

card showers

Delores Raile is celebrating her 75th birthday today. Her family is requesting a card shower in her honor. Send cards to 1610 Rd. 65, Goodland, Kan. 67735-9053.

Linda Hesse is celebrating her birthday today. Her family is having a card shower for her. Send cards to 711 W. 13th, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

Mildred (Ermer) Tippery, a homemaker, formerly of Goodland, celebrated her 83rd birthday Tuesday, June 10. Her family is requesting a card shower for her. Send cards to 622 Carl Ave., Salina, Kan. 67401.

She was born June 10, 1920, in Wisconsin and married Ralph Tippery on Nov. 11, 1945. He died in 1961. She lived in Goodland from 1957 to 2000 and now lives with her daughter Karen Goken and granddaughter Erin in Salina. Her other children are Kevin and Kitty Tippery of Denver, and her other grandchildren are C.J. in Wisconsin, Nic in Connecticut and Mary Jane in Denver.

Evelyn Kling will celebrate her 93rd birthday on Sunday, June 22, 2003. Her family is requesting a card shower in her honor. Send cards to 516 E. Sixth, Apt. 201, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

stork report

Gavon Scott Uehlin was born Thursday, May 8, 2003, at Decatur County Hospital in Oberlin weighing 6 pounds, 12 ounces, and at 19 inches long.

Bradley and Melissa Uehlin of Oberlin are his parents; this is their first child.

Larry and Carol Hickson of Goodland and Ron and Patty Uehlin of Danbury, Neb., are his paternal grandparents. Dennis and Sandi Kasson of Wilsonville, Neb., are his maternal grandparents.

The late Hubert and Evelyn Studer of Goodland, Mary and the late Alvin Uehlin of Oberlin, Wayne and Donna Messinger of McCook, Neb., Mary Ann John of Arapahoe, Neb., and Curtis and Evelyn Kasson of Norcatur are his great-grandparents.

Gavon was born on his great-grandmother Evelyn Studer and his aunt Marci's birthdays.

student news

Amber Ontiveroz and **Daniel Rasure**, Goodland, were named to the honorable mention honor roll for the spring semester at McPherson College for earning grade point averages between 3.25 to 3.54.

Erinn Hardy, Goodland; **Cayla Cox**, Brewster; and **Jeron Weiss-haar**, Burlington, were on the dean's honor roll for the spring semester at Bethany College in Lindsborg for earning grade point averages of at least 3.5.

Hardy was selected as a member

the calendar

calendar

An **informational meeting for Venturing**, a program of Boy Scouts of America, will be at **7 p.m. Wednesday** in the student union at the Northwest Kansas Technical College. The organization is for boys and girls ages 14-20 and can be sports, service or religious-oriented. Call Rick or Amy Breininger at 899-2381.

Jodi Tubbs of the **Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs** will be in Goodland from **1-2:15 p.m. Thursday, June 19**, in the Assembly Room on the third floor of the

courthouse to help veterans and dependents with claims. Due to budget cuts, she will only come to Goodland on the third Thursday of each month. Call the office in Colby any Monday, Wednesday or Friday at (785) 462-3572.

Summer Day Camp will be from **8:30 a.m.-2 p.m. Thursday, June 19**, at the 4-H building. Children ages 6-11 need to bring clean white t-shirts and \$2 for lunch.

SHARE sign up for the July distribution of food will be until **Monday, July 14**, at the Sherman

County Health Department, Harvest America, the Regional Prevention Center or the Kanorado Senior Center. **Pick up** will be **Saturday, June 28**, for the June distribution.

senior center menu

Wednesday: Pasta, beef and tomato casserole, corn, watermelon, bread and bread pudding with raisins. **Thursday:** Roast beef, mashed potatoes and gravy, plums, bread and birthday cake. **Friday:** Ham, sweet potatoes, creamy cauliflower, broccoli salad, roll and four-fruit compote.

health department

The Sherman County Health Department at 1622 Broadway is open from 8 a.m.- noon and 1-5 p.m. Monday-Friday.

Monday: Scheduled appointments. **Tuesday:** Scheduled appointments. **Wednesday:** WIC in St. Francis. Scheduled appointments. Voucher pickup 11 a.m.-1 p.m. **Thursday:** WIC in Goodland. Scheduled appointments. **Friday:** Scheduled appointments.

