

kanorado chronology

By Dixie Hooker

Useless facts: 1961 was the most recent year that could be written both upside-down and right side-up and appear the same. The next year that this will be possible will be 6009!

Gert and Ted Swayne along with Marlene Swayne spent some time in Wichita a couple of weeks ago meeting up with their son Marvin Swayne and wife Cindy and son Ryan of Grand Prairie, Texas.

Folklore: Acorn - An acorn should be carried to bring luck and ensure a long life. An acorn at the window will keep lightning out.

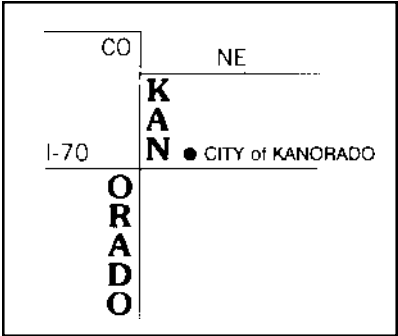
For 38 years Rudy Schlichenmayer taught over 175 kids learn the guitar, saxophone and accordion. If you know any of his students or are one please get in touch with Danyl Brenner at 719-346-8226, Kim Driscoll at 719-346-8930 or James Lightle at 719-346-5418. These people are planning to hold a reunion recital this summer in Rudy's and his student's honor.

You think you are having a bad day: A psychology student in New York rented out her spare room to a carpenter in order to nag him constantly and to study his reactions. After weeks of needling, he snapped, and beat her with an ax, leaving her with permanent severe brain damage.

Betty and Pete Jensen spent Easter Sunday at the home of Eileen Owens of Goodland enjoying a good meal and family and friends. Eileen is the mother of Pete and Betty's son-in-law Greg Nemechek.

Phrases you wish you could say at work: I'm already visualizing the duct tape over your mouth.

Frankie and Marvin Thomas spent the Easter weekend going to Greeley, Colo., to bring Frankie's mom, Wanda Adams back home. Wanda spent a week with son Mike Adams after coming back from a trip to Illinois where she spent time with daughter Kathy



and her late husband Dave's family.

Reason to smile: I gave up jogging for my health when my thighs kept rubbing together and setting my pantyhose on fire.

Charlene and Danny Mangus enjoyed a houseful of family and friends for Easter Sunday. They included Charlene's parents: Galen and Mary Carper of Jennings, her sister's Carol and husband John Topliff of Goodland; Teresa and husband Les Hopson of Bethune, Colo. and their two children Rebecca and Matthew. Friends attending were Jon Cromwell of Kanorado and Donna Whitmore and her kids Brock and Brooke. And of course the Mangus kids Michael, Steven, Devin and Dani.

Short wit: It may be that your sole purpose in life is simply to serve as a warning to others.

Betty and Pete Jensen spent the afternoon at the Howard Johnson's Hotel enjoying the 50th anniversary party of their friends Jim and Marie Moore of Goodland.

Point to ponder: If a kid asks where rain comes from, I think a cute thing to tell him is, "God is crying." And if he asks why God is crying, another cute thing to tell him is, "Probably because of something you did."

Mary and Bud Kelling spent Easter Sunday at home with their daughter Dena and Todd Barker and children Nick and Kristen of Leoti. Mary said

Dena and hubby were just glad to have the day off and relax with a nice meal and family.

Truths children have learned: When your mom is mad at your dad, don't let her brush your hair.

Gert and Ted Swayne enjoyed Easter Sunday with their family; Dr. Marlyn and wife Brenda Swayne and children Michelle and Shannon of Hays, Marlene Swayne of McPherson and Mark Swayne of Kanorado.

