

OBITUARIES

Henry Daniel Casey July 13, 1926 - Dec. 11, 2008

Henry Daniel Casey died on Dec. 11, 2008 in Lakewood, Colo. He was born on July 13, 1926 in Norton.

He attended grade school in Norton and graduated from Norton High School in 1944.

He enlisted in the U.S. Army Air Corps in March 1944 and was sent to Keesler Field in Mississippi. In 1945, he was sent to Lowry Field in Colorado to be a bombsite and autopilot repairman. He was honorably discharged in October 1946.

He returned to Norton to work on a pipeline for Kansas-Nebraska National Gas Company.

He graduated in 1951 from St. Benedict's College in Atchison, majoring in English and minoring in Education.

He married Mary Theresa

Campbell on Dec. 27, 1952 in St. Vincent's Catholic Church in Kansas City, Mo. They lived there until 1955, when they moved to their home in Denver. He worked for Union Carbide, The Glen L. Martin Company, State Farm Insurance, The City and County of Denver — where he was chief buyer — and he retired from Jefferson County Schools as Director of Purchasing in 1991. He was active in the U.S. Coast Guard Reserve from 1963 to 1986, retiring as a captain.

His interests included golfing, hunting, reading, and spending time with his family and friends.

He is survived by his wife, Mary T. Casey; children Mary Kathleen (Ben) Longoria, Brian Daniel (Ruthie) Casey, Den-

nis Montague (Twylla) Casey and Theresa Ann Casey; grandchildren Ben (Kelly) Longoria, Daniel Casey, Erin Casey, David Longoria, Andrew Casey, Patrick Casey and Matthew Casey; great-grandchild Christian Ramirez; sister Mary Knutson; nieces Mary Ann Knutson, Amy (Brian) Goyette, Bailey Goyette; great nephew Levi Goyette; and dear friend Norman Walter.

Mass of Christian burial was held Dec. 24 at the Notre Dame Catholic Church. Interment took place at Fort Logan National Cemetery, with a reception at Notre Dame Catholic Church following.

Donations may be sent to Benedictine Scholarship Fund, 1020 N. 2nd Street, Atchison, Kan. 66002

John Edward Liddle June 21, 1927 - Dec. 27, 2008

John Edward Liddle, son of Chester Oliver and Mary Marie (Thomas) Liddle, was born June 21, 1927, in Cannonsburg, Pa., and died at his home in Norton on Dec. 27, 2008, at the age of 81.

He attended school in Hill Station, Pa., before moving to Ohio with his family in 1939. He served in the U.S. Army and was discharged in 1947. In 1958, John and Helen Robben were united in marriage in Norton, where they owned

and operated the dry cleaner and laundry business for many years. They had also owned and operated the A&W Restaurant and the Colonial Lounge in Phillipsburg. His wife, Helen, died Oct. 29, 2008.

John was a member of the Harmonson-Redd American Legion Post #63 for 50 years and greatly enjoyed cooking.

Survivors include: one son, Dean and wife, Donna Liddle, Phoenix, Ariz.; two grandchildren, Ryan and Melissa; two

sisters, Betty Morse, Hadely, Mass., and Mary Fryburger, Mantua, Ohio; other relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his wife, and one brother.

Military graveside services and inurnment will be Monday, Jan. 5 at 1:30 p.m. at the Norton Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the St. Francis Catholic Church Roof Fund.

Funeral arrangements are by Enfield Funeral Home.

Ronald Lynn Schneider Sept. 7, 1962 - Dec. 19, 2008

Ronald Lynn Schneider, 46, of Prairie View, died Friday, Dec. 19, 2008 at his home.

He was born on Sept. 7, 1962 at the Phillips County Hospital in Phillipsburg to Wayne D. and Wanda F. (Nyland) Schneider.

He attended elementary school in Prairie View and went to high school in Logan, working part time for Van Diest Whole Sale. Following graduation, he attended Northwest Kansas Technical School in Goodland for auto mechanics. He worked for W. S. Kats farms and then for Kyle Railroad, where he started in maintenance of way, went into the transportation departments, worked as a locomotive electrician and ended up as a signal maintainer.

He enjoyed riding his Harley to different parts of the country. He liked to go camping, hunting and fishing. He enjoyed working on his farm, especially during harvest time when he was running his combine. He cherished all the time he could spend with

his son, Austin, his family and his friends. He was really happy when he could take the kids for a ride in the combine or tractor. He never knew a stranger and was always willing to help a person out at a moment's notice.

He was not only a kind-hearted man, but a strong-willed man, too; he courageously battled cancer for many years.

He was preceded in death by his maternal grandparents, Ray and Angeline Nyland, and his paternal grandparents, Fred and Alma Schneider.

He is survived by his son, Austin Schneider, Prairie View; his parents, Wayne and Wanda Schneider, Prairie View; and brothers, Randy and wife Camie Schneider, Phillipsburg and Dave and wife Edie Schneider, Logan. He has many cousins, nieces, nephews and friends.

Funeral services were held Dec. 22 at the Prairie View Reformed Church in Prairie View with Rev. Jeff Van Der Weele officiating. Burial followed at

the Prairie View Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Austin's Education Fund, Hospice Services, or Prairie View Reformed Church.

