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Meeting

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Kindle. "That will be the responsibility of the school board. But we haven't talked a lot about the specifics of that situation."

As important as the history of Crane is the community members, some pointed out the cost of tradition. Although the meeting addressed athletics, some audience members were concerned with saving money for the long haul.

"Tradition lies in its people and not its places," said 20-year Yankton resident Dan Rafety. "For those who have played here and grew up here, can really appreciate that, but if we are concerned with

Hacker Attacks Gambling Websites, **Demands Bitcoin Ransom**

incident.

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year of operation.

staff, "the threat was mitigated with no

significant disruption to service. All involved

remain on heightened alert but are relieved

affected nor the size of the ransom sought.

Bitcoin is a virtual currency that, in ad-

dition to its legitimate uses, also has proven

No player money was stolen and no

personal information was compromised in

New Jersey began Internet gambling in November 2013, and is one of three states in

the nation that permit it, along with Nevada

It got off to a slower than expected start

here but has shown signs of growth in recent

months. New Jersey casinos won \$122 million

from Internet customers in 2014, its first full

But he said numerous local and state law

enforcement agencies are investigating.

popular with online criminals.

that the holiday weekend has passed without

Rebuck did not identify the sites that were

BY WAYNE PARRY Associated Press

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. - A hacker shut down four New Jersey Internet gambling sites for half an hour last week and threatened more cyberattacks over the holiday weekend unless a ransom was paid using the online currency Bitcoin, authorities said Tuesday.

David Rebuck, director of the New Jersev Gaming Enforcement Division, said Thursday's attack was a so-called distributed denial of service attack, in which websites were flooded with information and requests for access that rendered them inoperative.

"The attack was followed by the threat of a more powerful and sustained attack to be initiated 24 hours later unless a Bitcoin ransom was paid," Rebuck said. "This follow-up attack had the potential to not only negatively impact the targeted casinos, but also all business in Atlantic City" that share the same Internet service provider.

No ransom was paid. Rebuck said due to a response by law enforcement and casino

Smoke

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mean that every day we're going to see smoke, but with the right conditions, there could be smoke in the sky.

Monday's smoke was unusual beyond the large geographic area it covered, Schumacher said. The smoke also moved through both the upper and lower levels of the atmosphere, he said.

"It's not unusual for us to get smoke high in the sky, where you get the red sunset and it looks kind of hazy," he said. "But it's a little bit more unusual to get smoke at the surface and as dense as it was.

While the Canadian forest fires may continue to rage for several weeks, the northern United States could catch a break in conditions, Schumacher said.

"Hopefully, (the smoke) will be in the high atmosphere for much of the summer," he said. "And if they get rain (in Canada) and the fires go out, that will make a difference.'

The Yankton region could see some smoke at higher elevations today (Wednesday), Schumacher said. However, relief appears on the way, he said.

"As we head to the weekend, the air flow changes to the southwest," he said. 'What's now coming out of Canada will start to come out of Colorado.

The smoke acts like a cloud, reflecting sunlight back into space, and likely contributed to this week's cooler temperatures, Schumacher said. However, he wasn't sure of the full extent of the smoke's impact on temperatures.

"If you have smoke over the rea for several days, it's going to be a little bit cooler,"

he said Will Yankton see a return to the intense smoky conditions anytime soon?

"It's hard to tell," he said. 'There are a lot of things that have to come together to have a day like (Monday).'

The smoke affects more than the weather, Schumacher said. "There's also the impact on our health and with air visibility," he said.

Dr. Michael Pietila, a pulmonologist at Yankton Medical Clinic, monitors air quality and its impact on patients. However, the smoke provided a new situation for him.

'Monday's smoke was very unique. We don't generally follow those kinds of things,' he said. "We follow the pollen counts, humidity or the dewpoint. We're not looking at air quality issues. We live in a rural environment, not urban.

Pietila said he didn't receive any direct comments from people concerning the Canadian smoke. However, poor air quality particularly hits those with asthma, Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) and other breathing problems, he said.

"Air quality can depend on the time of day, depending on the location, Pietila said. "In the cities, you have the rush hour where you notice there are times that are better than others," he said.

However, Monday's smoke didn't vary greatly at any given time, he said. "In this instance, there was no 'better' part of the day," he said.

The smoke and its impact generated a great deal of discussion, Pietila said. "If you look at social media, people are posting (that) the air quality levels are as poor as they

have ever been at any time," he said.

Smoke, such as found Monday, affects people differently, he noted. This time of year. warm and humid weather can affect individuals, he added.

