

stork report

Gantzen Brock Miller was born Thursday, July 3, 2003, at Goodland Regional Medical Center weighing 7 pounds, 2 ounces, and at 22 inches long.

Cesar and Starla Miller of Goodland are his parents. He was welcomed home by his sisters, Shayley, 8, and Sianna, 4, and brother, Gerrell, 6.

Dean and Tina Miller of Ponca City and Terry and Carol Jochems of Pratt are his grandparents. Jose and Rosario Pazos of Tampico, Mexico, are his great-grandparents.

patient news

Joe Alfaro was injured in an accident Thursday, May 22, near Burlington. He is in the Colorado Acute Specialty Care Clinic, 1601 N. Lowell Blvd., Denver, Colo. 80204.

card shower

Lyle Clark will celebrate his 80th birthday Saturday, July 12, 2003. Send cards to him at 1110 Wyoming, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

His wife, **Carmelita**, is receiving cancer treatments in Phoenix and is staying with her daughter. Send get well wishes to her at 9414 S. 51st St., Phoenix, Ariz. 85044.

activities

Tours of the 1907 Victorian House at 202 W. 13th are from 1-5 p.m. **Wednesday-Monday.**

"Prairie Past Times," a photographic history of entertainment in Sherman County, and artifacts from the 50s, 60s and 70s are on display from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. **Monday-Friday** and from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. **Saturday** at the museum, 1717 Cherry Ave.

The **Carnegie Arts Center** is open from 10 a.m.-5 p.m. **Tuesday through Friday** and from 1-4 p.m. **Saturday, Sunday and Monday.**

"Looking East," a lifelong collection of Asian art and artifacts from Kin Huang of Goodland will be on display in July.

Born to Read will be at 10 a.m. **Fridays and Story time** will be at 10 and 11 a.m. on **Wednesdays and Thursdays** at the Goodland Public Library. Call 899-5461.

Emotions Anonymous meets at 7:30 p.m. **Wednesdays** at the Goodland Regional Medical Center board room.

Century Families, for people whose family came to Sherman County more than 100 years ago,

the calendar

calendar

Jacque's Hallmark will have a holiday party to premier the new keepsake ornaments **Saturday.**

Calvary Gospel Church, 402 College Dr., is having **Son Harvest County Fair vacation Bible school from 12:30-2:30 p.m. Sunday** with a country fair at the church. There will be horse rides, animals, games, food and fun. **Vacation Bible school** will be from 6-8:30 p.m. **Monday-Friday, July 14-18**, for children age 3 through sixth grade. Call 899-3605 to register.

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 Pre-

vention Center or the Kanorado Senior Center. **Pick up** will be **Saturday, July 26**, for the June distribution.

Bible talks by J. Tuttle and B. Nieuwenhuis will be at 7:30 p.m. **Thursdays, July 17, 24 and 31** at Howard Johnson Hotel.

Jodi Tubbs of the **Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs** will be in Goodland from 1-2:15 p.m. **Thursday, July 17**, 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.

Jay and Leslie's Laughing

Matters will perform a vaudeville-style comedy show at 1 p.m. **Friday, July 18**, at the Goodland Public Library.

senior center menu

Monday: Tator tot casserole, winter mix vegetables, rolls and cook's choice fruit. **Tuesday:** Swedish meatballs, peas, mixed fruit with bananas, bread and noodles and ice cream with blueberries. **Wednesday:** Tuna salad sandwich, vegetable soup, sliced tomatoes, crackers and Jell-o with fruit. **Thursday:** Pork roast, steamed cabbage, carrots and onions, pineapple, bread and cake with frosting. **Friday:** Hot turkey sandwich, mashed potatoes and gravy, beets, bread and cantaloupe.

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 Colingwood 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.

family shelter

The Northwest Kansas Family Shelter provides services day or night to victims of domestic violence and sexual assault. Weekly support groups are available for women and children. For information or help, call (800) 794-4624.

tree donations

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

animal shelter

Lost a pet? Call the Goodland Police Department at 899-4570. Interested in adopting a pet? Call the Northwest Kansas Animal Shelter at 899-6464.



Megan Krystal Head Born on the Fourth of July

Megan Krystal Head was born at 4:02 Central Time Friday, July 4, 2003, at the Mary Lanning Memorial Hospital in Hastings, Neb., weighing 6 pounds, 10 ounces, and at 20 inches long.

Kristy Lynn (Morris) and Mike Head are her parents. She was welcomed home by her two big sisters, Michelle Dawn, 11, and Jessica Lynn, 9.