Olliff-Boeve Memorial Chapel, Phillipsburg, handled arrangements.

Card of Thanks

Words cannot begin to express the gratitude we feel for the many kind gestures of sympathy we've received since Ron's death. Your prayers, cards, calls, food brought by, and the flowers and memorial gifts have truly been appreciated. The loving support shown by friends and neighbors during Ron's illness and since his passing has brought us comfort and given us strength.

Very special thanks to Hospice Services for their compassion and assistance, and also to the Prairie View community and women of Prairie View Reformed Church for providing lunch before the service.

The Family of Ron Schneider

Frieda Seabolt

May 24, 1918 - Dec. 26, 2008

Frieda Seabolt, WaKeeney, died on Dec. 26, 2008 at Trego County Lemke Long Term Care at the age of 90.

She was born on May 24, 1918 in Washburn, Mo., to Ernest Hayden and Tressie Laduska (Birdsong) Lawson.

She married Everett Seabolt on July 27, 1935 in Ramona, Okla.

She was preceded in death by

her husband, Everett; one infant son, three brothers, one grandson, Dan Seabolt; and two infant grandsons.

Survivors include her sons, Charles Seabolt, Kismet; Carl Seabolt, Benkelman, Neb., and Bill Seabolt, Colony; daughters Deloris Dinkel, Morland; and Joyce Anderson, Norcat, 16 grandchildren, 42 great-grand-

children and 12 great-great-grandchildren.

The funeral was today at Stinemetz Funeral Home in Hill City with Rev. Judy Stricker presiding.

Burial was at the Norcat, Cemetery.

Memorials may be sent to Trego County Lemke Long Term Care in WaKeeney.

Healthy snacks for New Year's Eve

Cook's Corner Liza Deines



Preheat oven to 250 degrees. Melt butter in a 10x16 pan, stir in all spices, Worcestershire sauce and lemon juice. Add cereals, crackers, pretzels and toss to coat evenly. Bake for 45 minutes, stirring every 15 minutes. Spread on paper towels to cool. Store in airtight container. Makes about ten cups.

You will notice that specific brands are mentioned in this recipe. These are the lowest sodium choices, important for those on low sodium diets. Real butter is used for flavor and to avoid the water whipped into most margarines. Draining the mix on paper towel removes some of this fat but not the flavor it imparts. If nuts are allowed, add half a cup of unsalted, dry-roasted peanuts or plain slivered almonds. A serving of half a cup has less than 100 calories, about 120 grams sodium and only 5 grams of fat.

Both low fat and whipped cream cheese can provide some healthier alternatives to those chunks of ham and cheese on picks. Here are some finger food yummys that won't stick to your ribs forever after.

Into one 8 ounce carton of whipped or a softened block of low fat cream cheese mix —

- Four tablespoons very well-drained crushed pineapple (canned in its own juice), two teaspoons finely shredded Cheddar cheese, and two tablespoons sesame seeds;

• One small can of chopped shrimp, two minced green onions (with some of the green) and half a teaspoon Old Bay seafood seasoning;

• Two tablespoons each very finely diced green and red peppers, teaspoon chopped jalapeno pepper, two tablespoons of white shoe peg corn, a drop or two of hot sauce;

• Six chopped, dried apricots, one teaspoon honey mustard, six drops of juice from canned jalapenos, two teaspoons Grape Nuts cereal;

• Half a cup chopped dried cranberries, two teaspoons fresh orange zest, two teaspoons shredded apple;

Form into small balls, roll in crushed corn flake crumbs if you'd like. Serve promptly so cereals don't go soggy. Please note these use no nuts, no salt, no bacon and very little sugar.

And a final favorite that looks pretty on a party platter. Use Red Bliss potatoes about the size of ping pong balls. Parboil in the jackets until just tender, then carefully hollow out the tops with a melon baller tool or a demitasse spoon. Mix potato "innards" with low fat sour cream, chopped hard boiled egg, snipped chives, garlic powder and a few drops of Tabasco sauce. Serve chilled.

Best tip of all -- don't head for the goodies the minute you hit the party. The longer you wait to begin, the better the snacks will taste and the less time you'll have to go back for seconds!

HAPPY NEW YEAR! I am back in my apartment at the Carlyle in Lee's Summit as of Dec. 19 and I can guarantee you, it's a happy new year for me!

Club learns about Santa artist's history

By Beverly Kindler
Special to The Telegram

GINNE COCANNON was hostess to 14 members of Mid-Century GFWC at her beautifully decorated home on the evening of Thursday, Dec. 11 for the club's annual Yuletide Tasting Party. The lovely appointed tea table was filled with holiday goodies ranging from Danish Pastry, cranberry salads, cheese balls with assorted crackers, cookies and candies of all varieties. Beverly Kindler was co-hostess for this fun gathering.

Miss Kindler called the meeting to order. This year in place of exchanging Christmas gifts, each member made a monetary gift of \$5. The money was used for the postage for the shoe-boxes of toys sent to the Operation Christmas Child, a project of Samaritan's Purse. The remainder of the money will be donated to the Norton Ministerial Alliance.

