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**HANNAH SCHRODT**, COLUMBUS TELEGRAM

## Brothers pass down the love of agriculture to their own children

#### HANNAH SCHRODT

The Columbus Telegram

or four decades, 4-H has been a County.

Brothers Jerry, Cory and Cody Osten have passed down a love of agriculture to their respective children. Eli, 17; Parker, 13; and Hadley, 12, are the children of Cory and Jennifer. Tori is the 16-year-old daughter of Jerry and Tammy while Cody and Victoria have a 6-year-old son named Kyler.

On a mild afternoon in mid-September, the five children were joined by close family friend Caleb Sloup, the son of Mike and Sheila Sloup, who often joins the Ostens in tion (after generation) they've been doing 4-H activities.

"(It's) 40 years, when you look at Jerry, the oldest, right down to Kyler who's in his first year (of 4-H)," said Jennifer. "Tori and Kyler, they both showed at the state fair ... as sewing and cooking. they showed swine."

It's easy to see how close the family is when watching them interact with each other.

On the day of the interview, the Ostens and Sloups met at the Osten homeplace in rural Columbus. Cory's great-grandparents were the first to live on the land. Prior generations harvested the fields and raised

These days, Jerry lives in a house on the part of the Osten family of Platte land while Jerry's oldest daughter, Jasmine, lives in the farmhouse. Although Jasmine is older, she is still involved with ag; she has chickens and is interested in organic farming, the family said.

Cory noted his grandmother's involvement in 4-H as well. Following in her footsteps, he is now on the 4-H council.

"For 4-H stuff, Grandma Osten was huge ... all open class exhibits and all that stuff," Cory said. "... She was on 4-H council, and all kinds of stuff like that."

"It's pretty neat to think about generait." Iennifer added.

All six kids belong to 4-H group Northern Lites. Hadley is also involved in Baker Makers, which focuses on activities such

"Eli started as a Clover Kid, and they can



### PLATTE COUNTY



**HANNAH SCHRODT, COLUMBUS TELEGRAM** 

The Ostens of Platte County have been involved in 4-H for 40 years. The children of Jerry, Cory and Cody Osten have continued the 4-H tradition, along with family friend Mike Sloup and his son, Caleb. From left are Mike and Caleb; Jerry and his daughter Tori; Cory (in back) with his children Parker, Hadley and Eli; and Cody (far right) with his son Kyler.

pared for shows.

Tori said she gets her pigs in late fall. Tori competed in the Nebraska State Fair this year and received first in Duroc, fourth in crossbred class, third in Burkeshire and made into the finals for showmanship. Kyler 6 • FALL 2021 • BACKBONE

receive pigs in March and then they're pre-received first in Duroc barrow class in the that route," Victoria said. "They have fun their pigs," Jennifer said. "(It's a) daily thing Futurity Show.

Victoria, who was involved in 4-H while growing up, said she had been partial to also teaches kids the importance of responpigs.

"Pigs were always my favorite thing to show, so that's why I always stuck with at night. They walk their pigs, they wash

personalities. They honestly do."

Along with being a family tradition, 4-H sibility.

"They feed their pigs in the morning and

they have to be responsible for. They keep a record book, so they have to know what they're spending on their feed. They have to know what they're spending on their animals. But they also gain a lot of friendships and meet a lot of new people. It teaches



**HANNAH SCHRODT, COLUMBUS TELEGRAM** 

Kyler Osten, 6, enjoys getting pushed a tree swing by his older cousin, Eli (third from left) and Tori (far right) while close friend Caleb Sloup and other cousin Parker watch.

them a lot."

Eli agreed.

"You have to show up every day and take care of your animals and do all the things necessary so they're ready on show day," Eli said.

For Hadley, her favorite part is the animals themselves.

"You get to be involved with more animals. It's more fun to be involved with animals." Hadley said.

According to Victoria, the family also often competes in progress shows, which are like mini-shows that take place at different locations.

"That's always fun because then you meet up with some of the same pigs and you compete against the same ones over and over and over," Victoria said. "You can compare your pig to that pig and say, 'OK, that one is doing better at this but mine is selling at this."

4-H has also shaped the Osten kids into are planning to pursue ag-related careers.

