# At Home-

### St. Francis News

Paul and Edna Roesener were Dorothy, Angela and David and guests, also. Christmas Eve guests of Dr. Doug and Sandy Fair of Oberlin. Other family guests were: Jeff Williams, Emily and Sabryn, Oberlin; Jenna and Kevin Cox, Ft. Worth, Tex.; Audrey and Lewis Evins, Oakley; J.L. and Carrie Evans, Scott City; Roy, Karen, Colleen and Grant Shrader, Bird City; Jaylene Shrader, Goodland.

Christmas dinner guests on Sunday at the home of Don Zimbelman were Rudy and Nancy Zimbelman, Eldon and Dorothy Palmer and George and Helen Brimer of Goodland; Leon and Darlene Merklin, Dennis and Mary Merklin and Heather of St. Francs; Diane and Michelle Kinkades and Kelly Kent of Denver, Colo.; Jim and Debbie Satran, Nicole, Curtis and Aaron of Ogallah; Lance and Rhonda Coburn, Shelby and L.T. of Quinter; and David and Becky Gleve and Ann Elyse of Manhattan.

Christmas Day Leon and Darlene Merklin had dinner at the home of Dennis and Mary Merklin, Christopher and Heather.

Christmas Eve gathering after the St. John Lutheran Church children's program. Guests were: Walt Roesener; Mark, Jackie and Colton Roesener; Arlie and Nadine Roesener; Mary Roesener; Laurie Roesener; Irene Kehlbeck (E).

Paul and Edna Roesener were Christmas Day guests of Roy and Karen Shrader and family. Other guests were Jaylene Shrader of Goodland and Dawn Petty of Bird City.

On Christmas Eve Billy Dungan, Martha Stothard, Kathleen Stanley and David Hankins of Goodland went to the home of Bob and Dorothy B. Hankins and Angela. They enjoyed a soup supper and opened gifts afterward. Later in the evening Billy Dungan, Billy Joe Morris and friend Pamela Arnest of Killeen, Texas, Edward and Betty Morris of Goodland, Martha Stothard, Bob and Dorothy Hankins and Angela and David Hankins visited the home of Kathleen Stanley. They all had a good visit. Billy, Billy Joe, Pamela, Martha, Bob,

Kathleen also visited Dale Stanley at

Kathleen Stanley had dinner with Dale Stanley on Christmas Day at the Good Samaritan Village. They had a

LeRoy and Marie Dungan came and got Kathleen Stanley on Christmas morning and they went for coffee and

Dan and Cindy Winston, Jean and J.J. of Ellsworth and Shawn and Leigh Legere, Chase and Miles of Albuquerque, N.M., arrived Dec. 24 to celebrate the Christmas holiday with Betty Jean Winston. Dan and Cindy Winston returned to Ellsworth while Jean and J.J. traveled to Cope, Colo., to visit grandparents, Junius and Doris Stuhlmiller. The Legere's left Friday morning for

Christmas Eve supper guests of Mary L. Walz, Stan and Jacy Hilt were Leonard and Mae Rose, Rick, Lynette, Robin and Melissa Burton and LeRoy and Marie Dungan of Salina.

Christmas Day dinner guests of Paul and Edna Roesener hosted a Leonard and Mae Rose were Alan, Dale and David Rose; Mary L. Walz, Stan and Jacy Hilt; Char and January Fiedler; Rick, Lynette, Robin and Melissa Burton; LeRoy and Marie Dungan; Connie, Marcia, Nickolas, Shakotah Blanka. Christmas day din-Amber, Eric, Lindsey and Jami Willis and friend Jeremy.

Later in the afternoon Nikki Rose called and visited with everyone on the phone as she couldn't make it home.

Mary L. Walz and Jacy Rose were callers of Brian, Tina, Ashley and BreAna Zweygardt later in the evening, so they could celebrate and open their Christmas gifts.

Carol Weems of Dayton, Ohio, spent Dec. 14 through Dec. 18 for an early Christmas with her parents, Chuck and Helen Petitjean and Heather and Ryan

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Petitjean, Laneah and J.C. of Hutchinson, were Christmas weekend guests of Chuck and Helen Petitjean and Heather. Mark and Charlene Piper of Parsons and Juli Piper of Overland Park and Aletha Murphy were Christmas Eve supper

For Christmas 23 family members were in North Platte with Robert Ham and Andrea Henderson, Allen and Karen Wright and Tammy Ham of Kingman hosting the occasion. Others attending were LaVera Beringer, Jim, Elaine and Carol Wiseman of Fremont, Neb., Jon and Jen Wiseman, North Bend, Neb., Zack Stern, also of Nebraska., John Ham, North Platte and Buddy Han, Ogallala, Neb. LaVera and the Wisemans left Sunday.

LaVera Beringer was a Sunday to Wednesday guest of Larry and Brenda Beringer and Matt. Others there on Christmas Day were James and Lisa Burk of Phillipsburg, Brett and Jill and Zekke Beringer, Goodland.

Christmas dinner guests of Aletha Murphy were Charlene and Mark Piper, Parsons, Mike, Leticia, LaNeah and J.C. Petitjean, Hutchinson, Julie Piper, Overland Park, Chuck and Helen Petitjean and Heather Weeks and friend. New Year's Eve guests were Maurice Blume, Wayne Goodell and Jim and Mildred Barnhart.