Kermit Lee Morris Sr. and Aletha Morris of Goodland and Harvey and Clara Dunn of Indianola, Neb., are her grandparents. Alice B. Morris of Laverne, Okla., is her great-grandmother.

obituary

J. Marion Hallagin

James Marion Hallagin, 88, a McDonald farmer, died Thursday, July 3, 2003, at the Atwood Good Samaritan Center.

He was born May 8, 1915, at Cheyenne County, the son of Lee and Bertha Mae (Banister) Hallagin. His early school years were in one-room schools in and around Cheyenne County. He later attended school in McDonald.

On July 24, 1937, he married Marie A. Anderson in Bird City.

He was a heavy equipment operator for Rawlins County, a farmer, a harvester, an irrigation driller and a school bus driver.

Hallagin was known for his community service and spent years in the Civilian Conservation Corps. He was active in the McDonald Lions Club and held several offices.

Hallagin enjoyed the Tri-State Antique Engine and Thresher Association of Bird City and was well known for his expertise when monitoring the sod house. He shared the experiences of his brothers and sisters and the lifestyle the sod house created in the early years.

He was known for playing the harmonica, humor, antics and playing a great game of competitive pool.

Preceding him in death were his parents; a son, Arnold; six brothers, Walter, Everett, Roy, Elmer, Clarence and Chet; two sisters, Opal and Pearl; and a great-grandson, Nicolaus Chance Cheney earlier the same day.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Jo Jones of Brush, Colo., and Jann (Jerry) Gillespie of Goodland; two sisters, Ruby Waddell of Engelwood, Colo., and Goldie Nyggard of Sterling, Colo.; eight grandchildren; and many great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

Services were at 2 p.m. Sunday, July 6, 2003, at Williams Funeral Home in Atwood. Burial was in Grace Cemetery in McDonald.

Memorials may be made to the McDonald Lion's Club.

meets at 7 p.m. the second Monday of the month at the Senior Center. For information, call 899-2835.

Aerobics Classes - 7:30 a.m. aerobics classes are offered daily at the Goodland Activities Center. Tena Tompkins leads a step aerobics class at 5:30 a.m. **Monday, Wednesday and Friday.** On Tuesday and Thursday, a less intense class is offered. Call 890-7242.

TOPS Meetings - Take Off Pounds Sensibly meets at 5:30 p.m. **Mondays** at the Good Samaritan Center. Enter the east door on Center Ave. Weigh-in is at 5 p.m.

Hanging by a Thread will meet from 7-9 p.m. the second Thursday of the month at Wheat Ridge Acres.

Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Sherman County is seeking mentors and children to mentor. Call 899-3665.

Steever Water Park regular hours are from 1-6 p.m. **Monday-Friday, from 1-7 p.m. Saturday and from 1-5 p.m. Sunday.** Adult swim will be from noon-1 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday and from 6-7 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday starting Tuesday, June 3. Water aerobics will be from 6-7 p.m. Wednesdays starting Wednesday, June 4.

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: WIC in Oakley. Sched-

uled appointments. Voucher pickup 11 a.m.-1 p.m. **Tuesday:** Scheduled appointments. **Wednesday:** WIC in Colby. Scheduled appointments. **Thursday:** WIC in Colby. Voucher pickup and scheduled appointments. Blood Pressures 9:30-10 a.m. at Handy Towers. **Friday:** Scheduled appointments.

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.

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 physi-

cal/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.

Law required posting strays; Fourth of July celebrated today in history

By Evelyn Ward

Sherman County Historical Society

July 12, 1903: Law on Posting a Stray — Fines and Penalties for Failing When the Animal's Value Exceeds \$10 — In taking up strays the Kansas farmer will do well to steer by these provisions of the Kansas law: Broken animals can be taken up at any time of the year.

Unbroken animals can only be taken up between the first day of November and the first day of April, except when found in the lawful enclosure of the taker up.

Any person taking up a stray must immediately advertise the same by

posting three written notices in the township giving a correct description of each stray.

He must at the same time deliver a copy of said notice to the county clerk, who will paste the same on a bill board in his office for 30 days.

Owner of any stray may, within 12 months, prove the same by evidence before any justice of peace and payment of charges.

July 13, 1903: The Fourth of July has passed, but not without putting

on record an enthusiastic celebration by the people of Goodland and Sherman County.

Perhaps some former Fourth of July have witnessed the spending of more money, larger prizes, faster horse races and harder fought base ball games, but this Fourth nevertheless went merrily.

