

Man Guilty Of Trying To Induce Abortion

RAPID CITY (AP) — Rapid City jurors have convicted a man accused of spiking his girlfriend's beverages with herbs to try to induce an abortion. A Pennington County prosecutor says jurors took about four hours Friday to find 36-year-old Alfredo Vargas guilty of attempted fetal homicide. He faces up to 25 years in prison when he's sentenced in November. Authorities say Vargas laced Lisa Komes' drinks with an herb that in large quantities can cause an abortion. The substance he's accused of using is called pulegone (PYOO'-luh-gohn), an oil found in a common cooking mint extract. Komes in October 2010 delivered a healthy baby boy.

Agreement OK'd To Protect Rail Bridge

NORFOLK, Neb. (AP) — A local railroad safety board has approved an agreement for a project to protect a north-east Nebraska railroad bridge that collapsed amid heavy flooding in 2010 from future flooding. The *Norfolk Daily News* reports that Madison County Railroad Transportation Safety District board approved the agreement Tuesday. The plan calls for \$40,000 from the district and \$20,000 each from Union Pacific Railroad and Nebraska Central Railroad. Union Pacific owns the Elkhorn River bridge and leases its use to Nebraska Central. The bridge collapse during heavy flooding in June 2010, killing a railroad worker. The flooding caused the river to change course, and officials fear the bridge could wash out again in the event of a new flood. The project would help channel the river and reinforce its riverbanks.

Raven Aerostar Plant Closing In Huron

HURON. (AP) — The Raven Aerostar plant in Huron is closing in two months. KOKK radio reports that company officials say the closure Nov. 19 is tied to the end of government contracts for products supporting military forces in Iraq and Afghanistan, as well as to uncertainty about future levels of federal spending on defense. The 75 workers who are losing their jobs are getting severance packages.

Dakotas Tribe Opens Admin. Building

AGENCY VILLAGE, S.D. (AP) — The Sisseton Wahpeton Oyate tribe has opened a \$31 million administration building in the northeastern South Dakota town of Agency Village. The grand opening celebration Friday was attended by Patrice Kunes, deputy undersecretary for rural development with the federal Agriculture Department. She says the facility was funded with the largest Rural Development Community Facilities loan in South Dakota history. The new facility will serve more than 7,000 members of the Dakotas tribe.

Nebraska

Officials Warn Of Flood Danger

BY GRANT SCHULTE
Associated Press

LINCOLN, Neb. — State officials urged residents on Friday to stay clear of the contaminated flood water pouring into western Nebraska from Colorado, while offering assurances that the flood posed no immediate threat to cities, railroad lines or Interstate 80. Nebraska emergency management officials said they were keeping close watch on the South Platte River, which continued to rise on Friday in the southwest and central parts of the state. The flood so far has caused little damage as the surge moves east. "We don't get the floods on the Platte as often as some other places, so this is something we just need to continue to watch," said Lt. Gov. Lavon Heidemann, the state's Homeland Security director. "We try to anticipate as much as we possibly can, and just go from there." The warning to residents came after

Nebraska Game and Parks officials rescued a man from the South Platte River earlier this week. Authorities say two brothers from Colorado launched a canoe into the swollen river on Wednesday. The canoe capsized about a mile east of the Nebraska-Colorado state line. Authorities say Joseph Schneiderwind, 48, of Conifer, Colo., remained on a sandbar while his 54-year-old brother, Mike Schneiderwind, swam to shore. Mike Schneiderwind, of Castle Rock, Colo., walked to U.S. Highway 138 and flagged a motorist for help. Authorities said Joseph Schneiderwind was chest-deep in water and clinging to a tree when they arrived. He was taken to a hospital to be treated for possible hypothermia. The flood forced the closure of two roads Friday afternoon north of Interstate 80, connecting to the towns of Big Springs and Roscoe. But the interstate itself remained open and did not appear to be threatened by the flood, said Mike Wight,

an acting spokesman for the Nebraska Emergency Management Agency. Wight said backed-up flood water was moving toward railroad tracks owned by Union Pacific near the town of Sutherland, in western Nebraska. Flood water over the tracks could disrupt the national route, but Wight said Friday that they were no longer in danger. Wight said the biggest concern for state officials was keeping residents away from the water, which they believe is filled with potentially dangerous oil, fertilizers, and debris that flowed in from Colorado. State officials also were also keeping watch on the spot where the North and South Platte rivers converge, just to the east of North Platte. Wight said that the flooded South Platte could cause water from the North Platte to back up and flood some of the surrounding low land. "That's a potential issue, but there's no immediate concern at this point," Wight said.

