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— PINOCHLE Tournament, 7 p.m. Sunday, May 21, Norton American Legion. 5/16

— Steak and seafood night, Thursday and Saturday, 6-9 p.m. American Legion. Members and guests. 5/16

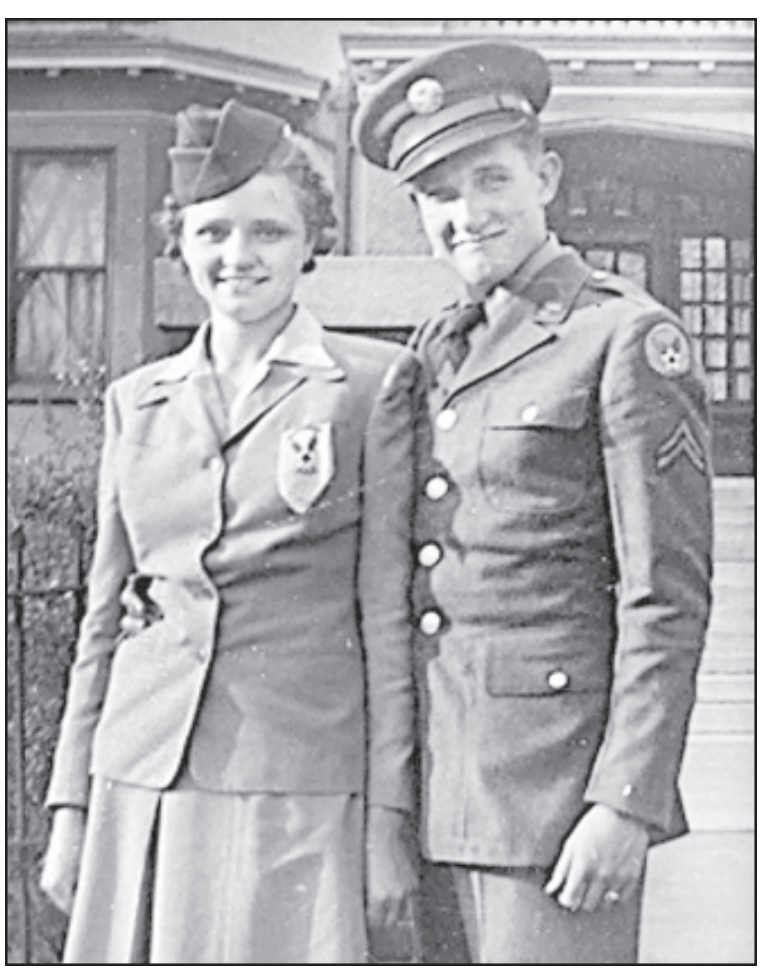
Local students who are degree candidates at Kansas Wesleyan University are Christina Coiner, Jennings and Elizabeth McDonald, Logan.

Dr. Karen Aldridge attended the Kansas Optometric Association Convention in Topeka April 27-29

CORRECTION

In the Friday, May 12, edition of *The Norton Telegram*, a story on the Norton School board meeting said the district presented an honorary diploma to Kenny Leiker Thursday. The diploma will be presented at the high school band concert and exhibit night tonight. This was a reporting error.

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The Norton Telegram will correct or clarify anything that is wrong in a news story. Call our office at 877-3361 to report errors. We believe news stories should be fair and factual, and want you to tell us about any failure to live up to this standard.



