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**Parent questions why board not enforcing policy**  
By NICKI CLONING  
A parent who says her 10-year-old son was sexually abused by a teacher at a private school in the Kansas City area is questioning why the school board is not enforcing its policy on sexual abuse. The parent, who is not naming the school, says she was told by the school board that the teacher was not a threat to the safety of the other students and that the school was not required to report the incident to law enforcement. She says she is now questioning the school board's decision and is asking for more information about the school's policy on sexual abuse.

**missing mule!**  
After long summer, mule all but gone **PAGE 3A**

**Top Scout to discuss Spanish Peaks fire in Liberal tonight**  
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**Kan. lt. gov.: New exchange not competitive enough**  
By KATHLEEN O'NEILL  
The Kansas State Board of Education is considering a new exchange program for students to attend schools in other states. However, the Kansas lieutenant governor says the program is not competitive enough. He says that the program does not offer enough financial incentives to attract students from other states and that it does not provide enough support for the schools that would be receiving the students.

**Camera takes dramatic shot of eagle attack**  
By KATHLEEN O'NEILL  
A camera mounted on a tree in the Kaweah State Natural Area in the Sierra Nevada mountains has captured a dramatic moment in nature. The camera recorded an eagle attacking a deer. The eagle swooped down from the sky and landed on the deer's back, tearing at its flesh. The deer was injured but managed to escape the eagle's grasp.

**Youth football coaches face \$200 fine for running up the score**  
By KATHLEEN O'NEILL  
Youth football coaches in the Kansas City area are facing a \$200 fine for running up the score during games. The fine is part of a new rule that was implemented by the Kansas State Board of Education. The rule states that coaches are not allowed to run up the score if the game is over and the score is 20-0 or higher. The fine is intended to encourage coaches to play responsibly and to avoid unnecessary injuries to the players.