Eli, who is a senior at Lakeview High School, said he plans on attending the University of Nebraska-Omaha to study agricultural engineering, which encompasses a variety of career paths.

"You can design feed yards. You can design a hog confinement shop," Victoria said, adding that it can also include equipment. "There's a lot of things you can do with it."

Eli noted his interest lies more in facility design.

"... Not so much the equipment, more the design of barns and stuff, feed yards," Eli said.

Parker is considering agronomy, Jennifer said.

"Tori wants to do maybe ag feed to be a feed specialist," Victoria added.

The Ostens are a 4-H family but also a Lakeview Community Schools family. The three oldest Osten kids and Caleb attend Lakeview Junior-Senior High while Kyler goes to Shell Creek Elementary. Jennifer is a teacher at Shell Creek.

"That's the thing about 4-H, it's kind who they are today. So far, the older kids of your community, your group of people," Jennifer said. "It's just like Lakeview, Lakeview is a little community in itself. Everybody works together."





#### THE SCHUYLER SUN

is talking about 4-H, the able life skills. Schuyler/Colfax County Museum or her family, and effervescence remains the same.

Bouncing between the subjects, the longtime Schuyler resident loves to recall money into a savings account and to this the history of the Schuyler and the 4-H day she still has those funds. program.

grandfather, Milo Sr.

group were her father, Milo F., and her uncle, Dean. The brothers started raising raising an animal." hogs for the club, winning several awards along the way.

Theresa knows quite a bit about the animals as she's been a hog superintendent for better. approximately 30 years.

She initially started in that role because her kids were coming of age to begin continues on because it makes kids more showing hogs. After they moved on from united." the club, Theresa said she stayed on as she enjoyed watching the young ones raise their said he learned vital skills when he showed animals.

"I love watching these kids grow up and have that responsibility of growing up a hog," she said. "We have a few kids where you can tell they put their all into it."

Theresa said she and her brother, Paul, also showed pigs when she was younger, but didn't come away with the awards as their father and uncle did before them.

"If we got a purple (ribbon), we were like, 'This is cool!'" she said, with a laugh. "We were just there to learn something."

She credited her father in getting her and hether Theresa Shonka Paul into 4-H. She said it taught them valu-

For example, they learned about financial responsibility as sometimes they would her bright smile, humor make money by raising hogs or they lost some money due to the cost of taking care of their animals, she said.

Theresa said she eventually deposited the

She decided to pass down 4-H to her The latter – originally started in the children as well, wanting to teach them 1940s — was created in part thanks to her the responsibilities she learned at their age.

"I wanted my kids to know about it. Two of the first kids ever to be in the There's more than just sports," she said. "... (I wanted to) give them the responsibility of

> Paul Shonka, who has been a hog superintendent for 15 years, said he believes the club helps area kids get to know each other

> "That's what I think 4-H is all about," he said. "... I think it's important that 4-H

> Milo F., who started 4-H at 8-years-old, his hogs.

> "It taught me not to be scared of people watching me or the object of that audience," he said. "It makes you much braver to contend with Mr. Public out there, looking at you."

> He said although some of the details of 4-H are hazy as he's gotten older, he has overall pleasant memories of his formative

> "All I know is we were having fun going to the fair in Leigh and kicking up our heels



Theresa Shonka's father, Milo F., left and her uncle, Dean, show off the trophies they won for their hogs. The brothers were two of the first members of Schuyler's 4-H club.



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Theresa Shonka discusses a few of the ribbons on display at the Schuyler/Colfax County Museum. Some of the ribbons date back to 1929.

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#### COLFAX COUNTY



Theresa Shonka stands beside the numerous 4-H and Colfax County Fair memorabilia at the Schuyler/Colfax County Museum. Shonka has been a hog superintendent for 30 years now.



Theresa Shonka shows off a 4-H booklet that dates back to 1945. Shonka's grandfather, Milo Sr., originally started the club in Schuyler.



**PHOTOS ANDREW KISER, SCHUYLER SUN** 

Theresa Shonka's son, Paul, and father Milo F. are all smiles posing for a photo. Paul hopes to bring back the 4-H program to Schuyler next year.

and it was good to get ahead of Mom and Dad so they didn't know what we were doing," he said, which got a big laugh out of his family. "You grow up once, you've got to have fun."