Those with breathing issues in particular need to take special precautions, he said. He advised staying indoors during peak times when conditions can trigger problems.

"I think the important thing to do is keep the windows closed and the air conditioner on," he said, adding the move can help hold down the amount of particulate matter entering the home. For those who venture

outdoors, he cautions against exertion and the deep breathing of particulates that can worsen health problems. Masks can help, but they

vary in quality, cost and effectiveness, he said. The best precaution may involve avoiding conditions that can trigger breathing problems, he said.

'We caution (patients) about going out," he said. "If they go out, they should make sure to take their rescue inhaler with them, which they should have at all times anyway.

After this week's unusual weather, the forecast calls for a return to more seasonal conditions, Schumacher said. Today's high should fall in the mid-70s, followed by predicted highs near 80 on Thursday and the low 80s on Friday.

Then you'll see a warming trend up to 90 and even the mid-90s by this weekend," he said. "We expect to stay in the 90s early next week, and with it comes humidity. On Sunday, the heat index could be in the upper 90s.

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FBI Seeks Sextortion Victims Of Man In **Prison For 105 Years**

BY DENISE LAVOIE

AP Legal Affairs Writer

BOSTON — The FBI is hoping to locate 240 more victims of a man convicted of using online threats to extort pornographic images from teenage girls.

In November, Lucas Michael Chansler was sentenced to 105 years in prison after he pleaded guilty to nine counts of producing child pornography.

Prosecutors say Chansler, formerly of St. Johns, Florida, communicated with hundreds of teen girls in 26 states, three Canadian provinces and the United Kingdom. Authorities have identified 109 victims but believe there are about 240 more.

On Tuesday, the FBI asked for the public's help in identifying additional victims. The agency released a list of screen names he used, including CaptainObvious, sk8er4life2021 and VictorHugo.

Bomb Blamed On Boko Haram Kills 20 In Northern Nigeria

ZARIA, Nigeria (AP) -A bomb blast in Nigeria's northern university town of Zaria killed at least 25 people Tuesday including a 2-yearold toddler, the Kaduna state governor reported, the latest in a string of deadly bombing and shooting attacks by the Boko Haram Islamic extremist group.

Witnesses said the blast came from a woman suicide bomber and that as many as 40 people died.

I saw three truck-loads of body parts taken away by the police," said Aisha Mohammed, who was in the hall at the government headquarters where the explosion occurred Tuesday morning.

Some bodies were charred beyond recognition, an AP reporter at the morgue saw. Gov. Nasir El-Rufai urged citizens to avoid crowded public places including mosques and churches as the militants accelerate the

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Chansler, now 31, would target girls through social networking sites and pretend to be an acquaintance, friend or admirer, according to the FBI. Once he gained their trust, he would persuade the girls to expose themselves or engage in sexually explicit conduct on video chats he secretly recorded. He then threatened to put the images online or send them to the girls' parents unless they agreed to provide more graphic images.

The FBI identified Chansler after the parents of one of the girls came forward. He was indicted in 2010.

Chansler told authorities he targeted girls who ranged in age from 13 to 18 because adults were "too smart" to fall for his scheme.

Peter Kowenhoven, an assistant special agent in charge in the FBI's Boston office, said the victims were spread around the country, including four from Massachusetts.

pace of attacks that have killed some 300 people in a

week. Boko Haram may be responding to an Islamic State group order to commit more mayhem during the Muslim holy month of Ramadan.

Terrorists detonated explosives that killed and injured several persons ... (with) 25 fatalities including a 2-year-old," El-Rufai said.

Fifty wounded victims have been hospitalized, his spokesman Samuel Aruwan said.

Also Tuesday, Boko Harm fighters crossed the border into Cameroon and three were killed in a fierce clash with troops, Cameroon government spokesman Issa Tchiroma Bakary said.

He said the Cameroonians seized a large quantity of weapons and vehicles before the attackers retreated to Nigeria.



preserving places, we would still be down at the Walnut."

There is a strong academic tradition here at Yankton. There is going to be a teacher shortage. We cannot pay our teachers what our bordering states can pay. For budgeting purposes, it makes sense to consolidate to Williams. We really have to watch our dollars so we are not paying for two of everything." Kindle added: "We would

pay for these improvements from the money within the five year capital outlay plan. We would not come to the taxpayers for a tax increase. We can do this in house."

Although opinions were strong to stay at Crane, the issues of the renovations were clear to community members. The biggest was whether or not to use the field grass or to install the synthetic turf.