Cholesterol screening has been changed from Thursday, June 26, to Wednesday, June 25.

Infants' and children's immunizations, physicals, fasting blood sugar, cholesterol and hemoglobin, family planning and toenail clipping available by appointment. Sharps containers are available free of charge. Call 899-4888.

If you have questions, concerns or complaints about child care, call the health department.

Water Testing—The Northwest Local Environmental Protection Group does free well evaluations, including testing for bacteria and nitrates. To schedule an evaluation or discuss environmental concerns, call the Health Department at 899-4888.

alateen

A former Alateen member and an Al-Anon member have formed an Alateen support group that will meet from 6-7 p.m. on Mondays at 1275 W. Sixth in Colby. The group is for relatives and friends of alcoholics and is open to anyone 19 years old or under. Call 785-462-8152 or 462-6101.

tiny-k

The Early Intervention Networks has a new name, Tiny-k Early Intervention Services. The program promotes development among infants and toddlers with special needs. The Northwest Kansas Educational Service Center in Oakley provides these services free of charge to children in this area.

Services include speech, developmental, vision and hearing

screenings to all children and physical/occupational therapy and developmental training to children who qualify. Call 785-672-3125, ext. 115.

preschool

Sherman County Head Start is a free preschool for eligible three and four year olds. The preschool is accepting applications for the 2003-04 school year. The federally funded program is targeted to families who meet certain economic guidelines and provides hearing, vision, dental and educational screenings. Nutritious meals are served, and parents are encouraged to get involved in their children's education.

Families interested in having their child in the program should call Julie Dautel or Carrie Starns at 899-2552 or go to Sherman County Head Start, 823 W. 11th.

care packages

The Veterans of Foreign Wars Ladies Auxiliary is looking for the names and addresses of military personnel from this area who are in the service and are being deployed for possible military action. The auxiliary would like to send phone cards and care packages to these service personnel. Call Jo Ann Wahrman at 899-3277 or Floriene Whisnant at 899-2412 if you know the name and address of such a person or if interested in helping with the care packages.

food drive

Harvest America Corp., 109 W. 11th, needs non-perishable food, personal hygiene items and household supplies to distribute to low income, elderly and disabled people in Sherman County. Harvest America is also looking for a freezer. Bring donations to the office on Mondays or call 899-3878 for pick up.

crimestoppers

On May 2, \$1,600 worth of damage was done to property of Collingwood Grain at 1000 W. 17th. Windows to the elevator were broken, and a 1999 Ford was damaged. Archer Daniels Midland donated \$1,000 to Crimestoppers to help find out who damaged their property.

On June 8, a lion statue in Chambers Park at 13th and Center was knocked off its stand. Any information about these crimes would be appreciated.

If you have 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. If the information results in the arrest and/or conviction of those involved, you could be eligible for a reward of up to \$1,000. Goodland Area Crime Stoppers is a nonprofit organization formed by citizens against crime.

obituary

Gladys Bohl

Gladys Michel Bohl, 82, Lakin, a Goodland native, died Thursday, June 12, 2003, at Kearny County Hospital in Lakin.

She was born Nov. 25, 1920, at Goodland, the daughter of Percy and Annie (Kolacny) Murray. On Oct. 30, 1937, she married Leo R. Michel at Goodland. He died on March 12, 1970.

On Feb. 19, 1977, she married Fred Bohl at Deerfield. He died on Sept. 12, 2001.

She moved to northern Kearny County in 1937 and helped her first husband on the farm by driving the tractor and by being the truck driver during harvest.

She carried the petition to get the first telephones in the county and was a 4-H cooking leader. She was an election official and was the clerk of the court for a time.

She enjoyed the fiddlers and pickers group, gardening and reading, playing pitch and helping with church dinners.

Mrs. Bohl was a member of the Lakin United Methodist Church; the Order of the Eastern Star, holding all offices; P.E.O.; Take Off Pounds Sensibly; and the Community Builders Home Demonstration Unit.

Also preceding her in death were her parents; two sisters, Annabell Brazda and Edith Hrabec; five brothers, Jerry, Carl, Edd, Robert and Glen Murray; a daughter-in-law, Marsha Michel; and a granddaughter, Roxanne Puckett.