Theresa said the club has seen its numbers fluctuate throughout the years, seeing a decline in the 1980s before dissolving in '87.

"The members just weren't there anymore," she said. But her son, Greg, hopes to reorganize the club next year.

"We're going to keep the family thing going," she said.
"... He's going to bring Four Leaf Clover back into the community, which I think is really cool."

Greg said the group is going to be comprised of younger children initially. He added he believes the kids will develop important skills through the club.

"I think it gives them a good work ethic. It gives them the responsibility to get stuff done," he said.

Greg did quite a bit through 4-H as well. He raised cattle, horses and hogs, as well as submitted woodworking and scrapbook projects.

"We're big into it, I guess you could say," he said. "To me, I was excited about it because at that time there weren't cell phones. So when you go to the fair, you met people from Clarkson and Leigh that you didn't know.

#### COLFAX COUNTY



**ANDREW KISER, SCHUYLER SUN** 

Theresa Shonka, top left, her son, Paul, brother, Greg, and father Milo F. stand outside her home. The four comprise three generations of 4-H members.

you mingle with them."

When the group reforms next year, it will coincide with the 75th anniversary of when the club was first created, Theresa said.

Although a 4-H club isn't around in Schuyler today, the group continues strong in Theresa's family as Paul has a grandson plays. who is part of the club. They now have four generations participating in 4-H.

her family's involvement in the club.

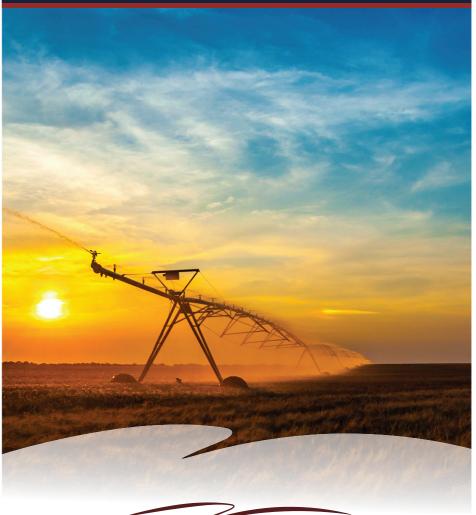
Meanwhile. Theresa is the Schuvler/ stuck in a box."

To this day, many of them are in the area so Colfax County Museum curator, a title she's had for about two years. She said she reorganized the exhibits during the COVID-19 pandemic last year when the museum was closed.

She joked it was like "a tornado" in the building before she reorganized the dis-

"I moved some showcases," Theresa said. "You would find something over "I'm pretty proud of it," Theresa said of here that should have been over there. ... I wanted things to be displayed and not Your trusted partner in life & business.

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#### **BUTLER COUNTY**



**PHOTOS MOLLY HUNTER, THE BANNER-PRESS** Hannah Heinrich leans against a fence post behind her family's home in Butler County in



Hannah Heinrich bends down to pet a calf. Hannah enjoys being around animals. She has a few years to decide, but Hannah said she might want to go into a profession that involves working with animals. That, or become a



Hannah Heinrich points out a chicken to one of her younger brothers. Confident and well-spoken, Hannah has plenty to do even when 4-H isn't occupying her time. Lynn Heinrich, Hannah's mom, said she plays volleyball, participates in dance year-round, plays soccer in the spring, summer and fall and does track in the spring.

#### **MOLLY HUNTER**

The Banner-Press

early September.

rying to deal with an ornery cow during the 2020 Butler County Fair while barely 5 feet tall and only a fraction of a breeding seemed like an issue to some. a farmer near Rising City. but Hannah Heinrich was unphased.

Then again, she is the oldest of six children, so tussling with a grumpy heifer might not be too far-fetched for her.

Hannah, 13, attends school at Scotus Central Catholic in Columbus, but she has participated in 4-H at the Butler County Fair for the last four years. Her family lives in Butler County on an acreage a few miles south of Columbus and the Platte River.

2021 was Hannah's fourth year doing 4-H in Butler County, but her fifth year overall. She got her start in 2017 showing poultry for 4-H in Dodge County, where her grandparents live.