Christmas Eve supper guests of Hurb and Lola Graves were Tom and Donna Stevens, Sharissa Stevens, Mick Graves and Shawn, Shawna and ner was held at the Blanka's. Guests spending the day were Kenny and Naomi Holliman, Hurb and Lola Graves, Mick Graves, Tom and Donna Stevens and Sharissa Stevens.

Holiday guests arriving Wednesday and leaving Saturday were Dean and Joyce Blanka, Wamego to spend time with the Shawn Blanka family.

New Year's Day guests to watch the Kansas State University game at Shawn, Shawna and Shakotah Blanka's were Scott, Angie and Tate Ahlvers, Darrell, Tammy and Laykn Pettijohn, Jared Douthit and Tom Stevens.

Guests of Milton and Betty Lampe over the Christmas holiday from Dec. 23 to Dec. 27 were Kirk and Debbie Grizzell and Kyle of Macksville and Travis Grizzell of Hays.

Holiday guests of Billy and Karen Krien and Tyler were Troy and Jan Krien, Jessie and Jamie, and Tim and Kelly Allen, Bridgette and Kyle, all of Clay Center; Todd Krien of Celeste, Texas; Marilyn Krien of Aurora, Colo.; Bill and Leone Krien and Christie Holzwarth.

Marilyn Krien was a holiday house guest of her parents Bill and Leone Krien.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul DeGood spent the Christmas holidays in eastern Kansas. They spent Friday night with Harold and Karen Engle.

On Saturday they went to Cottonwood Falls and spent the afternoon and evening with Kirk and Jill Engle and

Sunday evening Paul and Mardell had Christmas Eve with Harold and Karen Engle in Madison. Others attending were Kelt and Kim, Jack and Paige Engle, Kansas City; Kirk and Jill, Kaylee and Brett Engle, Cottonwood Falls; Ryan Engle, Alana Edwards, Edith Engle, Sue and Jamie Somers, Towanda, also Alan and Dianne DeGood and Melissa and Jason, Kerri and Elizabeth Mayans, Se-

**Poling-Crozier** 

Summer

wedding

planned

Tim and Margaret Poling, St. Fran-

cis and Willy Crozier and Debbie

Grimaldi wish to announce the engage-

ment of their children Andrew Poling,

St. Francis and Abbey M. Crozier,

Abbey is a 1998 graduate of

Andrew will receive a bachelor's

Pittsburg State University and is cur-

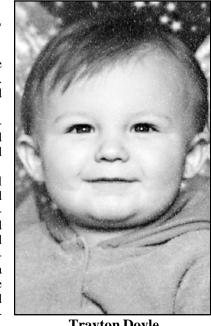
rently teaching English and literature

degree in recreational management

A summer wedding is planned.

at Pittsburg High School.

spring.



**Trayton Doyle** 

# **Celebrates** first birthday

Trayton Lee Doyle celebrated his first birthday on Dec. 30 with a monster truck cake.

Attending his party were his parents Chris and Kelly Doyle; grandparents Ray and Paulette Gerver, McCook great-grandma Patty Gerver, Bird City; Mike, Trisha, Kyler and Shalyr Zweygardt; Jannell Gerver, McCook Keith, Angie, Kyle, Kory and Kyra Powell; Tony, Tammy, Nicole and Tyler Howard and lots of friends.



**Stephens** 

## **Openhouse** set for 90th birthday

Frances Stephens will be celebrating her 90th birthday with an open house at 2 p.m. Jan. 13 in the recreation room at Sparks Towers, 515 East 5th in

Your presence will be your gift to

### Introducing

Ella Grace Miller

Kip and Denise Miller, Kersey, Colo. are pleased to announce the arrival of their daughter, Ella Grace. She arrived on Dec. 13, 2000, and weighed 8 pounds and was 21 inches long.

Her very proud grandparents are Dave and Dawn Fry of St. Francis, and Harold and Wilma Miller of Kiowa, Colo. Ella's great-grandmothers are Myrtle Larson of WaKeeeney, and Darlene Ragan of Girard.

**Trevin Grant Martin** 

Gary and Tina (Yost) Martin, Omaha, Neb., are pleased to announce the arrival of Trevin Grant at 4:12 a.m. Nov. 22, 2000. He weighed 6 pounds, 5 1/2 ounces and was 19 inches long.

Grandparents are Steve and Terry Yost, Haigler, Neb., and great-grandparents ents are Bob and Arnita Yost, St. Francis.

Reagan Taylor Ramsev

Brad, Trish and Alex Ramsey of Friendswood, Texas, are proud to announce the birth of Reagan Taylor. The baby girl was born at 10:04 a.m. on Dec. 1, 2000 at Memorial Hermann Medical Center, Houston, Texas. She came into the world weighing 7 pounds, 2 ounces and measuring 19 inches long.

Grandparents are Bill and Karen Neitzel, St. Francis and Richard and Joyce Ramsey, Scott City. Great-grandparents are Glen Neitzel, St. Francis and Aileer Ramsey, Scott City.





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# **New Arrivals**



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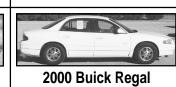
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98 Buick LeSabre Blue, Off Lease, 15K Miles



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