Ila and Dick De Witt circa 1946

Prairie View pair celebrates 60 years

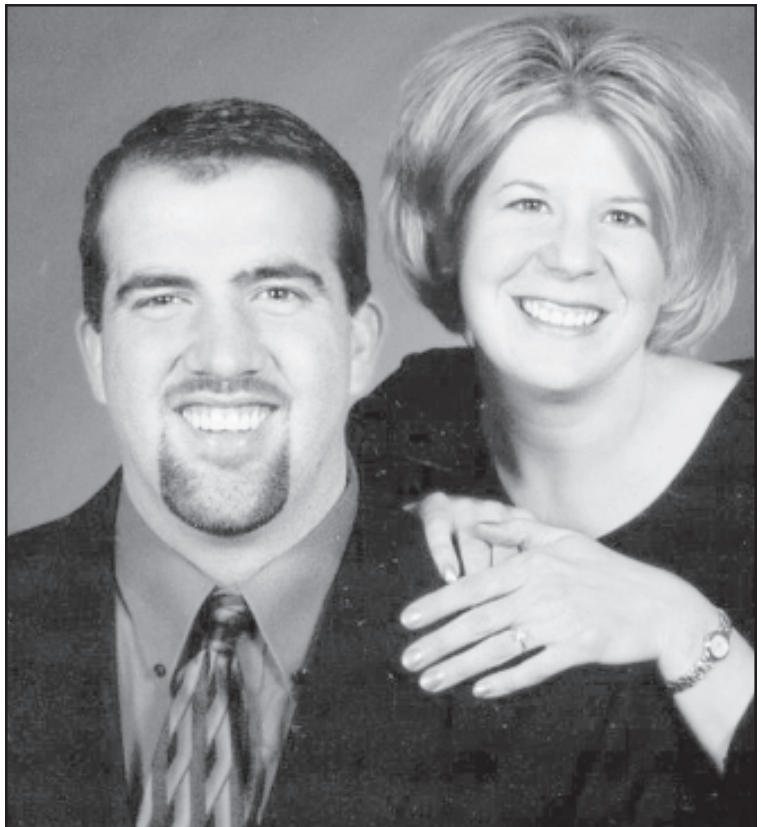
Dick and Ila De Witt of Prairie View will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary with an open house from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m., Saturday, May 20, at the Prairie View Community Center. The couple requests no gifts, please. Ila Greving and Dick De Witt were married on May 22, 1946, at the Prairie View Reformed Church in Prairie View by an uncle, the Rev. Everett De Witt. Their children are Jerry and Gloria De Witt, Dennis and Cathy De Witt, and Roger and Roxie De Witt, all of Prairie View; Kenneth and Doris Van Kooten of Holland, Mich. Jerald and Karen Huiting of Kensington; and Brian and Michelle De Witt of Hays. They have 20 grandchildren; and 17 great-grandchildren with another expected soon.



Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Smith (Yawna Moennich)

Yawna Moennich and Bryan Smith, both of Marysville, were married Jan. 28 in a double-ring ceremony, performed by the Rev. H. Dick Reynolds, Jr. The ceremony was held at the First Presbyterian Church, McPherson. Parents of the couple are Dennis and Helen Moennich, McPherson and Becky Smith, Norton, and the late David Smith. The bride was escorted to the altar by her father. She wore a halter-style ballgown of matte satin and tulle. The gown featured a beaded, lace applique on the bodice and the skirt, accompanied with a cathedral train. Her scalloped veil and headpiece was accented with Swarovski crystals and beads. She carried a bouquet of white roses accented with wine colored forget-me-nots. Wendi Longo from Frederick, Md., was the maid of honor and Lori Powell, McPherson and Maranda Smith, Olathe, served as bridesmaids. Their gowns were wine-colored satin dresses of their choice. They carried bouquets of white roses. Whitney Powell, McPherson, was the flower girl. She wore a

white matte satin dress and carried a basket with white and wine rose petals. Chad Allen, Olathe, served as best man. Groomsmen were Greg Smith, McPherson and Dustin Moennich, Salina. Kyle Smith, McPherson, carried the rings and Jesse Williams, Lawrence, was the usher. Honor Smith, McPherson, was the greeter/attendant and Amanda Hoover, McPherson, was the violinist. Following the wedding, a reception was held at The Upper Room, in McPherson. The couple will make their home at Blue Rapids. The bride is a graduate of Butler County Community College with an Associate of Science degree. She works for The Eye Doctors in Marysville. The groom is a graduate of Norton Community High School and of Kansas State University at Salina with a Bachelors of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering. He is an engineer for Titan Trailers of Waterville. The evening before the wedding, the groom's mother, Becky Smith hosted a rehearsal dinner at the Holiday Manor in McPherson.



Derek Sturtevant and Janeen Spatz

Couple plans to wed in June 10 ceremony

Janeen Spatz of Lincoln, Neb., and Derek Sturtevant of Milford, Neb., are planning a June 10 wedding at St. John's Catholic Church in Lincoln. Their parents are A. J. and Margaret Spatz of Seward, Neb., and Dennis and Glenda Sturtevant of Milford. Miss Spatz earned a degree in medical assisting from Southeast Community College in Lincoln. She is employed in the billing department with Consultants in Gastroenterology. Mr. Sturtevant earned an Associate of Applied Science degree in business administration from Southeast Community College and a bachelor's degree in business administration from Bellevue University in Lincoln. He is a claim representative with State Farm Insurance. He is the grandson of Martha Sturtevant of Norton and the late Warren Sturtevant and Margaret Gemachlich of Phillipsburg and the late LeRoy Gemachlich.

Address has changed, but not her spirit

Just FYI in case anyone hasn't heard — This is being written from a nursing home in Haysville where I am staying on a temporary basis.

Soon I hope to be moving to an assisted living complex in the KC area. So watch for a metropolitan correspondent in *The Telegram* when I get back on the internet. Meanwhile, my columns may be few, far between and short.

