Steve Husted and Megan Hays

Couple

to wed

in June

Megan Renae Hays, daughter of

Gale and Ranelle Hays, rural

Almena, and Steve Husted, son of

Randy and Brenda Husted,

Almena, are engaged to be mar-

The bride-to-be is a 2002,

graduate of Northern Valley High

School and will graduate in May

from Fort Hays State University

Her fiancée is a 2004, graduate

of Northern Valley High School

and a 2005, graduate of North

Central Kansas Technical Col-

lege, Hays. He is employed at

Schult Manufacturing in

A June 17, wedding is being

planned at the First Church of God

Miss Hays is the granddaughter

of Charles and Eileen Gebhard,

rural Phillipsburg and Kenneth

The prospective groom is the

grandson of Darrell and Donna

Mintzmyer, Norton and Dean and

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OBITUARIES

Ellen N. Anderson April 19, 1913 - Jan. 26, 2006

The daughter of William Louis

Jr. and Carrie Rebecca (Hughes) Collins, she was born April 19, 1913, near Reager.

She attended the Reager School District and graduated from Norcatur Rural High School in 1931. She took further training and later taught school.

On Oct. 4, 1936, she and Ernest L. Anderson were married. They made their home on the Anderson family farm one mile west of Devizes. There they farmed and raised their family. In 1973, they moved into Norton. Mr. Anderson died Oct. 27, 1987. Following his death, Mrs. Anderson moved to Bella Vista, Ark. She returned to

Norton in 2004. She was very active in her church and spent 3,000 hours as a Red Cross volunteer at the Andbe Home. While in Arkansas, she also volunteered at the Gravette Medical Center until she was 90 years

Ellen Naomi Anderson, 92, died old. She loved to travel and saw Thursday at the Andbe Home in most of the United States especially when she accompanied her husband to many state and national soil conservation meetings.

> She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, one daughter-in-law, Linda Anderson, six brothers, Lewis, Elwood, Littleton "Pete", Theron, John, and Henry, and one sister, Minnie

Survivors include: her son, E. Louis Anderson, Norton; one sister, Effie Robbins, LaGrange, Calif.; three grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Friends may call from 3 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., Sunday at Enfield Funeral Home.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Monday at the funeral home with Pastor Terrill Worthington officiating. Burial will be in the Norton Cemetery.

Memorials have been suggested to the Andbe Home, 201 W. Crane, Norton, Kan. 67654.

Opal E. Mintzmyer Jan. 10, 1909 - Jan. 23, 2006

Opal Evalena (Montonye) and flowers. Mintzmyer, 97, died Monday at Norton County Hospital.

The daughter of Edward S. and Maude (Headberg) Montonye, she was born Jan. 10, 1909, in

She attended the Granite and Turner country Schools in the Long Island area.

On Feb. 19, 1936, she and Lester G. Mintzmyer were married in Phillipburg. They made their home in the Long Island area where they farmed. She was a homemaker on the farm until 1970, when she moved to Norton. Her hobbies included handcrafts

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, two brothers, and one sister-in law.

Survivors include: one son, Darrell and Donna Mintzmyer, Norton; one sister-in-law, Louise Montonye, Phillipsburg.

Funeral services were held Thursday at Enfield Funeral Home, Norton with burial in the Long Island Cemetery.

Contributions may be made to the Opal Mintzmyer Memorial Fund in care of the funeral home at 215 W. Main, Norton, Kan.

Arthur L. Sloan July 25, 1950 - Jan. 24, 2006

Lawrence, formerly of Norton, Assistant Pep Club Sponsor for 12 died at his home, Tuesday.

Mr. Sloan was born July 25,

T. and Anna

(Boyd) Sloan. He was a 1968, graduate

of Norton Community High School. He received a

bachelor's degree from Kansas State Uni-

versity in 1972, and also had graduate hours in education from the University of Kansas.

He was a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in Lawrence, the Lawrence Chapter of Kansas National Education Association and the Lawrence Retired Teachers' Asso-

Arthur Sloan

ciation. Mr. Sloan had taught English and the Humanities at Lawrence Christ of Latter Day Saints in High School for 33 years and retired in May 2005. He received Norton Cemetery, Norton, Monnumerous teaching awards, teach-day. ing 17 different courses in English

Arthur L. "Art" Sloan, 55, and the Humanities. He was the years and coached the Scholar's Bowl for 13 years. In May 1993, 1950, in Norton, the son of Arthur he was selected as the eighth recipient of the Allen Press Distinguished Teacher Award at the school. Mr. Sloan was recognized by the University of Kansas College of Liberal Arts and Sciences as a teacher who profoundly influenced his student's academic lives. At his retirement last year, Mr. Sloan said, "I loved teaching because it allowed me to learn from the literature, from students, and from my colleagues. I am proud to have been, and will continue to be, a Lawrence Lion. I have had great teaching partners and role models through my ca-

> He is survived by a brother, Howard Sloan, Hays; two sisters, Iris Kluber, Paola, and Dorothy Holmes, Rochester, NY.

