

OBITUARIES

Phyllis M. Annon

Aug. 2, 1937 - May 8, 2010

Phyllis M. (Walker) Annon, wife of Robert Annon, was born August 2, 1937, in Lenora, and passed away at the Norton County Hospital on Saturday at the age of 72.

Phyllis grew up in Lenora and attended the Lenora schools. She was presently married to Robert Annon.

They were married on August 23, 1992 and lived in Hutchinson until moving to Norton. Previously, she had been married to John Jimenez on August 9, 1957. She had been employed at the Port of Entry in Norton.

Phyllis was a member of the Norton Church of God.

She is survived by her husband, Robert Annon; two sons and three daughters; four step-sons; one step-daughter; one brother, Max Walker, Meeker, Okla.; and one sister, Virginia Morris, McPherson.

She was preceded in death by her parents and first husband, John Jiminez.

Services will be held Friday at 10 a.m. at the Norton Church of God. Terry Worthington will be officiating. Friends may call at Enfield Funeral Home on Thursday from 3-8 p.m.. Condolences can be left at Enfield Funeral Home's Web site, www.enfieldfh.com

James V. Jansonius

Nov. 8, 1927 - May 4, 2010

James Vernon "Jim" Jansonius was born Nov. 8, 1927 in Prairie View to John and Mary (Lapoire) Jansonius.

He died May 4 at the Mitchell County Hospital in Beloit at the age of 82.

As a young man, he enlisted in the U.S. Navy and served during World War II as a fireman, first class aboard the USS Richard B. Anderson. He was honorably discharged in August, 1946.

Jim drove a truck for Farmland Industries in Phillipsburg and retired after 30 years of dedicated service.

He had a passion and great love for horses and was a lifelong horseman.

Preceding him in death were:

his parents; two brothers, Bill and Bob Jansonius; one sister, Ann Morgan; and one grandson.

He is survived by his son, Brad Jansonius and his wife Emma, Meade; daughters Sherida Warner and husband Joe, Grand Junction, Colo.; Laurie Hall and husband Don, Kingman; and Sherisa Wood and husband Kalvin, Phillipsburg; one brother, Garrit Jansonius, Phillipsburg; sisters Annette Hein, Troy, Mich., and Elsie Allen, Centennial, Colo.; 11 grandchildren; one great-grandchild; and his companion Pat Jansonius, Downs. Services were held May 8 at 10:30 a.m. at Olliff-Boeve Memorial Chapel in Phillipsburg. Burial with military honors was at Pleasant View Cemetery in Logan.

Celebrating music



The Norton Junior High School choir participated in the Let's Celebrate Music performance at East Campus on May 7. The high school, junior high school and Jay Singers performed various dances and songs during the concert. —Telegram photo by Harriett Gill

Public Record

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
April 22—Matthew Rutkowski, Addison, Ill., failure to use head lights when required and illegal tag. Fine \$30, court cost \$75.

April 22—Blake Van Eaton, Norton, improper parking, fine \$30, court cost \$75.

April 22—Benjamin Tallent, Norton, failure to use child safety restraints, two counts, fine \$120, court cost \$75.

April 22—Greg Ernesti, West Point, Neb., speeding 30 in a 20 mph school zone, fine \$100, court cost \$75.

April 22—Karen Brickham, Severance, Colo., speeding 30 in a 20 mph school zone, fine \$100, court cost \$75.

April 22—Dean Holkan, Odesa, Neb., speeding 30 in a 20 mph school zone, fine \$100, court cost \$75.

April 22—Bryce Bird, Almena, failure to report accident, inattentive driving, duty on striking property, obstruction of driver's view, and reckless driving.

April 22—Bryce Bird, Almena, speeding 30 in a 20 mph school zone, fine \$100, court cost \$75.

April 29—Matthew Carlton, Norton, failure to stop at stop sign and failure to have a driver's license. Fine \$100, suspended for community service. To scrape loose paint and repaint city bridge on Taft by June 30, 2010, court cost \$75.

April 29—Rhonda Colip, Norton, expired registration, fine \$200, court cost \$75.

April 29—Michael Johnson, Norton, failure to use seat belt. Between the age of 14 and 17. Dismissed as only 13 years old.

April 29—Jay Schimpe, Johnston, Colo., speeding 29 in a 20 mph school zone, fine \$100, court cost \$75.

April 29—Kendra Merchant, Norton, failure to use child safety restraints, fine \$60, court cost \$75.

April 29—Lois Ford, Selden, failure to provide verification of insurance, fine \$300, court cost \$75.

April 20—Michael Crawford, Norcat, failure to use seat belt, child between the age of 14 and

17. Fine 75, court cost \$75.
April 29—Richard Raffaeli, Grand Island, Neb., speeding 32 in a 20 mph school zone, fine \$124, court cost \$75.

Criminal
April 22—Todd Zink, Norton, dog at large. To be dismissed if proof of shots and tag purchased. Fine \$25, court cost \$75.

April 29—Anthony Simants Norton, domestic battery and obstructing official duty. Pled not guilty. Trial set.

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.

Traffic
April 15—Johnathan R. Essex, Almena, speeding 68 in a 55 mph zone, fine \$48, court cost \$86.

April 15—Shane M. Gosselin, Menlo, speeding 86 in a 65 mph zone, fine \$99, court cost \$86.

April 15—Sheena M. Irish, North Platte, Neb., speeding 74 in a 65 mph zone, fine \$40, court cost \$86.

April 15—Joseph Harry Nelson, Ft. Carson, Colo., speeding 90 in a 65 mph zone and failure to wear seat belt, fine \$165, court cost \$86.