Geraldine Packer gave her

report from the GFWC Kansas Clubwoman News. She reminded us "Each Day Is A Gift." Miss Kindler reported from the GFWC Clubwomen concerning shingles. She stressed that everyone over 60 years of age should get the shingles vaccine that is now available.

Miss Kindler reviewed the book "Memories of Christmas" by Pipka. Pipka is a lady that came to America when she was five years old from a displaced persons camp in Hamburg, Germany. They arrived in Boston, boarded a train for three days and three nights until they arrived at the little town of Michigan, N.D., which they felt was the most wonderful place in the world. She tells that her parents gave her the most beautiful memories of Christmas and she now continues traditions of her heritage with her own family.

As a child, Pipka decided that she wanted to paint a Santa Claus

for her mother. This early effort sparked an interest in Santas and she has researched them and their stories and traditions around the world. She found that every country has a gift-bringer, a "Santa Claus" with their own customs and traditions making him uniquely their own. She now designs Old World Santas, angels and Madonnas for the enjoyment of collectors around the world.

Prizm Inc., a Manhattan company, is the distributor of the figurines Pipka designs.

The figurines are produced in Taiwan. Miss Kindler shared with the group her collection of beautiful Pipka Santas.

Roll call was answered with "What is your favorite holiday tradition." The next meeting will be Jan. 8, 2009 with Miss Kindler hostessing and Carolyn Applegate co-hostessing. Volunteer hours will be reported and there will be officer elections.

Dec. 24- Dec. 31

Showing at the

NORTON THEATRE

YES MAN

(PG-13) Premiere, 1 Hour, 47 Minutes

BEDTIME STORIES

(PG) Premiere, 1 Hour, 51 Minutes - in Digital Surround Sound

Thurs.-Fri.-Sat: 7:00 and 9:05 p.m.
Sunday: 5:00 and 7:05 p.m.
Mon., Wed. 7 p.m.; Tues. 5 p.m.

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(PG-13) 1 Hour, 37 Min.
Wed Christmas Eve Only

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BOTH MOVIES ARE THE PREMIERE PRICE OF \$7-\$6 (NO DISCOUNTS THIS SUNDAY)

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website: nortontheatre.com

This ad is brought to you by The Norton Telegram

Lawrence 'Wayne' Wiltfong Sept. 18, 1930 - Dec. 26, 2008

Lawrence "Wayne" Wiltfong, 78, of Norton, died Friday, Dec. 26, 2008 at the Good Samaritan Hospital in Kearney.

A memorial service will be announced at a later date as cremation has taken place. A message of condolence, tribute or memory can be left at www.hlmortuary.com. Horner-Lieske-Horner Mortuary of Kearney is in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Wiltfong was born on Sept. 18, 1930 on a farm in Norton County to Floyd and Ruth (Butler) Wiltfong and was a lifetime resident of the Norton area. He attended rural school in Norton County and was a graduate of Norton Community High School. He then attended Kansas State University where he received a Bachelor's degree in Animal Science and Industry. While in college, he was a member of

the ROTC Rifle team, Chaparral Club and participated on the rodeo team.

He married Lottie F. (Hawk) Harman on March 17, 1989 in Honolulu, Hawaii. He was a petroleum distributor for the Mobil Oil Company and owned the Wiltfong Service Station in Norton until he retired in the late 1990's.

He was a member of the First Church of God in Norton, an avid lifetime member of the National Rifle Association and Founder and Trailblazer of the National Rifle Association Whittington Center in Raton, N.M. He enjoyed sharing his love for the outdoors and firearms with his children and grandchildren. Fishing, hunting, local excursions to the shooting range and trips to Raton were among his favorite activities.

He was preceded in death by

his parents, Floyd and Ruth Wiltfong.

Survivors include his wife, Lottie, Norton; a daughter, Linda Baldwin, Wichita; two step-daughters, Patricia Heeke, Spearville and Karen Seyler, Spearville; a son, Kevin Wiltfong, Norton; a step-son, Todd Harman, Inman; a sister, Pansy Price, Norton; and five grandchildren, 11 step-grandchildren, and several great-grandchildren.

CITY OFFERS SAFE RIDE HOME!



Individuals in the City of Norton may request a free ride home from local establishments serving alcohol on New Year's Eve. Individuals are encouraged to use this program to allow a safe ride home without incident or harm to themselves or others. For a Safe Ride Home, call 202-0952.

SPONSORS OF THIS SAFE RIDE HOME INCLUDE:
City of Norton; I.O.O.F. Lodge #157, Western Distributing, Craig Krizek D.D.S., Eagles Lodge, Nex-Tech, Ebke's Liquor, Norton Homestore

READERS

— The American Legion will not be open for dinner on Thursday, Jan. 1.

Call us today at 877-3361 for tips or story ideas

FYI

Please join Edwin Trueblood in celebrating his 90th birthday. His children and grandchildren will host a reception at First United Methodist Church in Norton from 2 to 4 p.m. on Jan. 3. Cards can be sent to: 11999 US Hwy 36 Norton, Kan. 67654.