> Funeral services will be at 3 p.m. Saturday, at the Church of Jesus Lawrence. Private burial will be in

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Jan. 20 — Mark Strong, Norton, probation violation, released Jan.

Jan. 23 - Rodney Hill, Wallace, holding for Sherman County for Depatment of Corrections, released Jan. 24.

Municipal Court

These transactions were taken from the records of filings in the offices of the Norton Municipal Court. The traffic and criminal cases were given to the paper with the date of the hearings.

Traffic

Jan. 6 — Heaven Norden, Norton, duty upon striking, duty to report, and no proof of insurance, fine \$200, court cost \$60.

Dec. 19 — Betty Rossouw, Norton, failure to use child safety restraints, fine \$20, court cost \$60.

District Court

These transactions were taken from the records of filings in the offices of the District Court clerk at the Norton County Courthouse. Traffic, criminal and wildlife parks cases are given to the paper when the fines are paid. Limited action and small claim cases are reported only after the defendant is served.

with a bachelor's degree in el-Traffic ementary education and a minor in

Oct. Jennifer Schamberger, Colby, driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs, first conviction, fine \$850, court cost \$60.

Nov. 17 — Kathleen Blackgoat, Gallup, N.M., speeding 79 in a 65 mph zone, fine \$54, court cost \$60.

Nov. 23 — Garry U. Wolf, Albuquerque, N.M., speeding 83 in a 65 mph zone, fine \$78, court cost

Craig and Julia Schemper, Prai-

rie View, are the parents of a son,

Drew Ellis, born Dec. 14 at the

Norton County Hospital. He

weighed 8 pounds 8 ounces and

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BIRTH

Nov. 27 — Terry Eugene Clark, Holton, speeding 78 in a 65 mph zone, fine \$48, court cost \$60.

Oberlin, failure to use child passenger safety restraints, fine \$20, court cost \$60.

Jan. 2 — Tarra L. Lahr, Jennings, speeding 77 in a 65 mph zone, fine \$42, court cost \$60.

Jan. 8 — Paulo Rubio Mercado, Grand Island, Neb., speeding 77 in a 65 mph zone, fine \$36, court cost

Jan. 16 — Patsy L. Bohl, Washington, driving with an expired registration and proof of insurance required, fine \$60, court cost \$60.

Limited Action

Dec. 14 — Here's Your Sign versus Galen and Bev Lauhead, dba Stride and Ride, Phillipsburg, unpaid debt of \$98.19, plus court cost and fees.

Dec. 15 — Capital One Bank Hays Medical Center. versus Patty A. Peterson, Norton, unpaid debt of \$488.93, plus court cost and fees.

Small Claims

Dec. 20 — Felton's Ace versus Ed Strickland, Norton, unpaid debt of \$429.85, plus court cost and fees.

Dec. 23 — Engel's Sales & Service Center versus Janell Robinson, Eldorado, unpaid debt of \$1,305.56, plus court cost and Dec. 23 — Engel's Sales & Ser-

vice Center versus Hope Deal, Norton, unpaid debt of \$230.82, plus court cost and fees.

Marriage

Jan. 1 — Jonathan Wayne Baker, Norton, and Cristy Marie Corbin, Norton.

Divorce

Dec. 22 — Jeanette Harris, Boxer. Norton, versus Michael Harris, York, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. Schemper have

Grandparents are Calvin and

Wanda Schemper, Prairie View

and John and Mary Ray, Abilene.

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sweet potatoes.

two other children, Isabelle and

Building Permits

Jan. 18 — Ila Marble, \$1,695, Dec. 24 — Nancy E. Robinson, Construct carport at 301 1/2 E. Crane St.

Ambulance

Jan. 17 — Stand-by at wrestling tournament.

Jan. 8 — Pickup flight crew from Eagle Medical at airport. Jan. 11 — Medical, Norton.

Jan. 14 — Trauma emergency, rural Norton.

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Jan. 15 — Trauma emergency, Almena.

Jan. 16 — Medical, Norton. Jan. 17 — Medical, Norton.

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Jan. 19 — Medical, Norton. Jan. 21 — Medical, Norton.

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tournament. Jan. 21 — Medical, Norton.

Jan. 22 — Stand-by at fire, ru-Medical, rural

Jan. 24 — Transfer from Hays

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The Duplicate Bridge Club met Wednesday evening at the Norton Manor for their regular weekly session with three tables present. Winners were: first, Dewaine Stapp and Leone Purton; and second, Mary Jane Wahlmeier and Joyce Sumner.

 Rotary Scholarship Soup Distribution will be from 2:30 to Supper, Jan. 31, Norton vs 3:30 p.m. Saturday at the library in Smith Center game, serving 5 to Clayton; and from 2 to 4 p.m. 7 p.m. at NCHS cafeteria. 1/27



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