

**SMALL BUSINESS**  
**PLUS**  
**BUCK 500**

**The only substitute for good manners is fast reflexes.**  
**Come watch Mayor Spector's children with Mayor, & Spector's**  
**24 wives & 24 sons & 24 daughters & 24 granddaughters & 24 grandsons**  
**as they watch their 500th anniversary in a local restaurant.**

**Seward County**

**County to select board chair, vice-chair tonight**

BY JIM HICKSON  
Seward County

A board of directors will be selected for the Seward County Board of Commissioners at 7 p.m. tonight at the Seward County Courthouse in Seward. The board will select a chair and vice-chair for the next year.

**IN WITH THE NEW AT USD 480**

Tonight's meeting addresses buildings, bus fuel, state tests

BY JIM HICKSON  
Seward County

The USD 480 board of directors will meet at 7 p.m. tonight at the Seward County Courthouse. The agenda includes a report on the school's financial status, a discussion on bus fuel costs, and a presentation on state tests.



**Son of historic grocer authors book**

BY JIM HICKSON  
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Jim Hickson's father, Jim Hickson Sr., was a prominent grocer in Seward. Jim Hickson Jr. has written a book about his father's life and the history of the grocery business in Seward.

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**Romney accepts apology from MSNBC about grandson**

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Mitt Romney has accepted an apology from MSNBC regarding a comment he made about his grandson. Romney said he was "misquoted" and that the comment was "out of context."



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