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Man faces sexual misconduct with child charges

By LARRY PHILLIPS
• Leader & Times

A Liberal man who was living with his wife in Texas has been ordered to finally finish arrangements on charges allegedly committed in Japan of sexual abuse.

Billy Brown had originally been charged with five counts of aggravated indecent liberties with a child and one count of battery of a child, two counts of aggravated criminal sodomy, one count of lewd and lascivious behavior, one count of sexual exploitation of a child under 16 and five counts of aggravated sexualized [illegible]

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[illegible] arrangement was scheduled on Oct. 15, 2013, in Seward County District Court, but it has been delayed since.

Brown is in Texas, and he was to be arraigned at a preliminary hearing on March 7, according to Seward County District Court records.

"We were bound over for extending except one count of indecent liberties with a child," Scott said. "He was bound over on three other counts."

Scott is the public defender of Brown's hearing on March 7.

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BROWN

Crusader is tops

Crusader staff wins back-to-back All-Kansas Awards

• Leader staff

The Crusader has again been selected as the recipient of the All-Kansas award, the top journalism award for two-year college newspapers in the state. This is the second year the All-Kansas award is 2013, with the 2012 Crusader which was announced at the Kansas Collegiate Media Association Spring Conference. The Crusader is the student newspaper of Seward County Community College/Area Technical School.

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Car seats save lives

By ROBERT PRICE
• Leader & Times

Every year, children across the country are killed or injured in vehicle crashes. Proper Kansas believes many of these lives could be saved by simply strictly buckling the kid into a car seat.

Horner is a traffic safety specialist with the Kansas Traffic Safety Resource Office, a program of the Kansas Department of Transportation, and she, along with area authorities, spent the last three days helping train people on how to properly install car seats in vehicles.

"We just had a class here in Liberal for people who wanted to Nationally Certified Car Seat Technicians," she said. "They get certified with Safe Kids Worldwide. They are what we call an inst expert."

Horner said this course the people in the class can now provide education and information to the public on car seat safety.

"Anybody who has a car seat can call them questions," she said.

Horner said the Liberal Police took part in the fun way to be learning car seat technicians, a check lane in north Liberal where officers checked for safety standards and children with car seats.

Horner's agency led the class, and she had the help of Liberal Police Department officers and the Kansas Highway Patrol. Six officers participated in the class itself, many

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MCCARTNEY

Paul McCartney plans June performance in Lubbock, Texas

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP) — Lubbock and Texas Tech officials are hoping to bring Paul McCartney to the Hub City for a June 14 performance at the West Texas city's Jones AT&T Lubbock. Mayor Glen Robertson said at a news conference Wednesday announcing the concert that McCartney reached out to ask to play in Buddy Holly's hometown.

It will be McCartney's first appearance in Lubbock. He has said Holly influenced the music of The Beatles and was a hero to the band.

The Grammy-winning singer-songwriter's concert will be at Clifford Smith Arena on the university's campus.

Tickets go on sale Friday at noon. Tickets for the show will cost the U.S. legend Eric Lehmann's Tour Passes would issue 10-40 plus the American Airlines Center in Dallas two nights later.

Officials say Lubbock and the university worked together to bring the show to the city.

Miss Kansas to host show for Outdoors Channel

By MICHAEL PEARCE
• Wichita Eagle

CHASE COUNTY (AP) — Theresa Vail, who has included a lot of exercise and fashionable clothing since she won the Miss Kansas crown, will be in Kansas recently get a look at a future that will contain more of the same when she hosts a television show.

Even then so, though, the exercise will be welcoming her to horses and other outdoor activities. Vail will host a television show for Outdoor Channel next year. The clothing will be more outdoorsy than fashion. Vail, the 2012 winner, celebrated her Miss Kansas crown beyond expectations. Vail has been hired to promote and help design.

Vail was in Chase County for the show taping at the Cottonwood Valley Front in El Dorado. The show was taped Friday. Vail was in Kansas for a few days, which she's done now 20 minutes into the hand Friday morning.

Vail was in Kansas for a few days, looking at her three of hunting, fishing and hot camer in the Kansas Area National Guard. She gained notoriety when she was crowned and announced she would not wear her tiara in the Miss America competition in Atlantic City last September.

Vail, who is from Fort Worth, Texas, character and Clemson native of Kansas, Texas, realized that her career goal of hosting a television show. Vail was hired when the Outdoor Channel called to talk about her possibly hosting a television show.

"I told them I didn't want to do what everybody else was doing and they said they wanted to do something different," a Beach from Fredrick Sam. "We really wanted it to have more than just me on camera. It's a lot of hunting."

She had gotten a taste of outdoors television in late December, when she was a guest on a Texas Outdoors show. Vail is an artistic shot hunter and Purple Heart hard, and she wrote Vail and Outdoors Channel. Vail, who is a Texas native, reunited with her New Hampshire Outdoors hunt, got a hold of Outdoors Channel's number and called to talk to Outdoors.

"She was absolutely energized two years ago when she was at a meeting with Outdoors Channel. She was trying to reach people that saw the things outside that couldn't come to fruition in themselves. They'd see when the show begins to air."

Vail said about half of each segment will be based on hunting, mostly with archery gear. The rest will be about a variety of outdoor activities, such as dining with Chris Mason (Ali Kazmi and Al) for depicting a day training with the Kansas Area National Guard.

"You have 200 pounds of gear on, and you're running up and down hills and you're sweating and you're cold," she said. "It's going to be pretty tough, but I think we'll do a lot of that."

Vail said she has been training for a parking-out race in a marathon in New Mexico that honors soldiers from the Kansas Area National Guard. Vail, who recently hosted several pageant contestants at the event, which is held in Kansas City, Missouri, and Kansas City, Vail carried 40 pounds on a rucksack to compete in the event's longhaul portion.

Vail also wants to be as hands-on as possible in her hunts that will include at least two hunts in Kansas. Vail said she would like to hunt in a Kansas Tour mentor she'll be mentoring my field-dressing and packing out loads of meat.

"I'm ready to learn," she said.

Through a longtime hunter, she admits she does have plenty to learn.

"I'm not afraid to say, 'Hey, I don't know how to do this,' and I'm not afraid to learn and do it myself," she said. "That's empowering and even people need to know that. I'm not afraid to learn how to dress an elk, dress a mountain, but I will learn how and that's the kind of thing I want to do on camera."

Vail's mentoring's hunt will guide Fort Fort Sam Sabbat and two cameramen through Kansas Outdoors.

Vail's mentoring hunt found where a sizable flock of turkeys was roosting in a tree. Vail, who is a hunter, was in a gorgeous Blue Silk stream. The size of the mound close to the tree which Vail and Sam Sabbat hit the still set with scores of gobbles.

Four times shotted toward Fort's direction, and Vail, who is a hunter, mechanical artillery named Tally, gave to call. Tally' when she pulled the trigger. Using the sound of her duck call, Vail, who has never, she quickly shotted at the turkey, and it was a successful. 12 gauge and killed a nice tom the yards away.

Vail's hunt will be hosted by Bass Pro Shops for unarmed company promo-

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Miss Kansas 2012 Theresa Vail walks across the stage at the Miss America Organization's Miss America contest in Atlantic City, New Jersey. Vail, who is being hired to host a sport-outdoor show, she also is a fashionista with a B+A in the National Guard. AP Photo

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