As is often the case, Hannah's 4-H involvement is something of a family legacy.

"The Dodge County Fair was where my mom went when she was a kid, where she showed cattle as a kid," Hannah said.

Lynn Heinrich, Hannah's mom, grew up near North Bend while her husband, Jeff, is from Paxton.

"We met at the University of Nebraska in Lincoln ... but we're both small town, farm kids," Lynn said. "We just knew we wanted the example she must set for her younger to raise our family in rural Nebraska."

And 4-H is an important part of that begin to do 4-H. upbringing.

Hannah made her debut at the Butler County Fair in 2018 with a bucket calf and showed another bucket calf in 2019.

"And then I've shown breeding heifers ever since," Hannah said.

Hannah showed her first heifer - the ornery one – at the 2020 Butler County helped me by inspiring and encouraging

She brought another breeding heifer to heifer's weight might have the fair this year. She gets her cattle from

> "They come and live with us for the summer and then after the fair we send them back and they become breeding heifers for him." Hannah said.

> Hannah left the Butler County Fair as the beef showmanship reserve champion of her division in 2020 and 2021, and received a purple ribbon for her breeding heifer this year.

> It wasn't all sunshine and rainbows. though.

> "This year was a little bit more difficult," Hannah said. "The heifer I was supposed to show did not quite work out. She was kind of mean to me. I had to switch heifers and I didn't have very much time. I had like three weeks."

> Hannah said she and her dad went out early every morning to get the new heifer acclimated.

> "We had to halter break her, tie her on, give her water," Hannah said. "There was some hard work in those three weeks before the fair."

Hannah added that she is conscious of brothers and sisters, especially as they

"It definitely takes leadership," Hannah said. "I'm the one who has to set the example for hard work and being responsible."

Luckily, Hannah said, learning how to lead is part of 4-H.

"The older leaders have definitely and teaching me," Hannah said.

Of course, her experience with wran-said.

gling her five younger siblings probably hasn't hurt her leadership skills, either. But, Hannah said, paying it forward by helping them is also part of 4-H.

"We could not do it without her," Lynn

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#### DODGE COUNTY



Ashley Abrahams of Hooper and her brother, Alex, are shown with awards they won in 4-H competition.

# Woman tells how 4-H impacted her life, is benefitting others

#### **TAMMY REAL-MCKEIGHAN**

Fremont Tribune

'elly Abrahams remembers the tractor-driving contest.

Driving a John Deere 4020, she won the contest at the Burt County Fair in Oakland.

boys who competed.

"It was a lot of fun," she said. "I remember one little boy saying to his older brother, 'You kicked and head-butted." got beat by a girl!' I'll never forget that."

Since then, Abrahams has accumulated many other good 4-H memories. Moreover, her 4-H experiences helped lead to a career and community service.

Today, the Hooper woman owns Ask Bookkeeping, LLC. She's a bookkeeper and consultant, who specializes in small business and agricultural bookkeeping. Abrahams is a wife and mother, whose children now participate in 4-H. She's also a 4-H leader, whose club had almost 50 members last year.

Abrahams' start in 4-H began early.

She was 8 years old when her mom, Susan Penke of Craig, gave her two options. She

could join Girl Scouts or 4-H.

Abrahams chose the latter and became a member of the Smiley Belles 4-H Club in Oakland.

Her early projects included cooking, sewing, crafts and safety. She and her brother, Jason Penke, later joined the Lucky 134-H Club and began showing cattle from their farm.

They showed bucket and feeder calves and then market steers. They learned how to train an animal to walk with a halter in a show ring.

"It can be very difficult," she said. "If you start with one of the bucket calves and raise it, The 14-year-old girl beat all the it's a little bit easier. But if you start out with one of the market, 1,000-pound steers - trying to train them — you get stepped on and

> She was also involved in what's now called the Culinary Challenge contest, planning and preparing a meal and setting a table with a theme.

"I did pretty well at that for several years," she said.

In other contests, she answered written and oral questions on topics such as cooking or babysitting. She was on a senior division team that won the state competition one year.

Through 4-H, she'd learn responsibility, recordkeeping, how to make presentations and speak in front of judges. Her record books won county medals.

