

about our friends

calendar

Veterans' Affairs — Jody Tubbs of the Kansas Commission on Veterans' Affairs will be available to assist veterans and their dependents with claims work from **1-2:15 p.m. Thursday** in the assembly room on the third floor of the Goodland courthouse. If you miss her, you may call the Colby office any Monday, Wednesday or Friday at (785) 462-3572.

SHARE — The pickup of low cost food in exchange for volunteer work for June will be from **9-10 a.m. Saturday** at 824 Main in Goodland.

Summer Classes — Colby Community College is offering summer classes over the interactive television network to northwest Kansas. **Topics in Applied Psychology** will be offered at **5:30 p.m. June 29-30** in Goodland. **Education Class** — An adult education class, "Computer Basics, will be offered from **6-9:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays starting Tuesday, July 3**, at the Northwest Kansas Technical College. The 30-hour course will cover the basics of word processing, data bases, Internet and electronic mail and will be taught by Tina Perry, technical college instructor. To enroll, contact Richard Hoffman, technical college vice president, at 899-3641 (weekdays).

Benefit Barbecue — S&T Telephone will host a benefit barbecue to begin at **5 p.m. on Wednesday, July 4**, at the Sherman County fairgrounds during the Fourth of July celebration. The company will serve hamburgers, hot dogs and baked beans to the first 3,000 people. A free will offering will be taken with the proceeds to benefit the Handy House and Pioneer Park projects.

activities

Aerobics Classes — Morning aerobics classes are available at **5:30 a.m.** with Tina Tompkins, and at **7:45 a.m.** with Marilyn Imel. **Monday, Wednesday, and Friday** at the Goodland Activities Center. A senior aerobics class for those who desire a less strenuous workout will be at **7:45 a.m. Tuesday and Thursday** with Imel. For questions, call 899-7242.

Soccer Camp — The Goodland

Activities Center will sponsor a British Soccer Camp for youth ages 4-14 from **8:30-11 a.m. June 25-29** at North School. For information or to register, come to the activities center at 808 Main or call 899-7242.

House Tours — Tours of a 1907 Victorian house at 202 W. 13th will be held from **1-5 p.m. Wednesdays through Sundays**. The cost of admission will be used to support the Sherman County Historical Society.

Carnegie Arts Center — Karen Robben of Salina will have her paintings of farm machinery and scenes on display through **Saturday, June 30**, at the Carnegie Arts Center in Goodland. The exhibit called "Reflections from the Farm" is sponsored by Jim Alcorn Shelter Insurance. The arts center is open from **10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday** and from **1-4 p.m. Saturday, Sunday and Monday**.

Basketball Camp — Final registration is now being held for the Ten Star All Star Summer Basketball Camp. Boys, ages 8-19, and girls, ages 10-19, can apply. Players are selected by invitation only. The Kansas camp location is in Atchison. College basketball scholarships are possible for players named to the All-American Team. For an evaluation form, call (704) 568-6801, anytime.

Water Testing — A representative of the Northwest Local Environmental Protection Group will be available for a free well evaluation including testing well water for bacteria and nitrates. If you would like to schedule an evaluation or have other environmental concerns, call the Sherman County Health Department at (785) 899-4888.

senior center menu

Wednesday — Potluck (Cooks at a meeting).

Thursday — Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, bread, birthday cake and applesauce.

Friday — Tuna salad sandwich, vegetable soup, watermelon, crackers and apricots.

medical fund

A fund has been established to help pay medical expenses for **Teagan Raile**, who was injured in a car acci-

dent. Contributions can be sent to or left at Western State Bank, 815 Center, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

society donations

The Sherman County Historical Society has purchased the Edythe Handy house. Your continued support is critical to the award of a grant request that is currently in progress. Tax-free pledges or donations may be made to the historical society at P.O. Box 684, Goodland, Kan. 67735 or by calling 899-6773.

uniforms needed

The Sherman County High School Alumni Association is needing old Goodland pep club uniforms from the 50s and early 70s for the school reunion assembly on Aug. 4. If you have any to loan, call Kathy Melia at 899-2309 (days).

tree fund donations

Many of the trees at the Goodland Cemetery have died and the cemetery board is trying to replace them. If you would like to help out, contributions for the Goodland Cemetery Memorial Tree Fund can be left at Koons or Bateman funeral homes or sent to the Goodland Cemetery Board, P.O. Box 59, Goodland, Kan. 67735. Donations may be made in memory of a loved one.

wheelchairs for use

The Senior Wheels USA Program offers electric wheelchairs to senior citizens (65 and up) and the permanently disabled at no cost to them if they qualify. The wheelchairs are for those who can't walk or use a manual wheelchair. If your need is for home use and you want to find out if you qualify, call Leon Johnson at (800) 246-6010.

hospital report

Goodland Regional Medical Center Admitted on Monday: Katrina Bollig, Goodland.