Corn Stalk 2000-battle of the bands will take place Sunday, May 7 in Wray, Colo. It is a fundraising event for the Center Court Youth Center of Wray. They are calling on all bands from Northeast Colorado, Southwest Nebraska and Northwest Kansas to participate. It will be held at the Lions Club Amphitheater from 2 to 7 p.m. There will be a \$25 entry fee for the bands. First prize is \$250, second prize \$150, and third prize is \$100. It's a family event so bring your blanket or lawn chairs, and picnic dinner. Follow the signs on US 34 and US 385. Admission is \$10 for adults and \$5 for children ages 2-12. Or a family cap price of \$25. For information on entering your band in the competition call Brenda Reyes at 970-332-4877 ext. 345.

Actual classified ad from newspaper: Free Yorkshire Terrier. Eight years old, hateful little dog.

Burlington will be holding their second annual talent show Saturday at the Burlington High School auditorium. It all begins at 7 p.m. Admission is \$2 and each ticket that is bought is eligible for a free quilt drawing. The winner will be announced during the show. Entry fee for the show is \$10 and it doesn't matter what type of act you have. Dan Troyer, president of the Community Service Club said they expected a very good show once again. For more information call 719-346-0274, 346-8894 or 346-7579.

One whole, better than two halves



A crew moved John and Judy Bateman's new home into place at 12th and Broadway on Monday. The house is behind Bateman Funeral Home. A worker (above) watched as the second half of the home was moved into position. Judy Bateman and Blake Helderman (right) looked inside the house.

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May brings new book titles to library

This is a list of new books and audio cassettes available for adults and children at the Goodland Public Library.

ADULT FICTION

A Century of Great Western Stories, edited by John Jakes; The Quilter's Apprentice, by Jennifer Chiaverini; Before I Say Goodbye, by Mary Higgins Clark; Honor's Reward, by Kristen Heitzmann; Listen to Your Heart, by Fern Michaels;

Above the Clouds, by Gilbert Morris and J. Landon Ferguson (in memory of Marian Linthacum); Beneath the Mockingbird's Wings, by Gilbert Morris; Hugger Mugger, by Robert B. Parker; Red Light, by T. Jefferson Parker; Ties That Bind, by Judith Pella; Carolina Moon, by Nora Roberts; Moment of Truth (Large Print), by Lisa Scottoline; Big Stone Gap, by Adriana Trigiani; The Wedding, by Danielle Steel (in memory of Christine Clawson); The Wedding (Large Print), by Danielle Steel.

ADULT NON-FICTION

Who Moved My Cheese? by Spencer Johnson; Amazing Grace, by Kathleen Norris (in memory of Faye

Blue); Chicken Soup for the Christian Family Soul; The Cloister Walk, by Kathleen Norris (in memory of Helen Cross); Leaking Laffs Between Pampers and Depends, by Barbara Johnson;

The Death of Innocence, by John and Patsy Ramsey; Eating Well for Optimum Health, by Andrew Weil; Consumers Guide to Cancer Drugs, by Gail Wilkes; Official Price Guide to Antiques and Collectibles, 2000 edition; America's Back Roads and Byways, by Ron Fisher; Dakota, by Kathleen Norris (in memory of Faye Blue); One Degree West - Reflections of a Plainsdaughter, by Julene Bair; I'll Be Right Back, by Mike Douglas; The Million Dollar Mermaid, by Esther Williams.

CHILDREN'S BOOKS

Blue's Travel Game, by Sarah Albee; Bear's Busy Family, by Stella Blackstone; Franklin's Neighborhood, by Paulette Bourgeois; D.W.'s Lost Blankie, by Marc Brown; Biscuit's New Trick, by Alyssa Capucilli;

Rex to the Rescue, by Justine Fontes; Howdy, Sheriff Woody!, by Judy Katschke; The Wild Whale Watch, by

Eva Moore; Tell Me Another! Read-aloud Stories for the Very Young, by Mathew Price;

There Really Is an Easter Bunny, by Richard Scarry; This Is the Sunflower, by Lola Schaefer; Presidential Elections and Other Cool Facts, by Syl Sobel; Whales, by Golden Books; My First Farm Book; I Am Rosa Parks, by Rosa Parks.