Abrahams competed in the multi-county



TAMMY REAL-MCKEIGHAN: FREMONT TRIBUNE

Kelly Abrahams, owner of Ask Bookkeeping, LLC, sits at the desk in her home office. Abrahams, a longtime 4-H'er, now leads a club, which had 48 kids last year.



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TAMMY REAL-MCKEIGHAN; FREMONT TRIBUNE

Ashley Abrahams of Hooper models a dress she made in 4-H.



**COURTESY PHOTO** 

Kelly Abrahams of Hooper is shown in this earlier photo when she was a 4-H'er. Abrahams was 8 years old when she first joined 4-H and now her children, Ashley, 16, Alex, 12, and Austin, 8, are involved in 4-H.



COURTESY PHOTO

Kelly Abrahams was a Fremont 4-H Fair queen in 1995.

Fremont 4-H Fair King and Queen Contest and was crowned queen in 1995.

"It was like my hard work had paid off," Abrahams said. "It was great. The following year, my record books won at state competition. Those were submitted so you could win a trip to National 4-H Congress and I won that in 1996."



TAMMY REAL-MCKEIGHAN; FREMONT TRIBUNE Austin Abrahams sits near his dog. Austin, who's a Clover Kid, has shown his dog in 4-H competition.

The work ethic Abrahams developed through 4-H helped her study in college.

All the 4-H questions she answered helped her gain confidence and good speaking skills and she was asked to be a teaching assistant for speech class as a college sophomore.

In 2000, she graduated from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln with a bachelor of science degree in agricultural sciences. That year, she married Robert Abrahams, a Cum-





**COURTESY PHOTO** 

TAMMY REAL-MCKEIGHAN; FREMONT TRIBUNE

Kelly Abrahams of Hooper is shown in her home office. The 4-H'er turned 4-H leader is owner of Ask Bookkeeping, LLC.

Alex Abrahams of Hooper works on a pillow and a rocket for a 4-H project.

ing County 4-H'er who'd showed swine and rabbits and did engineering projects.

ethic developed via 4-H.

"You've got to do the work," he said.

Wanting to give back to 4-H, Kelly Abrahams began serving as a judge for sewing and home environment projects in several coun-

The Abrahams' children, Ashley, 16, Alex, 12, and Austin, 8, are involved in 4-H now.

Like her mom, Ashley takes part in cooking and sewing projects, but she's also involved in horticulture and shooting sports. She and Alex are involved in trap shooting, BB gun and air rifle subject areas. Austin is a Clover Kid.

"4-H is making a difference in my kids' lives," Abrahams said. "Ashley has really taken an interest in horticulture. Alex is exploring his career options in ag and mechanics.... It's a big part of our lives, even though we live in town. Austin is so excited to be a 'real 4-H'er' next year. Most of the (Clover) kids say that. They look up to the bigger kids."

In the last two years, Abrahams has started and led the Operation C.L.O.V.E.R 4-H Club. Before COVID, they made nursing home visits.

"They loved going," she said.

During the summer, Ashley went to the Hooper City Council and got permission to create a pollinator garden on a dike.

The garden has wildflowers that attract bees and butterflies, which serve as pollina-Like his wife, Abrahams points to the work tors and help the environment. A few club members helped plant seeds for the garden.

> Now, they're looking for new ideas for community service projects.

> Abrahams hopes the 4-H'ers can learn respect, leadership skills, the importance of community involvement and to be the best they can be through the projects and programs.

> "I hope they're learning that they can make a difference in somebody's day or somebody's life just by giving back to their community," Abrahams said.

> Last year, the club had 48 members from the Hooper and Scribner areas and Abrahams stresses that kids don't have to live on a farm to be in 4-H. They can participate in a variety of projects.

> Abrahams also serves on the Dodge County Fair Foundation, which has fundraisers to raise money that supports the annual fair. She was re-elected to the Dodge County 4-H Council.

> Looking back, Abrahams appreciates her early years in 4-H.

> "I don't know what I would have done, because I wasn't involved in sports or anything like that," she said. "4-H has been my life. I don't know what I would have done without



# Friends give back to 4-H Rathjen, Bouc now lead the Saddle & Surrey Plainsmen club

The Banner-Press

grew up and still live in Butler County, have stayed involved in where she grew up, but now she there," Rathjen. their childhood 4-H horse club, the owns a lot of her own horses. Saddle & Surrey Plainsmen.

her family owned horses, so she soon you count on your fingers and grew up riding.

said.