Flags were early displayed in different parts of town. Firecrackers kept up their explosive notes all day long. Music was furnished by the Goodland band and Thomas

Butt's drum corps, the latter of which could be heard most any time of the day reeling off the old war time airs.

In the evening, the Goodland orchestra gave a dance at the opera house.

The hall was crowded with people. Individual fireworks displays were seen blazing the sky.

July 14, 1903: Dewey Cowboy Killed — While Wrestling With His Brother, Ed Tucker's Six Shooter Kills Him — Reports concerning the accidental shooting are meager, but certain it is one of the Tucker boys, thought to be Ed Tucker, was

almost instantly killed at Oak Ranch.

Ed Tucker was the cowboy who was committed to jail for contempt of court, by refusing to testify at the Dewey-Berry preliminary trial. He has worked for the Oak ranch for over a year and half, and his parents, who live near McDonald, are one of the pioneer families of Rawlins County.

From weekly issues of The Goodland News, provided by the Sherman County Historical Society. Since the paper was published weekly, some items were arbitrarily assigned a date.

Goodland traveler puts international collection on display

"Looking East," a lifelong collection of Asian art and artifacts, will be on display at the Carnegie Arts Center for the month of July.

Kin Huang, a Goodland Arts Council board member, is displaying her collection at the center this month. The show was installed

Tuesday, and there will be an opening reception from 1-3 p.m. Sunday. The show will close Thursday, July 31.

Huang is a charter board member of the arts council. She has lived in Goodland since 1965, and she and her husband have raised three chil-

dren in Goodland. They now have four grandchildren.

She was born in Swatow, China, and educated in Hong Kong. She served as a lieutenant of a company in the Hong Kong Girl Guides Association, much like the Girl Scouts. She represented Hong

Kong at a Girl Guides world camp in Manila.

Huang loves to travel, and besides the United States, the Philippines and China, she has been to Japan, Malaysia, Thailand and Macao, a Portuguese colony close to Hong Kong.

Comedy duo puts on vaudeville-style show at the library

A Kansas City comedy duo will provide humor for the Goodland Public Library's "Laugh It Up" theme for this year's summer reading program.

Jay and Leslie's Laughing Matters will perform a blend of juggling, mime, magic and humorous dialogues in a 45-minute program at 1 p.m. Friday, July 18, at the library.

Jay and Leslie Cady, a husband and wife team, have performed for over 5,000 audiences in 31 states

and seven foreign countries. In 1993, they toured American military bases in England, Germany, the Netherlands and Iceland.

The duo continues the vaudeville tradition of good, clean family fun decades after vaudeville theaters vanished from the Great Plains. Jay plays the straight man whose plans for the show are derailed by Leslie's spontaneous and innocent reactions.

The Kansas City Star said of their show that "a simple stunt becomes

a mini-comedy as they add layer upon layer of complications leaving the audience gasping at the escalating lunacy!"

The couple will be joined by their daughters Maggie, 14, and Molly, 11. They are also jugglers and have helped with the shows since they

were small children. The girls also ride unicycles, a skill their parents do not have.

The family will perform at several libraries in northwest Kansas on their way to perform at the Central Montana Fair.

I found a quick and painless cure.

When I developed hemorrhoids, my doctor recommended Hemcure...the painless, non-surgical treatment method performed by M.D.s. It took only a few short visits to the doctor's office. And since no recuperation was needed, I could resume my normal activities right away.

With Hemcure, curing my hemorrhoid problem was simple. Any cost, my insurance covered it.

Hemorrhoids aren't the easiest thing to talk about. But listen, if you've got hemorrhoids, why suffer? Do as I did and call to find out more.

Hemcure

NEXT VISIT
Wednesday, July 30
&
Saturday, August 2

Dr. John D. Ferris, M.D.
Burlington, Colorado
1-800-593-0009

Closing

Goodland Sinclair is closing.

Close out sale of all merchandise, collectibles, T-shirts, motor oil, candy, cookies, pop, knives, swords and many more items.

Sale starts 8 a.m. Monday, July 7.

Arlo Hansen, Mgr.
2320 Commerce Rd.
Goodland, Kan. 67735
785-899-6855

We are the Greyhound Bus Depot

Northwest Kansas District Free Fair

Howdy Rowdy Rodeo

Tuesday, August 5th at 7 p.m.

Sherman County Fairgrounds

Sign up deadline postmarked August 1st

For Information contact

John Dautel 785-899-7426 evenings or

Greg Sederstrom 785-899-3594 evenings