Living in a nursing home is certainly an interesting experience. To a background of one of the residents playing the piano while waiting for the afternoon ice cream social to begin, I am sitting at a table in the dining hall to type. Last night a local high school choir came to sing for us. Even the most impaired residents were tapping their toes and laughing.

Laughter abounds here although there are some sad cases. Our nurses and their aides are patient and cheerful under even trying circumstances.

Food is wonderful and is helping me regain some strength. The young administrator even pops in and serves trays and

Just a Chat

Liza Deines



seems to know every resident by name.

Among a multitude of activities are bingo, of course, balloon volleyball, many music and craft days, little van trips here and there as well as quiet sitting room time, exercise and fitness classes and Bible studies Soccer is also on the agenda but I haven't seen that yet and can only imagine what it's going to be.

While I regret having to leave Norton and all my dear old friends there, some decisions are in God's hands and must be accepted.

So here I am recovering, eating well, making new friends and looking forward to tomorrow.

Can't ask for much more. MY MAMA SAID: Might as well smile; it takes too much out of you to cry.

Quilters sew up the season with super salad supper

By BEVERLY KINDLER
Members of the Heritage Quilt Club enjoyed the annual Salad Supper on May 1 at the Long Island Community Building.

Show and Tell featured several special quilts — a Kansas University throw made by Cindy McMullen; a Turning Twenty quilt made by LaVonne Juenemann; a reversible Turning Twenty quilt made by Janet Mathes and a wall hanging with a "Red Hat" motif made by Janice Beale.

Fifteen members were recognized for piecing their blocks of the month into a quilt top. Names were drawn for prizes. The lucky winners were Lavon McCormack and Judy Carlyle.

Regina Stark, president, conducted the business meeting. To conclude the year, reports about the community service projects were presented. Kathie Skrdlant, committee chair, reported that 45 baby quilts had been made to be donated to the Norton County Hospital. Lois Myers, committee chair, reported that 15 lap robes had been made and donated to the hospital. Four quilts of valor had been made to be given to

soldiers. Pauline Poage reported that a variety of quilted items, made by the heritage Quilt Club members was on display at the Quilted Four Patch Quilt Shop in Smith Center during April and May.

Jan Volgamore, treasurer, reported that 80 registered for the Quilt Auction and that the receipts were about \$1,500 before expenses.

The following officers were elected for a two-year term: Jackie Rutherford, member-at-large; Janice Beale, co-secretary; Cindy McMullen, newsletter editor; and Beverly Kindler, publicity.

Mrs. Stark presented plans for the Summer Challenge which has two parts. UFOs (finishing unfinished projects) or Scraps Happen (using bits and pieces from previous projects). These will be featured at Show and Tell at the next meeting which is Sept. 12.

Miss Kindler presented the program with an illustrated review of the book, "The Quilt That Walked To Golden".

Hostesses for the meeting were Freda Weyand Jackie Rutherford, Jamie Dreher, Connie Miller and Cheryl Roberts.

Norton nursing home earns zero deficiency award

The Andbe Home was honored April 26 with an Award of Merit from the Kansas Association of Homes and Services for the Aging. The awards ceremony was part of the nonprofit association's annual spring convention held in Wichita at the Airport Hilton.

Awards of Merit are presented to association members receiving three or fewer deficiencies on the annual survey conducted by the Kansas Department on Aging. The

Andbe Home received zero deficiencies on their most recent survey.

Earning the award places the Andbe Home among the top 10 percent of long-term care organizations in Kansas.

MARKETS

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HANSEN MUSEUM

By SHIRLEY HENRICKSON, Director

This was a busy weekend in Logan. We had Mother's Day celebrations, graduations, the annual Logan Alumni Banquet and the opening of the Logan Historical Museum.

Omer Knoll, our featured exhibitor, grew up in Victoria. One of the sculptures is of his 89-year-old grandfather. Another of Mr. Knoll's sculptures is of Captain Wyatt, one of his first professional sculpture commissions. While the sculptor was a graduate student at Fort Hays, Captain Wyatt, a retired state trooper, was a security guard at the college.

Come in and check out the beautiful pine wood benches, chairs and tables of our Artist of the Month, Raymond Juhl of Miller, Neb. The Joy of Painting class will be

held Saturday and Sunday, June 3 and 4 from 9 a.m. to noon and 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.. Water Aerobics class will start June 13 and run every Tuesday and Thursday through Aug 3.

KENNEY LEIKER'S GOING AWAY PARTY

Kenney is moving to Hays, so come help us say goodbye to a friend from the whole community and the #1 Blue Jay Booster

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Live Music and Dance by Larry and LeAnn
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