Survivors include two sons, Victor L. and Dennis D. Michel, and a daughter, Linda L. Puckett, all of Lakin; two sisters, Helen Emig and Vida Young, both of Goodland; eight grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

Services were at 2 p.m. Saturday, June 7, 2003, at the church with the Rev. Warren Heit officiating. Burial followed in the Lakin Cemetery.

Visitation was from 1-8 p.m. Friday and from 9-11 a.m. Saturday at Garnand Funeral Home.

Memorials may be made to the church in care of the funeral home, 508 N. Main St., Lakin, Kan. 67860-9774.

club news

The Early Iron Car Club had its schedule of events for car shows complete at the June meeting. They are available.

The Flatlander Fall Festival is on several web sites. Details for the rod run are coming together.

A card and memorial will be sent to the Deb Snethen family, and there will be a special award plaque in her honor at the rod run.

Scott brought back pictures and a plaque from the St. Francis Rod Run last month. They had a good turnout despite the rain. There were some very interesting entries.

The car club was invited to a cruise-in being sponsored by the Total A&W on K-27. It was from 5-8 p.m. Saturday. They had a band, door prizes and car hops.

The next meeting will be Thursday, July 10.

Navy Department ordered 400,000 pounds of butter

By Evelyn Ward

Sherman County Historical Society

June 17, 1903: Big Butter Contract—Navy Department Makes an Order for 400,000 Pounds of Kansas Butter — The Continental Creamery company recently secured a contract from the navy department to furnish the navy 400,000 pounds of western extra butter, which is to be delivered no later than July 15. The Continental company operates solely in Kansas and has 300 stations scattered all over the state. Sherman County has skimming stations at Goodland, Kanorado, Ruleton, Edson, Rhine and Beaver Valley.

June 18, 1903: Held for Trial Without Bail — Chauncey Dewey, Clyde Wilson and W.J. McBride to be Confined to Jail Here — Will be Kept in Goodland until District Court Convenes in Cheyenne County in December — Evidence at Preliminary Strong Against Accused — Prisoners Free From Dan-

today in history

ger—Surrounded by a strong guard of militia, Chauncey Dewey, W.J. McBride and Clyde Wilson faced Justice I.S. Hall in the Cheyenne County courthouse for their preliminary hearing on charge of murder of Daniel Berry and two of his sons. A squad of soldiers took possession of the courthouse. A detail of soldiers guarded both doors and all who were admitted were searched by Deputy Sheriff Ed Robertson.

At the conclusion of the hearing, the defendants were bound over without bail to the December term of the district court on charge of murder in the first degree. As St. Francis has no jail that is worth the name, the prisoners will be confined in the Goodland Bastille. The militia in charge of the men started from St. Francis Friday morning and will reach Goodland Saturday. The men

will then be put in charge of Sheriff Bradley, and the militia will be recalled.

Dewey, McBride and Wilson will be in no danger whatever in the Goodland jail. The passion of the people has subsided, and there never was any danger from violence at the hands of the people of this county. They ask that justice be dealt out to the offenders and are willing to let the law take its course in administering punishment. All show of frivolity has passed away, and the men are beginning to appreciate the dark and dismal condition in which they find themselves.

June 19, 1903: At the table reserved for the attorneys, nine lawyers were present. Senator John F. Hessin of Manhattan assisted by Attorneys W.S. Morlan of McCook, Neb., Dempster Scott of Atwood and F.E. Harvey of Lincoln, Neb.,

appeared for the defense, while the state was represented by County Attorney L.D. Hotchkiss, Colonel L.W. Colby of Beatrice, Neb., L.B. Noble of Atwood, C.C. Coleman, attorney general of Kansas, and E.F. Murphy of Goodland.

When members of the Dewey outfit who had been subpoenaed refused to answer questions asked them while on the stand, Senator Hessin spoke up: "The witness is acting under counsel's advice, on the grounds that his answers would tend to incriminate him."

Ed Tucker and Al Winship were ordered to be committed to jail until they would answer when they stubbornly declined to answer.

The first testimony of any value

the second day was given by T.M. Phillis, a member of the coroner's jury.

He told of the finding of Birch Berry's body and said that Berry's revolver was found in the holster with all chambers filled. The revolver, he said, did not have the appearance of having been recently discharged.

He said that no weapon of any kind, other than a small pocket knife, was found on the bodies of Alpheus or Daniel Berry.

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