Wildlife & Parks
April 29—Elijah D. Hoagland, failure to have turkey tagged, fine \$257.50, court cost \$86.

April 29—Timothy Prickett, Attica, Ind., failure to have turkey tagged, fine \$257.50, court cost \$86.

Found
May 9—Female Shih Tzu mix, peach, KQNK Road, Norton.

Summertime A' Comin'

"School's out, school's out, the teachers let the mules out!" There is raucous singing, laughter and horseplay in the ranks as we march along, brown bag lunches swinging, clear downtown to the county courthouse lawn for the last day of school picnic. Hearing our happy hubbub some people come out on their porches to wave and smile as we pass.

Miss Swigget is sitting out on her porch swing, crocheting, and we all wave and call to her. She likes all us kids even when we're noisy.

Long blocks behind us, the city grade school sits abandoned, anticipating Mr. Gunkel's summer ministrations with mops, brooms and paint. Mr. G is our grumpy old custodian that has never smiled, as far as any of us know, perhaps because he has no teeth.

This morning we all had to help Mr. G by cleaning out the rats' nests in our desks and wiping them down with wet rags. Teachers checked each desk and several boys and one girl got into bad trouble for carving initials on their desk tops. Not me, though. I know better than to damage school property. Dad would skin me alive if I got into trouble at school.

Now we're going by the one apartment building in town, next is my friend Gwen's house and at

Child of the '40s

Liza Deines



last we reach the fishpond at the corner of the courthouse block.

Some of us hang over the rail around the pond to watch the big fat goldfish dart in and out among the water lilies floating on the surface. A bunch of mean boys head over to the corner of the courthouse where barred windows mark the jail where they jeer and holler at the prisoners.

My friends and I would rather watch goldfish and then wander over to Main Street corner where the War Memorial stands. Some of our classmates have father's or brother's names engraved in the grey marble stone. I am so glad my family has no names on that list.

Finally we settle down on the broad west steps of the courthouse and open our lunches. Much swapping and trading takes place since our mothers all pack extra special things in our last day lunch. Mama sent a dozen deviled eggs, each one done up in a wax paper twist, so I could share them. Joye has sour cream sugar cookies, enough for a bunch of us. No

one gets a chance at my meatloaf and mustard sandwich, but a lot of baloney lettuce sandwiches are swapped for peanut butter jelly or ham on biscuits. Apples, bananas, oranges and grapes are community property, a bite here, a nibble there. Sharon Ann breaks her Hershey bar into a dozen pieces to pass around.

Right after lunch we troop across the street to the Kelly Theatre where we are to be treated to a free afternoon movie with extra cartoons. Christine's daddy has paid for popcorn for everyone so we are in hog heaven, munching and giggling at Laurel and Hardy, then Abbot and Costello, Woody Woodpecker and Porky Pig. The movie is a Roy Rogers western and there are cheers of delight when he gallops across the screen on Trigger, spinning his lariat above his head and singing.

Mid-afternoon, as we start home in groups, yawning widely from too much food and an afternoon in

a dark theatre, it suddenly dawns on us that we will not be seeing each other every day this summer. Some of the girls are neighbors; some are going to church camp or taking tap dance lessons together, but those things cost money. So does the skating rink although I do get to go on Monday nights when Mama and Dad go to lodge meetings. With money short and no close neighbors, my summer will mainly be spent alone.

Still, long, leisurely days of swinging in a hammock with a library book, twilight evenings with relatives and homemade ice cream and the annual Trego County Fair stretch out before me. Fourth grade, fraught with long division and Kansas history, looms far, far in the future. For now, summer is a'comin, on!

NOTE TO CAROLYN PLOTTS: Hey, kid, no fair putting recipes in your column that are better than mine!

80th Birthday Celebration for
Wilda Bowman

You are invited to a Reception in her honor **Saturday, May 15, 2010** from 2:00-4:00 p.m. at the Norton Christian Church, 208 N. Kansas, Norton, Kansas
NO GIFTS, PLEASE
Cards may be sent to:
1104 E. 56th St. #17
Kearney, NE 68847

Norton County EMS

Monday, May 17

4:00-8:00 p.m.
at the New EMS Station

11822 Road W1, Norton, Kansas
Snacks and Refreshments will be Provided

May 7- May 12

Showing at the

NORTON THEATRE

Iron Man 2

2 Hours, 15 Minutes (PG-13) Presented in Digital Surround Sound
Friday and Saturday: 7:00 p.m. and 9:25 p.m.
Sunday: 5:00 p.m. and 7:25 p.m.
Mon., Tues., Wed. 7:00 p.m.

Diary of a Wimpy Kid

1 Hour, 39 Minutes (PG)

All passes accepted for Diary of a Wimpy Kid
Only Premiere Passes for Iron Man 2

General Admission: \$6.00 and \$5.00 for Diary of a Wimpy Kid/\$3 Ticket Sunday
Premiere Admission: \$7.00 and \$6.00 for Iron Man 2/No Sunday Discount

May 21 - Shrek Forever After
Visit our Website:
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COMING SOON

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Destination Kitchen

is taking a LUNCH BREAK!

We will NOT be serving lunch from Memorial Day, 5-31-2010 until Labor Day, September 6, 2010.

We need a break and we hope you will give us your blessing. We will be open Tuesday through Saturday, 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. with all those tempting goodies and any special dessert orders. We will also continue to do pre-ordered box lunches for a minimum of 10 people. We are hoping to offer some events that we just frankly have not had time to organize.

Thank you for helping us to make Norton a destination for many people in Northwest Kansas — Gi and Cindy