Dismissed on Monday: none.

Transferred: none.

Specialists for Wednesday: Dr. Michael Barber, cardiologist; Dr. Allen Wicks, pulmonologist.

Hospital weekly volunteer schedule — **Wednesday** — Marj Crabb, courtesy; Hazel Tracy, a.m.; Chet

Ross, p.m. **Thursday** — Betty Saint, a.m.; Velma Holste, p.m. **Friday** — Anne Mann, p.m.

animal shelter

Have you lost a pet? Call the Goodland Police Department at 899-4570.

Are you interested in adopting a pet? Call the Northwest Kansas Animal Shelter at 899-6464.

today in history

June 19, 1901 — Advertisements in the paper.

Millinery — Closing out sale for the next 10 days with items at and below cost. The Seaman sisters.

Kent is the only man who sells the "White Squirrel" cigar.

The Wizard's grocery man is a hustler. He doesn't sleep. See the Wizard throughout 1901. For trunks, valises and telescopes, there's a big assortment at Wizard's.

See our worsted and silk dress skirts — The Golden Rule.

H.R. Wheatley keeps all kinds of coal at Scott's old stand.

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area events

Tobacco Support Group — A tobacco quitters support group meets from **7-8 p.m., Central Time, every Wednesday** in the cafeteria of Citizen's Medical Center in Colby. Anyone who has a desire to stop smoking is urged to attend. For information, call (785) 462-8152.

Boys Basketball Tournament — A basketball team tournament for fifth through twelfth grade boys will be held **Saturday, July 7, and Sunday, July 8**, at Bethany College in Lindsborg. Grade divisions are fifth and sixth, seventh and eighth, ninth and tenth, and eleventh and twelfth. **Sign-up deadline is Sunday, July 1.** To find out the cost or to register, call Coach Clair Oleen at (785) 227-3380, ext. 8176 or (785) 227-3279.

crimestoppers

If you have any information about any crime, call the Goodland Area Crime Stoppers "Look Line" at 899-5665. Your call will be confidential and you will not be asked your name.

4-H member gets scholarship for college

Matthew Gattshall, a Sherman County 4-Her, has received a Pierre Henry Scholarship, one of 58 state 4-H scholarships.

Gattshall, a 12-year member of the Ruleton Eager Beavers 4-H Club, will use the scholarship for tuition at Oklahoma Panhandle State University, where he plans to major in animal science.

The amount of the scholarships vary, but the money is designated for post-secondary education.

"Investing in education is an investment in the future," said Bill Riley, president of the Kansas 4-H Foundation. "On behalf of our scholarship donors, the Kansas 4-H Foundation is pleased to recognize — and reward — excellence among young Kansans. They are our future neighbors and also our future leaders."

Gattshall, son of William and Diane Gattshall of Goodland, received the scholarship at the Emerald Circle Scholarship and Awards Banquet on May 31 in Manhattan.

Indian tribe files lawsuit for land by Missouri River

KANSAS CITY, Kan. (AP) — The Wyandotte Nation of Oklahoma acknowledges giving up much of its Kansas territory to the U.S. government in 1855, when it agreed to relocate to a reservation in northeast Oklahoma.

But in a federal lawsuit filed Monday, the tribe claims it never ceded three tracts along the Missouri River in what would become Wyandotte County.

Those tracts, totaling 1,920 acres, cover much of what is now the Fairfax Industrial District and other prime commercial land in northeast Kansas City, Kan. Also on the land are the sprawling plant sites of the General Motors Corp.'s Fairfax assembly unit, the Owens-Corning Fiberglas Corp. and International Paper Co.

The tribe wants the land back, along with monetary damages.

