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THE NORTON TELEGRAM

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Tuesday
April 17, 2007

A prom story

Norton, Kansas
Home of Norman Nelson

Briefly
Annual pie sale
set for Thursday

The annual pie sale, sponsored by the Mid-Century Federated Clubs, will begin at 9:30 a.m. Thursday morning at the Norton Senior Center. The club will be serving free coffee.

Flowers need
help to grow

Volunteers and monetary donations are needed by the Norton Flower Committee as they prepare to beautify downtown Norton for the spring and summer. The committee's treasurer, Jean Williams, said the group welcomes new volunteers and money is always appreciated. Donations will be used to buy garden hoses, annual flowers and gardening supplies. To volunteer or make a donation, call Mrs. Williams at 877-2894.

Benefit will aid
Peterson family

Don Peterson, Norton, suffered a massive heart attack April 4. He is hospitalized in Kearney.

A benefit for Don and Karen Peterson will take place from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., and again from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Wednesday, in the Pamida parking lot. On the menu will be pork burgers, South Dakota Bohemian red wieners with sauerkraut, chips and Pepsi. Admission is by free-will donation. Donations will also be accepted at the Norton Area Chamber of Commerce office. For more information, contact Marvin Matchett at 785-877-3378 or the Norton Area Chamber of Commerce at 785-877-2501.

Art contest
to draw children

An art contest for children in grades three through six is being sponsored by the Norton Eagles Lodge. The entries must follow the theme "What I Like Best About My Home Town" and be turned in no later than April 25. To enter, contact Sandy Smith, 874-4841.

Weather
Forecast:

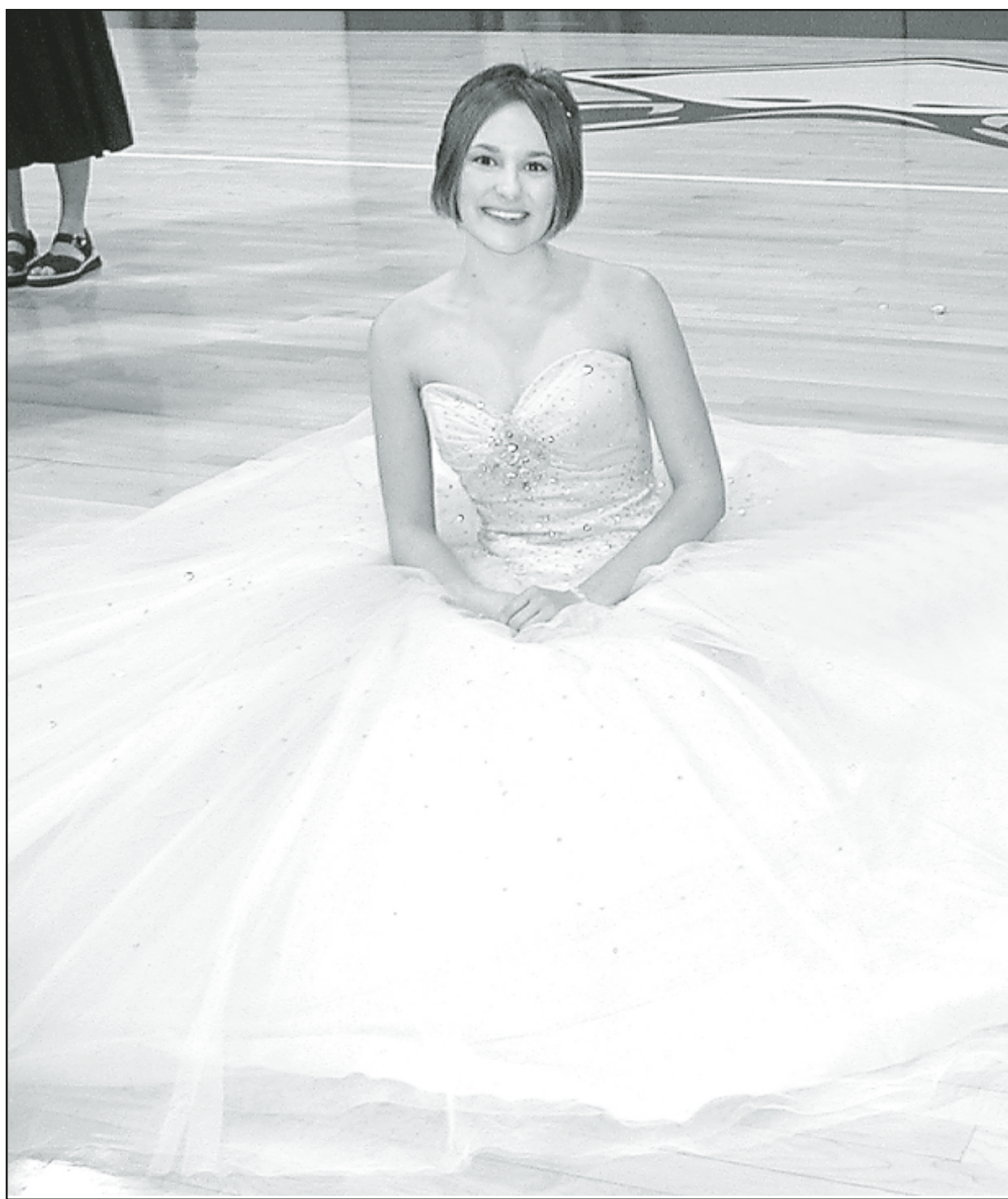
Tonight — Partly cloudy with lows around 40. **Wednesday** — Partly cloudy with a high near 69. **Wednesday Night** — Partly cloudy with a low around 47. **Thursday** — High near 67.