"I want to know the safety issues for our kids playing on a grass surface versus an artificial turf," said Bucks football fan Lin Becker.

"The artificial turf is actually softer and safer than a grass surface when you hit your head on it which makes it a safer surface for concussions," said athletic director Ryan Mors.

"I like the grass surface," said Dr. Don Lepp, past school board member. "We went down the road with the artificial surface before and we had to end up replacing it only after a short number of years.'

The school board wants to keep the public informed and involved in the decisionmaking process. They are currently organizing days for the Crane field to be open during the day so people can tour the area and look at the structural issues up for discussion. Those dates will be announced, along with the surveys, in the coming weeks.

"People can take their own self-tour to take a look at the things we've been talking about," said Kindle. "Sometimes it might be better just to have a good look at it.

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Flu

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including controlling movement of staff between barns, cleaning equipment more thoroughly and training personnel on how the virus spreads, according to the officials' testimony.

One reason the virus spread so quickly was it took too long to euthanize the millions of sick birds who had flu, which made spreading more likely, Clifford said.

The government hired contractors to suffocate turkeys with foam or use a gas to asphyxiate chickens. At the beginning of the

County

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of our roads and bridges, it's something we have to seriously consider if we want to be able to take care of our highways.'

The commission is holding a special public hearing next week to help educate the public on the proposed

"That's what we're having the public hearing for — to show the need for it, show the current state of the roads and what's been going on the past several years," he said.

Woods said they're allowed to pass a levy because the county has already imposed a wheel tax and has established a transportation master plan. He added that a vote would take place during a special meeting, set for the deadline on July 15, following the public hearing.

This has to be passed by a two-thirds majority by the commissioners by July 15, otherwise we have to wait a whole year to go forward," he said. "We'll have a night of questions and discussions and education, then we'll have a day as commissioners

outbreak, crews couldn't keep up. Brad Moline, a turkey

farm owner from Manson, Iowa, testified that he lost 56,000 turkeys and twothirds of his income for the year. He said some of the government's hired contractors were not property trained, and the USDA failed initially to communicate steps farmers needed to take to prevent spread of the virus.

Clifford said the agency learned from the those issues to implement the new policies.

He also said budget cuts in recent years reduced the capability of the agency to respond well. You get what you pay

to mull it over and we'll have a meeting on the 15th of July to discuss it if we have a resolution.

He added the tight timeframe between discussion and decision was a result of availability of information from the state.

"This was just passed in mid-March," he said. "We didn't have a lot of the information from the state until just in the last few weeks. With budget talks and everything else going on, it's difficult to find a time to get scheduled.'

The commission also took some of Tuesday's meeting to discuss how the county will identify itself to the world.

Brian Hunhoff, Yankton County Register of Deeds, was on hand to give a short presentation on a number of proposals for a new county seal.

Hunhoff said the design committee is leaning towards submitting an abstract depiction of rolling hills and water symbolic of the region.

There's five things we liked about it," Hunhoff said. "We think it's clean — we don't want a cluttered image. It's attractive. It's original. It pays tribute to two of our

for," he told the Senate committee. "These types of events really tax us, strain us extremely." He said the government has approved hiring 460 temporary positions, including 300 veterinarians and animal technicians that will be first responders if another outbreak occurs.

Work on a vaccine continues and plans for how the government will determine when to use it and the impact it might have on poultry exports are under development, Swayne said. Discussion also included

creation of an insurance program that would compensate poultry farms in a way similar to how farmers are paid if crops fail due to drought or other natural disaster.

largest industries — our agriculture and tourism. And it has some of the prominent visual images that our county is attached to, and it's flexible — we could use it as a seal, we could use it as

through a number of ideas that incorporated a number of items symbolic of the county including cottonwood trees, water and bows and arrows. No official action was

taken on the logo Tuesday evening.

In other business Tuesday, the commission: ' Fielded a number

of rezoning and variance requests. Approved \$20,000 in

funding each year for five years to the Boys & Girls Club of Yankton with provisions to add additional funds as available.

* Approved an agreement for the Yankton County Regional Rail Authority. * Swore in Patty Vavra as the new Yankton County Treasurer.

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One letter stands for another. In this sample, A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

CRYPTOQUOTE

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Yesterday's Cryptoquote: IT IS HUMAN NATURE TO THINK WISELY AND ACT IN AN ABSURD FASHION. - ANATOLE FRANCE

a logo. Hunhoff said they went