There's an argument to be made that Bouc carried the bug that bit Rathjen. Rathjen also lived on a farm growing up, but her family myself, but our 16-year-old didn't keep horses – at first, any-

"I begged and begged and begged

Corry Bouc and Esther Rathjen pretty much my parents caved and have been friends since the sixth finally bought me a horse," Rathjen grade and they've shared a passion said. "They get kind of tired of you for horses – and 4-H – almost as not being at home because you're always at your best friend's house, Rathjen and Bouc, both of whom who has lots and lots of horses."

"One rapidly turns into two and Bouc was raised on a farm and then morphs to four and pretty toes. ... I actually have two behind "I've had horses all my life," Bouc me right now," Rathjen said over the phone, headed to the vet for health certificates before a competition.

"I pretty much ride for pleasure we're all over the place with her," Rathjen said.

her daughter loves them the same way she does.

Rathjen may not compete anymore, but she did for several years.

"At about the age of 14, I started showing in local 4-H shows and

As children, Rathjen and Bouc were members of the Saddle & Surrey Plainsmen 4-H club, founded many years ago by members of a now-defunct adult horse club with Bouc owns personally, she keeps the same name.

While adult club is gone, the 4-H club remains, now led by Rathjen and Bouc.

These days, Rathjen said, the 4-H club is small with about eight active members.

"It's hard to keep horses. It's Rathjen said her two sons time-consuming," Rathjen said. "A be responsible for coming out sev-

horses, but don't have the space."

Some of the kids take part in a lease program that allows 4-H members to ride privately owned

Rathjen added that Bouc has, in Rathjen lives on the family farm a couple breed shows here and the past, leased horses to kids in town who can't have their own for whatever reason.

> Bouc said she started doing that about two decades ago.

On top of the 20 or so horses about five horses for her program. Bouc teaches kids how to work with them and in exchange, each kid must show for 4-H and is partially responsible for their horse's care.

The same goes for all of the Saddle & Surrey Plainsmen 4-H'ers.

"We have always had those kids

for a horse until I was 13, when couldn't care less about horses, but lot of kids want to be involved with eral times a week. They have to ride so many hours and come out and help do chores and vaccinations and deworming," Rathjen said.

They are often present when the farrier comes, Bouc added, and each kid helps pick out hooves.

"The whole process of caring for a horse is really educational," Bouc

Bouc said many of the skills they learn are applicable to all aspects of life. Bouc remembers one girl who started out being very timid and blossomed as she learned to care for her horse.

"She had no confidence. She was maybe 11 when she started and she was with me until she was 18," Bouc said. "Her balance was not the best, but the horse taught her. We don't just teach you to ride, you learn to live, how to hold your head up."

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Steve and Joan Ruskamp are shown at J & S Feedlot in rural Dodge.

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Family members look on while Gail Bopp
of Hooper is at the wheel of a tractor
with a grain cart.

ELSIE STORMBERG Luke Lambert poses for a picture on his family's farm in Greenwood, Nebraska, on Thursday, Aug. 13, 2020.

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156.73± ACRES IN HALL COUNTY, NE (Bidding ends at 10:00 A.M. CDT)

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**80± ACRES IN HALL COUNTY, NE** (Bidding ends at 12:00 P.M. CDT)

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> 620.73± ACRES IN GREELEY COUNTY. NE **SELLING IN 2 TRACTS**

(Bidding ends at 11:00 A.M. CDT)

327.48± ACRES IN HAMILTON COUNTY, NE **SELLING IN 2 TRACTS** 

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> 160± ACRES IN HOWARD COUNTY, NE (Bidding ends at 11:00 A.M. CST)

> 80± ACRES IN MADISON COUNTY, NE (Bidding ends at 12:00 P.M. CST)

> 116.87± ACRES IN POLK COUNTY, NE **SELLING IN 2 TRACTS**

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Nov. 16th 156.73± ACRES IN CUSTER COUNTY, NE (Bidding ends at 10:00 A.M. CST)

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