Aberdeen City Hall To Get Major Renovation

ABERDEEN (AP) — Aberdeen city workers are preparing to move into temporary office space because City Hall will undergo a \$3 million renovation this winter. The city is shifting its base of operations to the Aberdeen Recreation and Cultural Center. Contractors are about a month and a half away from completing a \$500,000 renovation job to accommodate the 30 employees who work at City Hall, the *American News* reported. About 20 of them will work temporarily out of cubicles in a 7,000-square-foot auditorium in the center, City Manager Lynn Lander said. The renovation project at City Hall will upgrade the water, sewer, electric, heating and cooling systems, as well as make modifications to

office space. "It was to the point where the city needed to invest in the building or abandon it," Lander said. Building a new City Hall likely would have cost the city double what it will cost to renovate, he said. Bid opening for the renovation project is scheduled for Oct. 15, Public Works Director Robin Bobzien said. When the project is completed, City Hall will have several new amenities, including a designated meeting room for the City Council on the first floor, a first-floor courtroom with its own entrance and a larger conference room on the second floor. The project also includes additional security measures.

Sioux Falls Vows \$1.3 Million

SIoux FALLS. (AP) — History repeats itself — and it's also bulky. The Siouxland Heritage Museums in Sioux Falls is running out of space to keep boxes of memorabilia on Sioux Falls and Minnehaha County. The *Argus Leader* reports that the City Council has approved budgeting \$1.3 million next year toward an

archive storage facility. Land has been donated for the building, and the county has been supportive of the \$3.9 million project. Each government would contribute \$1.3 million. But the contribution hinges on whether selling donated land around the site can net at least \$1.3 million to pay for the remainder.

Executive Director • Huron SD

James Valley Housing is seeking an individual to oversee its non-profit, regional housing efforts. The position would require the executive director to oversee new housing construction, pre and post home buyer education, and home financing servicing for low to moderate income residents. Applicant must have strong communication skills, home construction and real estate knowledge, experience working with financial institutions, grant writing skills, local and state housing regulation knowledge. NCHC counseling certification or comparable training extremely helpful, but will train the right individual. Please email resume and salary history to: JamesValleyHousing@midco.net or send to: James Valley Housing, 145 3rd St SW, Huron SD 57350

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Author Sues Neb. For Killer's Drawings

LINCOLN, Neb. (AP) — The author of a book about a Nebraska serial killer executed in the state's electric chair in 1996 has sued the Nebraska Department of Correctional Services to try to force it to release the condemned man's disturbing drawings. Author Mark Pettit, a former investigative reporter, says in the lawsuit that the prisons department has repeatedly refused to release the drawings by John Joubert, citing state confidentiality laws. The drawings purportedly depict Joubert's fantasies to kill again. Joubert was sentenced to die for the Bellevue area stabbing deaths of two young boys, ages 12 and 13, weeks apart in 1983. Following his conviction in Nebraska, a jury in Maine found him guilty of the 1982 murder of an 11-year-old boy in that state. Pettit, the author of "A Need to Kill: The True-Crime Account of John Joubert, Nebraska's Most Notorious Serial Child Killer," says in the lawsuit that the public has a compelling interest and a right to see the drawings. "These illustrations prove the state of Nebraska did the right thing by executing Joubert," Pettit told the *Lincoln Journal Star*. "They leave no doubt that he was fantasizing about killing more children and likely would have done so if ever released from prison." Dawn Renee Smith, a spokeswoman for the Nebraska Department of Correctional Services, declined to comment on the lawsuit Friday, saying the agency does not comment on pending litigation. Joubert told Pettit during a series of interviews that he continued to have fantasies about killing children even after being sentenced, Pettit said. He said Joubert expressed the fantasies in two graphic drawings that were confiscated by prison authorities. In February 1988, Joubert wrote to prison officials authorizing them to release the drawings to Pettit for analysis by a mental health professional. Citing pending appeals to his convictions, prison officials refused to do so. Earlier this year, ahead of the 30th anniversary of the murders, prison officials again turned down Pettit's request to make the drawings public, prompting Pettit to sue.



Office of the State Treasurer Unclaimed Property Division

Rich Sattgast, South Dakota State Treasurer, Hereby provides notice of names of person appearing to be owners of abandoned property.

Pursuant to SDCL 43-41B-19, the following persons appear to be owners of unclaimed property, previously held by banks, trusts, cooperatives, corporations, insurance companies, utilities, and other business associations operating or which have operated in the State of South Dakota and subject to the custody of this state.

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