"The government made the mistake," said Robert W. Pohl, an Overland Park attorney for the Wyandotte Nation. "They gave land to settlers that they didn't have the right to give. That's the bottom line."

The tribe, based in Wyandotte, Okla., is suing all parties currently claiming ownership of the land, Pohl said.

The list of defendants includes the Unified Government of Kansas City, Kan., and Wyandotte County, and the three national corporations. The lawsuit also names as defendants the federal government and unnamed hundreds of other owners of land in the disputed area.

"Our title is superior to any title cur-

rently purported to be in effect," Chief Leaford Bearskin, elected leader of the 3,900-member tribe, said in a written statement.

Pohl said it was in researching the tribe's rights regarding a cemetery in the city that the Wyandotte Nation discovered the two treaties.

Under the 1848 treaty, the tribe acquired nearly 39 sections of land at the confluence of the Kansas and Missouri rivers from the Delaware Tribe. Thirty-six of those sections, or 23,000 acres, were purchased. The other three sections, or 1,920 acres, were gifts.

The 1855 treaty ceded most of the land to the federal government. The tribe kept four parcels: the site of two churches, four acres along the Kansas River and the Huron Cemetery.

The lawsuit filed Monday, however, claims that the tribe also did not give up the three sections that were gifts from the Delaware.

"The 'gifted sections' have never legally and effectively transferred from the Wyandottes," Bearskin said.

In addition, the lawsuit claims that because the Missouri River has moved over time, the three gifted areas have been enlarged to six sections.

The lawsuit caught local officials off guard.

"We obviously oppose it and will fight it," said Don Denney, a spokesman for the Unified Government.

The lawsuit is separate from the tribe's efforts to open a casino in the Kansas City, Kan., area. City and county officials support that effort, but Gov. Bill Graves does not.

Parents busy getting kids to and from summer camps

With the month of June almost history, it appears that summer vacation time will be over before it gets a good start. With a lot of kids going to church, 4-H and Boy Scout camps, families are kept busy moving kids back and forth. Gary and Jonathan McClung got back at noon on Saturday from a Boy Scout camp in Colorado.

Jonathan showed and talked about the many things they did during the week. Gary said they had to hike back and forth from their camp site to the actual camp area each day. He was a tad bit tickered out by the end of the week. They got home in time for a party on Saturday evening for Gary's 40th birthday. Happy birthday, Gary! His real birthday is June 21.

Former Topeka mayor attacked

TOPEKA (AP) — Former Mayor Joan Wagnon, her husband and a family friend are back in Topeka recuperating from wounds inflicted by a machete-wielding man on the Caribbean island of St. Lucia.

The former mayor received cuts on her hands. Her husband, Bill, was to have outpatient surgery on Monday to repair cut tendons in his hands. And the friend, Jan Rowland, suffered a broken arm.

They and and Rowland's husband, Don, returned to Topeka on Friday five days after the attack on June 10. Don Rowland was not with the group when the attack occurred.

On June 10, the group was on St. Lucia touring the Soufriere Botanical Garden.

Don Rowland, not interested in seeing the garden, stayed in the taxi.

As the other three walked through the garden, Bill Wagnon lagged be-



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Something different will be done at the Goodland Senior Center on Wednesday. The group will be having a potluck meal, since the two cooks are going to attend a training school that day. A regular meal will be served on Thursday. In fact, it will be fried chicken, a favorite of most. That meal usually brings the biggest number of attendance at the center.

The sick in Colorado, my sister

cal illness. He didn't have to have surgery for his condition, but will have to be monitored for months to come to prevent a reoccurrence of the problem. Thanks to all of you who had expressed concern about the three of them.

The home of Les and Alice Watkins has been a busy place. Over Memorial Day weekend, their guests from Colorado at a family get-together were John Van Vleet and friends, Glenn and Lea Ann Hayes and their three children; Les Van Vleet and two children, Nashell Van Vleet and friend and Melvin and Ida Mae Murray. Coming from Polson, Mont., were Jerry Van Vleet and his two children. Katharine Wilson and Brenda Haag and daughter were here from Nebraska. Ross and Virginia Braswell traveled from Oregon. Other callers were Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Helzer of Wichita, Melvin and Betty Beckner, Bob and Dorothy Beckner, Della Helzer and Phillip Helzer. All had come to attend the Watkins reunion on Sunday, May 27.

