast.


Denver-based Palantir, whose products are focused heavily on the integration of artificial intelligence, saw its revenue grow 36% from the same period last year. Palantir said it closed 129 deals of at least \$1 million, 58 deals of at least \$5 million, and

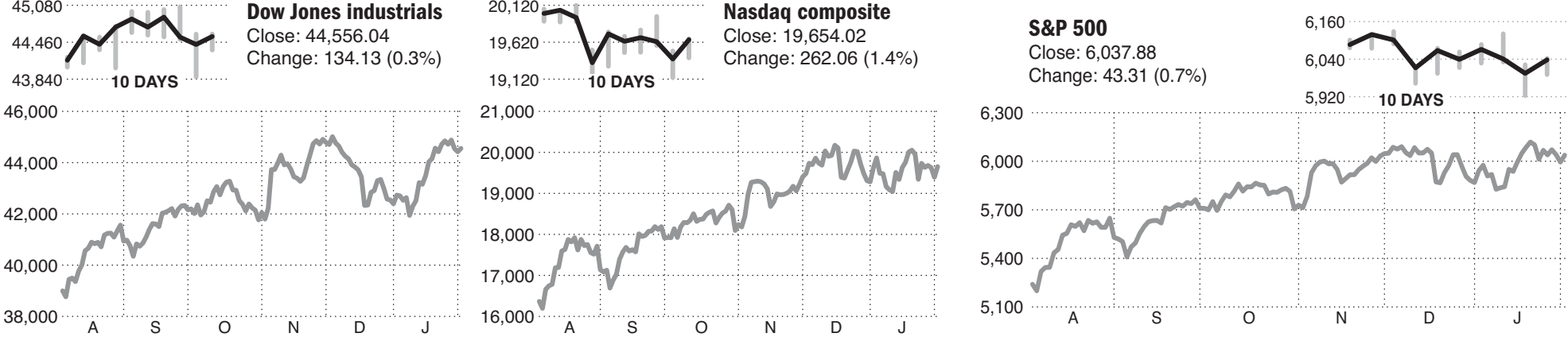
32 deals of at least \$10 million in the period.

For 2025, Palantir expects revenue between \$3.74 billion and \$3.75 billion, which would represent another year-over-year increase of more than 30%.

“Our business results continue to astound, demonstrating our deepening position at the center of the AI revolution,” said CEO Alexander Karp, who also co-founded the company.



Palantir Technologies (PLTR)	Tuesday's close: \$103.83, +20.09		Total return	1-yr	3-yr*	5-yr*
	52-WEEK RANGE \$16  \$106		PLTR	510.0%	100.1	74.6
	Price-earnings ratio: 526 (Based on past 12-month results)		Market value: \$236.5 billion			
AP			*annualized	Source: FactSet		





CURTIS RAY BILLINGSLEY

I HAVE A BLOG ALL 'BOUT EVERYTHING I LIKE 'BOUT MY LIFE

BUT WHO WOULD BE INTERESTED IN THAT? I'M SORRY!

I'M SORRY I'M SORRY I'M SORRY SO SORRY VERY SORRY VERY SORRY TRULY SORRY TRULY SORRY

THAT FELT LIKE I JUMPED OUT A PLANE WITHOUT A PARACHUTE

RHYMES WITH ORANGE HILARY PRICE

WELLNESS

Fives, tens, fifties... poof!

THIS ONE'S DUAL-ACTION-- BEFORE GOING THROUGH YOUR COLON IT FLUSHES YOUR WALLET.

Detox Body Cleanse

MACANUDO LINIERS

YOU'RE RIGHT. IT FEELS GOOD TO LEAVE THE PLANET, EVEN IF IT'S ONLY BY A FEW FEET.

TIGER BUD BLAKE

VALENTINE'S DAY IS NEXT WEEK, HUGO!

I KNOW THAT

-AND DON'T YOU FORGET IT!

POPEYE BUD SAGENDORF

AHOY, GRANNY!

DID SWEE'PEA COME HOME?

QUICK!! GET ME A DOCTOR!!

I'M SEEING DOUBLE, TRIPLE, QUADRUPLE AN' HUN'REDUPLE!

FLASH GORDON DAN SCHKADE

THE LION MEN'S FEAST BLAZES INTO THE NIGHT.

KING JUGRID, STILL RECOVERING FROM HIS INJURIES, IS VISITED BY A PARTY OF CUBS...

...WHO PRESENT HIM WITH A GIFT.

HIS REFORGED CROWN.

WHICH, TO HIM, WAS ALWAYS A GIFT.

HE'S BEEN HUMBLER AND HURT. IT WILL TAKE TIME FOR HIM TO BE THE KING HE WAS.

