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feet North and 1260 feet West of the Southeast corner of Section 16, Township 13 South, Range 2 East of the 6th P.M; thence North 200 feet; thence East 135 feet; thence South 200 feet; thence West 135 feet to the point of beginning. \$8004.32

L. Wilson (0 S. Willow St, Solomon)

A parcel of land situate in Lots 242 and 244 on Main Street in the Original Town I further ask the Court to isof Solomon, in the Southwest Quarter (SW1/4) of Section 18, Township 13 South, Range 1 East of the Sixth Principal Meridian, in the County, Kansas, more particularly described as fol-Northwest corner of said Lot 242 on Main Street; thence along the North line of said my knowledge. Lot 242 and the Easterly extension thereof, East, a dis- Merlene Kay Talley tance of 50.0 feet to the Petitioner Northeast corner of said Lot 244; thence along the East line of said Lot 244, South, a distance of 97.92 feet: thence North 70 degrees 17 minutes West, a distance of 53.11 feet, more or less, to a point on the East line of Willow Street; thence along said East line of Willow Street, North, a distance of 80.0 feet to the Point of Be-

(35) Richard W. Wilson and Carol S. Nelson and Jeffrey L. Wilson (0 S. Willow St, Solomon) A parcel of land situate in

\$160.94

Lots 228, 230, 232, 234, 236, 238 and 240 on Main Street in the Original Town of Solomon, in the Southwest Quarter (SW1/4) of Section 18, Township 13 South, Range 1 East of the Sixth Principal Meridian, in the City of Solomon, Dickinson County, Kansas, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the Northeast corner of said Lot 240; thence along the North line of said Lot 240 and the Westerly extension thereof, West, a distance of 155.0 feet; thence South 71 degrees 47 minutes 14 seconds East, a distance of 163.17 feet, more or less, to a point on the West line of Willow Street; thence along said West line of Willow Street, North, a distance of 51.0 feet to the Point of Beginning; EXCEPT all that part of Lots 234, 236, 238 and 240, on Main Street, in the Original Town of Solomon, Dickinson County, Kansas, lying North of the railroad right-of-way. \$108.54

JERRY DAVIS Sheriff of Dickinson County, Kansas

DOUG THOMPSON County Counselor for the Board of County Commissioners of Dickinson County, Kansas

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COURT OF DICKINSON COUNTY, KANSAS In the Matter of the Name Change of Merlene Talley

DK-2025-CV000063

**NOTICE OF HEARING** YOU ARE HEREBY NO-

TIFIED that the above-captioned case has been scheduled for Petition on June (26) Martin Spencer (100 26th, 2025 at 9:00 AM. This matter is to be heard in the District Court of Dickinson County, Kansas.

I desire to have my name changed to Merlene Kay Cooksey because I want my name to match my birth certificate. I am no longer mar-(27) Carey Stratton (404 ried and want my documents to reflect this.

This Petition is not made for Beginning at a point 230 the purpose of avoiding any debts, obligations or legal process nor is it made for the purpose of misleading or defrauding any person. The requested name change will not result in prejudice to any person.

> My best interests are served by the requested change in name.

I ask the Court to set this (34) Richard W. Wilson and matter for hearing and order Carol S. Nelson and Jeffrey service by publication, registered mail or certified mail, or, if appropriate, waive any requirements for service.

sue an order changing my name from Merlene Kay Talley to Merlene Kay Cooksey and for such other relief as the Court deems ap-City of Solomon, Dickinson propriate under the circumstances.

I affirm under penalty of lows: Beginning at the perjury that all statements in this Petition for Change of Name are accurate to best of

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In compliance with provisions of K.S.A. 25-4610(b)

This is a notice of a Public Demonstration of the ExpressVote, DS200 Digital Precinct Scanner, and the DS450 Optical Scan Machine to be held from 4:00pm to 4:30pm, Monday, July 7, 2025 in the Election/County Clerk's Office, Dickinson County.

A Post Election demonstration of the ExpressVote, DS200 Digital Precinct Scanner and the DS450 Optical Scan Machine to be held from 4:00pm to 4:30pm, Monday August 18, 2025 in the Election/County Clerk's Office, Dickinson County Courthouse.

Signed this 24th day of June, 2025. Jennifer Gaytan Dickinson County Election Officer



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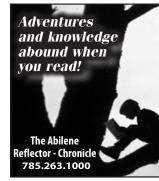
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#### MORE ON SHOWING MAJOR TWO-SUITERS

How responder shows a major two-suiter opposite a one-no-trump opening bid depends upon his high-card

Yesterday, we learned that if the uncontested auction starts one no-trump two clubs - two diamonds - two spades, the responder has shown five spades, four hearts and game-invitational values. What does he do with four spades, five hearts and that strength?

He responds two diamonds, a transfer to hearts, then rebids two spades, natural and game-invitational but nonforcing.

knows that his side does not have an eight-card majorsuit fit. But he has an excellent 16 points with three fantastic major-suit cards. So he moves toward game with three diamonds (not three no-trump!), wondering if South might be able to convert to three no-trump with a club stopper.

Here, though, South rebids three spades to show

♠ A 5 4 ♥ A K West ♣ 9 7 6 2 ♥ J 9 2 **♠** 8 3 **♥** 10 6 5 ♦ Q 8 7 ♣ J 10 4 ♦ K 10 3 ♣ A K Q 7 6 South ♠ K Q J 10 ♥ Q 8 7 4 3 **♦** 9 6 **♣** 5 2 Dealer: North Vulnerable: Both South West North East 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♥ Pass

North

his powerful four-card suit. And North goes for game in the 4-3 fit.

Opening lead: 🕭 J

Pass

All pass

West leads the club jack. What happens?

Pass 3 ♦

Pass 4 🏚

2 🏚

The best defense is three Here, this gives North, rounds of clubs. To make the opener, a problem. He the contract, South must discard a diamond, eliminating one inevitable loser without reducing his trump length. If East continues with a fourth club, declarer pitches a heart, ruffs or overruffs in the dummy, unblocks the heart ace-king, draws trumps, and claims when -whew! -- the hearts split 3-3.

Note that four hearts also makes because of the friendly break.

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