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 A Village Plaza Liberal, KS 676-226-7400 Monday - Saturday
 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Liberal's economy 2014 is strong
 In 30 years, 1 percent sales tax revenues have totalled more than \$47 million
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SAFEstrong
'CHAIR'ish the Children
 April 10, 2014 - The "SAFEstrong" program is a community-based initiative that provides free, confidential, and confidential counseling to children and adolescents who are experiencing emotional or behavioral problems. The program is available to all children and adolescents in the Liberal community. For more information, call 676-226-7400 or visit the website at www.safestrong.org.
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Teacher of the month is McGuire
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Video shows rat terrifying NYC subway
 NEW YORK (AP) - A video showing a rat scurrying across a subway platform in New York City has caused a stir. The video, which was posted on YouTube, shows a rat running across the platform as a train arrives. The video has been viewed over 1 million times and has caused a lot of concern among commuters. The subway authority has said that it is taking steps to address the problem.
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BoA shows local support
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A blank look, followed by bloodshed at high school
 IN KANSAS CITY, MO. - A blank look followed by bloodshed at a high school in Kansas City, Mo., on Tuesday. A student was shot and killed during a fight in a hallway. The incident occurred at the end of the school day. The police are investigating the incident and have not yet identified the shooter. The school is currently on lockdown and the community is in shock.
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Lions Club to host semi-annual Pancake Feed
 The Lions Club of Liberal is hosting its semi-annual Pancake Feed on Thursday, April 10, from 6:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at the Liberal High School cafeteria. The event is a fundraiser for the club and will feature a variety of breakfast items, including pancakes, waffles, and french toast. The cost is \$5 per person. For more information, call 676-226-7400.
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In China, jar of French mountain air fetches \$860
 PARIS (AP) - A jar of French mountain air, which was sold for \$860 in China, has become a sensation. The jar, which was filled with air from the French Alps, was sold at an auction in Beijing. The air was collected in a jar and sealed. The jar was sold to a Chinese collector who paid \$860 for it. The jar is now on display in a museum in Beijing. The air is said to be pure and fresh, and is a popular gift in China.
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Kansas GOP leader defends plan on teacher tenure
 KANSAS CITY, Mo. - Kansas GOP leader Matt Blum defended his plan to end teacher tenure on Tuesday. Blum said that the plan is necessary to improve the quality of the education system and to ensure that teachers are held accountable for their performance. He said that the plan will allow for more flexibility in hiring and firing teachers, and will help to attract and retain the best talent. Blum said that the plan is not an attack on teachers, but a necessary step to reform the education system.
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