NOW THUN MUST STEP UP AND HELP LEAD THE LION MEN.

HE CAN DO IT.

THUN'S STRONG AND SMART AND HE LOVES HIS PEOPLE.

YES, AS DO YOU, DOVA.

I'M GLAD YOU'RE ONE OF US.

RAE THE DOE OLIVE BRINKER

SOMETIMES I WISH I'LL WAKE UP ONE DAY TO A HUGE INHERITANCE FROM SOME DISTANT FAMILY MEMBER I DIDN'T EVEN KNOW EXISTED.

OOOOOOOOOH, LIKE BREWSTER'S MILLIONS, BUT WITHOUT THE STRESSFUL CHALLENGE. THAT'S THE DREAM...

ONE DREAM FULFILLED LATER

NOOOOOOOH! I NEVER GOT TO KNOW MY GREAT-GREAT-UNCLE-IN-LAW FROM MY DAD'S STEP-DAD'S MOM'S FAMILY IN CANADA!!!

SLYLOCK FOX AND FRIENDS BOB WEBER

Spot six differences between these panels.

The scrambled words are things found in this scene. How many can you unscramble?

1) OFRG
2) ARO
3) TREAW
4) EBHSUS
5) OTRWABO

6) Howboat
7) Bushes
8) Oar
9) Water

Answer -- 1) Frog
2) Oar
3) Water
4) Bushes
5) Frog
6) Howboat
7) Bushes
8) Oar
9) Water

SAFE HAVENS BILL HOLBROOK

OKAY, IF BECOMING HUMAN IS THE ONLY WAY TO ATTEND THE MOVIE PREMIERE...

...WE'LL DO IT.

...AND WE'LL SAY YOUR PERFORMANCES AS KAIJU WERE THE RESULT OF MOTION CAPTURE!

WHAT?

NEVER SAY "CAPTURE" TO LAB ANIMALS.

WE'RE SENSITIVE ABOUT AUTONOMY.

BIZARRO WAYNO

There are no "wrong" steps.

And no one has to lead.

WHEN ANARCHISTS TANGO

NEVER BEEN DEADER TOMMY DEVOLD

DID YOU HEAR WE'RE GETTING AN INTERN?

REALLY? HERE?!

WHY THE HECK WOULD THEY CHOOSE THIS PLACE?

MAYBE AS A LAST RESORT.

THIS PLACE IS FAR FROM A RESORT.

SALLY FORTH FRANCESCO MARCIULIANO

YOU TWO HAVE A WONDERFUL ROMANTIC GETAWAY! AND DON'T WORRY, BETTINA IS IN GOOD HANDS.

THANK YOU! LOVE YOU, MOM!

LOVE YOU TOO, SWEETIE!

OKAY, IF DEB AND I SHARE A ROOM WE CAN RENT OUT THE OTHER GUEST ROOM WITHOUT JACKIE EVER KNOWING.

WHAT?

BETTER NOT. THAT BETTINA KID STRIKES ME AS MOUTHY.

THE PHANTOM DEPAUL AND MANLEY

IN BANDAR FOLKLORE, THE SEA WOULD ONE DAY BRING A STRANGER TO THESE SHORES...

A CHAMPION TO MEET THE WORST OF EVIL...

A FRIENDLY PEOPLE, BUT...

I-I DON'T UNDERSTAND YOUR WORDS. WHAT IS IT YOU WISH FROM ME?

REX MORGAN M.D. TERRY BEATTY

YOU HAVE INTERESTS OF YOUR OWN, THOUGH?

SURE -- ART, MUSIC. I'D LIKE TO TRAVEL A LITTLE. I COULD GO TO A MUSEUM OR CONCERT ALONE...

BUT WHERE'S THE FUN IF THERE'S NO ONE TO SHARE THE EXPERIENCE WITH? TRAVEL, ESPECIALLY.

THE WOMEN I WAS MEETING WERE ALL OF THE "WHATEVER YOU LIKE TO DO" SORT. I'M ALREADY SET WITH MY INTERESTS -- C'MON, BRING SOMETHING NEW TO THE GAME!

JUDGE PARKER FRANCESCO MARCIULIANO AND MIKE MANLEY

ANYTHING YET, SAM?

NO. AND WE COVERED EVERY INCH OF OUR AREA.

SAW, IT'S GETTING DARK. LET'S JUST FACE THE FACTS THE DRONE DOESN'T...

...EXIST.

MARY WORTH KAREN MOY AND JUNE BRIGMAN

C'MON, DAWN!

I WISH I WERE A GOOD BOWLER...

ARRRGHHH!

BUT I'M NOT!

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