AUDIO CASSETTES

The Green River Trail, by Ralph Compton (in memory of Floyd Owens); Tough Cookie, by Diane Mott Davidson; City of God, by E.L. Doctorow; The Hound of the Baskervilles, by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle;

Angel Falls, by Kristin Hannah; Listen to Your Heart, by Fern Michaels; A Walk Through the Fire, by Marcia Muller; Hugger Mugger, by Robert B. Parker (CD);

The Runner, by Christopher Reich (CD); Legal Tender, by Lisa Scottoline; The Wedding, by Danielle Steel (CD); Jerusalem Vigil, by Bodie and Brock Thoene; Chicken Soup for the Christian Family Soul.

publican senators named him majority leader after the 1996 elections. However, because so few attorneys serve in the Senate, he took the job back in 1998, after Chairman Mike Harris, R-Wichita, Education; Alicia Salisbury, R-Topeka, Commerce; and Ben Vidricksen, R-Salina, Transportation and Tourism.

In November, Emert announced he would seek another four-year term and run for the position of Senate president. His change of plans leaves Sen. Dave Kerr, R-Hutchinson, as the only announced candidate to replace Bond.

But Emert said Tuesday that retirement had been "always in the back of my mind," and that he decided not to run before the legislative session began in January.

Kerr, chairman of the Senate Ways and Means Committee, said he'd heard rumors that Emert had reconsidered. "He has been a leader on many educational and judicial issues," Kerr said. "He'll be missed."

Emert, 60, was elected to the Senate in 1992, after he served four years on the State Board of Education. He served as chairman of the Judiciary Committee in 1995-96. He gave up that position when Re-

City accepts bids; orders change on pool

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Street (\$1,425), 305 Broadway Ave. (\$4,875), 601 Cherry Ave. (\$6,395) and 420 W. 15th Street (\$5,800). Goody's won the bid for 508 E. 12th (\$4,500) and 719 E. 19th (\$4,000).

This was round three of the demolition project, and Pickman said there appears to be enough money to do at least an additional four locations.

The commission accepted the bid from HERS of Olathe for \$12,366 for a power pole trailer for the electric department.

With Commissioner Tom Rohr excusing himself because his company had bid on a tractor for the city, the remaining commissioners unanimously selected the low bid of \$50,800 from Goodland Greenline. The other bids were \$52,500 from W-R Equipment and \$57,645 from Tused Farm Supply.

There was only one bid on the street sealing project with B & H Paving of Scott City at \$145,347. The

project will be using crushed rock similar to what was used last year, and Public Works Superintendent Ed Wolak said the project should cover about one-third of the city streets.

The commission received a letter from the pool architect which said cutting the special shrinkage reducing mixture from the concrete for the pool might make surface cracking more likely, and that the architect would not be responsible for this without the mixture being added.

Commissioner Billinger, who had voted against the pool, said that it would seem prudent to spend the money to put the additive back into the pool concrete. Commissioner Jim Mull made the motion to approve a change order for \$13,500 to put this back into the pool concrete. The motion was seconded by Billinger and passed unanimously.

The next city commission meeting

will be 5 p.m. Monday, May 15, upstairs in the commission room of the City Administration Building, 204 W. 11th.

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Senate majority leader does not plan to run for re-election

By John Hanna

Associated Press Writer

TOPEKA—Senate Majority Leader Tim Emert's decision not to run for re-election lengthens the list of high-profile veterans who are leaving the Legislature.

Emert, R-Independence, said Tuesday that serving in the Senate, while rewarding, proved to be "a burden on my family and my law practice." He said during the legislative session, he spent weekends working on legal business, then returned to Topeka on Mondays.

His legislative schedule also was full. While majority leader, he also served as chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee, which handles anti-crime legislation.

"It's time to hug my wife and clean out the garage," Emert said in an interview. "My wife and I love to travel, and we're going to do that."

Emert's announcement came one day after House Speaker Robin Jensen, R-Healy, said he would not run for re-election so that he could run a fledgling company to promote hunting in Kansas. Senate President Dick Bond, R-Overland Park, also is retiring.



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