Mrs. Glenn (Alda Nothuret) Watkins passed away at Porter Hospital in Denver after a month's stay. Burial was at the Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens of Last Supper on June 5. Sincere sympathy to the family during this time.

Sincere sympathy to the families of the late Judy (Davis) Wagoner who

passed away at her home in Shawnee. While I didn't know the lady, I did know some of her family here in Goodland. Among them were Blyn Davis and Mildred Gutsch and their families. May these folks all have and know of the care that the Almighty will give to them during these times.

I've been dog-sitting for Dr. and Mrs. John Beynon who were on a trip to Alaska with Mrs. Beynon's nephew and his wife. They'll be back by the time you read this and I sure hope they had a good trip.

Sorry they missed all of the 100+ temperatures we've been having. The forecast is for a part of the week to be cooler. I hope so. With the reports of increase in the cost of gas, phone and electricity, any relief will surely be appreciated by all. I've noticed the price of car gas is down, but I wonder for how long.

Birthdays on my calendar are those of Leon Liljigren on June 19, Gary McClung on June 21, Breanna Opydke on June 23, and John Foust and Mary Jo Errington on June 24. Best wishes to them all. I have no anniversaries on the sheet, but best wishes to one and all.

With no other slips of paper around my computer, I'll sign off for this week. Keep cool and remember your neighbors and outdoor pets during these hot days.

I hope all of you fathers had a grand day on Sunday and I'd like to add a quip I found. "A father is a man who has a picture in his wallet where his money used to be."

On that note, I'll close and get this printed. See you next week.

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matters of record

Sherman County Traffic
June 1 — Amy R. Snyder, 25, Goodland, speeding 89/70, \$82; no seat belt, \$10.

June 4 — Samuel T. Santos, 54, Alameda, Calif., speeding 103/70, \$129.

Thomas P. Wehrle, 54, Mission Hills, speeding 101/70, \$119.

Andrew W. Dunleavy, 59, Wayzata, Minn., speeding 97/70, \$105.

Heather N. Pashman, 20, Colorado Springs, speeding 90/70, \$84.

William E. Franklin IV, 45, Moorpark, Calif., speeding 92/70, \$90.

June 5 — Jenny H. Farias, 24, Sharon Springs, speeding 79/65, \$72.

Walter B. Linthacum, 59, Goodland, speeding 65/55, \$64.

June 6 — Noel C. Roesler, 19, Goodland, 85/70, \$74.

Jessica A. Boring, 20, Golden, Colo., speeding 90/70, \$84.

Yousef A. Fakhro, 20, Doha Qatar, speeding 96/70, \$102.

June 7 — Lindsey M. Miller, 19,

Colorado Springs, speeding 91/70, \$87; improper lane change, \$10.

Real Estate Transfers

Trustees of the Garry L. Hagan Revocable Trust to James S. and Romana L. Carver, Lots 1, 3 and 3 in Block 10 of the C.K.&N. Addition to Goodland.

Tracy D. and Kari L. Peter to David L. and Betty L. Hageman, Lots 13, 14 and 15 in Block 9 of the First Addition to Goodland.

Marilyn I. and Larry D. Bohl to David J. and Judith C. Daniels, the north 11 feet and 7 inches of Lot 6 and all of Lots 7 and 89 in Block 5 of the subdivision to the Original Town of Goodland.

Paul E. and Nancy A. Nelson to Scott G. and Shelly P. Angelos, a tract in the W 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Sec. 31, T8S, R39W, also known as Tract No. 10.

A. Keane and Melissa L. Henderson to Eugene Trompeter, Lot 8 in Block 6 of Sharp's Addition to Goodland.

May Employee of the Month Kevin Carmichael

Kevin's many years of experience are clearly evident when it comes to performing almost any task. No matter the difficulty of his responsibilities, he can be counted on to assist customers, cooperative members and fellow employees alike. His reliability, dedication and knowledge make him a valuable asset as manager of the Goodland Shop. Whether it's the tough decisions that a manager must make daily or finding just what you really need, you can be certain that you're dealing with a talented individual. Thank you Kevin Carmichael for continuing the success at Frontier Equity.

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