Kingham report:

Friday Low 32, High 43
.60 Rain, 3" Snow
Saturday Low 30, High 60
Sunday Low 34, High 70
Monday Low 39, High 75
(Readings taken at the Kingham farm
9 miles northwest of Norton)

Prayer

Dear God, as we lay ourselves down to sleep, help us to trust you to love and care for us. **Amen**



Karlynn Kent (above) looked like a princess in a frothy foam of chiffon and tulle. An odd couple (right) for sure were Jared Cox holding Aaron VanDerWege.



Promenading with style

By CAROLYN PLOTTS
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Decked out in their best finery, Norton Community High School juniors and seniors promenaded into Stull Gymnasium Saturday evening for Prom 2007. The prom theme was "Remembering Someone Like You."

The grandstands were filled with parents, friends and family to watch the parade of young men and women participating in the annual spring ritual. As the young people entered the gymnasium it was apparent that this year's formals were
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—Telegram photos by Carolyn Plotts

Committee recommends
deed transfer for Manor

By VERONICA MONIER
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The Norton City Council will be receiving a request from the Finance Committee to deed the property the Norton Manor's car port is on to the Norton Housing Authority.

The property needs to be deeded to the housing authority because it receives money from the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), which requires it.

City Administrator Rob Lawson asked if it was just the property the car port is on that needs to be deeded.

City Attorney Karen Griffiths said it was. She said the city also owned the property south of the Manor, across the street.

Mr. Lawson said he had been trying to contact HUD to get Horace Greeley Ave. released to the city. That way, he said, the city will be responsible for maintaining it, not the housing authority.

Councilman Ron Briery, who is on the Finance Committee, asked Mrs. Griffiths if the quitclaim deed needed to go through the full council.

She said it did; this is something the council needs to approve.

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School district's concrete
getting face-lift this summer

By VERONICA MONIER
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Some of the Norton School District's concrete will be getting a face-lift.

At a special meeting to look at bids for concrete work Monday afternoon, Superintendent Greg Mann told the Norton School Board that they received one bid for concrete work from Scott Evans Contracting.

The bid, which totaled \$54,982.50 for four areas, was about \$15,000 less than the board budgeted, he said.

The four projects are:

- the south half of the north high

school/junior high parking lot for \$40,000, which includes curb, gutter, slab, and sidewalk work;

- curb, gutter and sidewalk work at Eisenhower Elementary for \$1,920;

- gutter and sidewalk work on the north side of the Memorial Gym parking lot and the south side of the boiler room for \$4,647.50; and

- the Bishop driveway slab in the south high school parking lot for \$8,415.

The bid specifies that work will begin on June 10 and will be finished by

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BB gun team wins
state championship

By DICK BOYD

The Norton County Rotary BB Gun team lived up to their long winning tradition by earning the championship of the 42nd annual Kansas Jaycees State BB Gun Championships on Saturday in Manhattan and receiving a berth in the upcoming international shoot.

Norton has now won the state shoot 37 times and the international shoot eight times, more than any other team in the world.

The top three teams from each state shoot qualify for competition in the Daisy/Jaycees International BB Gun Championships which will be held again this year in Bowling Green, Ky., on June 29 through July 1.

The Norton Yellow team won the championship with a shooting score of 1,820 and written test score of 462 for a total score of 2,282.

Placing second was the Manhattan Purple team with a shooting score of 1,756 and written test score of 468 for a total score of 2,224.

In third place was the Ark City No. 1 team with a shooting score of 1,726, written test score of 416 and total score of 2,142.

The Wyandotte County team had a total score of 2,222, which would have placed them in third place but the entire team was com

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Young girl and boy marksmen and their coaches are shown on the firing line as they competed from the sitting position during the Kansas Jaycees State BB Gun Championships on Saturday in Manhattan.

—Telegram photo by Dick Boyd