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Carson Douglas Crumbaker was born **Thursday, Sept. 4, 2003**, to Preston and Ali Crumbaker of Olathe. Ray and Linda Crumbaker of Brewster and Doug and LaDon Nordin of Willmar, Minn., are his grandparents. Don and Dorothy Crumbaker and Wayne and Irma Deeds, all of Colby, are his great-grandparents.

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 is 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**. The Flatlander Photo Exhibit will be on display from Sunday, Sept. 14-Tuesday, Sept. 30.

The **Goodland Public Library** will have **story time** for 4 and 5-year-olds from **10-10:45 a.m. Wednesdays** and from **11-11:45 a.m. Thursdays**. Story time for 3-year-olds will be from **10-10:45 a.m. Thursdays**. **Born to Read** for children birth to age 3 will be at **10 a.m. Fridays**.

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, 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.

Alcoholics Anonymous S.O.S. Group meets at **noon Tuesday and Thursday at 8 p.m. Wednesday** and at **7 p.m. Friday** at the First Christian Church, Eighth and Arcade. The group also meets at **7 p.m. Monday** in the cafeteria in the basement at the Kit Carson County Hospital in Burlington. Call Pamela at 719-346-7711, Laura at 785-890-5417 or Dave at 890-2858.

Alcoholics Anonymous meets at **8 p.m. Monday-Thursday and Saturday** at 1013 Center. Saturday is an open meeting with Al-Anon, families of alcoholics, meeting in the same room. **Al-Anon also meets at 8 p.m. on Monday** in a different room. For Alcoholics Anonymous, call Rob at 890-3023 or Linda at 399-2353. For Al-Anon, call Cheryl at 890-3023.

area events

Hospice Services Inc. is offering a **continuing education workshop** titled “Acquired Bravery: A Health and Wellness Approach to Loss” from **1:30-4:30 p.m. Central Time Wednesday, Sept. 24**, at the Gateway in Oberlin. Marcia Lattanzi-Licht, an internationally known educator and speaker, will present the program. While especially targeted to social workers, mental health counselors, ministers and medical professionals, it is also for the general public. There is a registration fee. Call 800-315-5122.

Colby Community College is hosting the **seventh annual National Intercollegiate Rodeo As-**

the calendar

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

All former **Rock Island Railroad employees** and spouses are invited to the railroad’s **reunion Sunday** at the Goodland Senior Center. The doors will **open at 10 a.m.**; those attending should bring a covered dish for a pot luck meal.

Hunter Education Class will be from **6:30-9:30 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 22, 24 and 25**, and at **8 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 27**, at the National Guard Armory. Call Troy Mannis at 890-3380, Mike Hopper at 899-5199 or Thad Hahn at 899-7157 to pre register. Students under 12 years of age must be accompanied by an adult. Students must attend all four days of classes. There is no charge.

sociation Friday-Sunday, Sept. 26-28. There are performances at **7:30 p.m. Central Time Friday and Saturday and at 1:30 p.m. Sunday** at the E.L. Garrett Arena at the Thomas County Fairgrounds. There will be over 450 contestants from 22 colleges in Kansas and Oklahoma competing in nine major college rodeo events. There is a charge.

Admission to the **Prairie Museum of Art and History** will be free from **1-5 p.m. Central Time Sundays** at 1905 S. Franklin in Colby. The museum is also open from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Central Time Monday-Friday and 1-5 p.m. Saturday.

health department

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

Wednesday: WIC in Sharon Springs. Scheduled appointments. Voucher pickup 11 a.m.-1 p.m. **Thursday:** WIC in Goodland. Scheduled appointments. Blood pressures 9:30-10 a.m. at Sparks and 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.

hospital volunteers

Monday: N. Finley a.m. **Tuesday:** Bonnie Daily a.m. and Beulah McClung p.m. **Wednesday:** Helen Armstrong a.m. **Thursday:** Jessie Owens a.m. **Friday:** Fern Hawks a.m., Ruth Morton courtesy and Virginia Bell p.m.

colby college

Colby Community College will offer fall semester classes over the Northwest Kansas Interactive Television Network to several Kansas cities, including Goodland. For enrollment, call Sue Long at 785-462-4692.

Anger/Stress will begin at **4:30 p.m. Mountain Time Friday, Oct.**

SHARE sign up for the October distribution of food will be until **Monday, October 14**, at the Sherman County Health Department, Harvest America, the Regional Prevention Center or the Kanorado Senior Center. **Pick up** will be **Saturday, Sept. 27**, for the September distribution.

Flu shots will be given on a walk-in basis at the Sherman County Health Department from **9 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday, Sept. 29-Oct. 3**.

American Association of Retired Persons **driver safety class** will be from **1-5 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 1 and 2**, at 2431 Walnut and from **1-5 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 15 and 16**, at the Goodland Senior Center. Class size is limited. Call 890-6638 to register.

Kanorado Octoberfest will be **Friday and Saturday, Oct. 3 and 4**.

The Missions Committee of the First United Methodist Church is **accepting donations for the Northwest Kansas Family Shelter** through **Tuesday, Oct. 7**.

school activities

Wednesday: Black day. Semi-

17, at the Northwest Kansas Technical College.

thrift shop

Due to the many donations already received, the Goodland Churches Thrift Shop will not accept donations until further notice. If any club or civic organization needs a short program of volunteering, call the thrift shop at 899-2007.

The thrift shop’s Kids Christmas Shop needs doll clothes and are accepting donations of doll clothes of all sizes and is looking for someone to make doll clothes from fabric and trim the shop has. Call 899-2007.

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

— DECA. Senior class officers meeting with Balfour 10:30 a.m. in the cafeteria. Sophomore class ring orders 11-12:30 in Mr. Hagerman’s room. **Thursday:** Gold day. Seminar — STUCO and GRACE. JV tennis 2 p.m. at Hays, dismiss 11 a.m., depart 11:15. **Friday:** Black day. Varsity football 6:30 p.m. at St. Francis, depart 4:30. Cheerleaders to St. Francis, depart 4:30. **Saturday:** “C” Volleyball 8 a.m. at Oberlin, depart 5:15. Kids Theatre auditions 9-11 a.m.

school menu

Wednesday: Enchiladas, lettuce salad, corn, cookie and milk. **Thursday:** Cooks’ choice. **Friday:** Tator tot casserole, green beans, hot roll, 1/2 orange and milk.

seniorcenter menu

Wednesday: Hot turkey sandwich, mashed potatoes and gravy, peaches, bread and crispy rice bar. **Thursday:** Pork roast, steamed cabbage, carrots and onions, cantaloupe, bread and cake with frosting. **Friday:** Chili, orange pineapple salad, crackers and cinnamon roll.

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

During the late evening hours Wednesday, Sept. 3, or the early morning hours of Thursday, Sept. 4, someone damaged a statue of a lion in Chambers Park, 13th and Center. Also during this time, a statue of an eagle was taken from the park. 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.

obituaries

Vera Gattshall

Vera Marie (Livingston) Gattshall, 87, a Sherman County homemaker, died Sunday, Sept. 14, 2003, at the Cheyenne County Hospital in St. Francis.

She was born July 31, 1916, in Mahaska, the daughter of Verna (Short) and Earl Livingston. In 1918, the family moved to Alexandria, Neb., where they lived until 1920.

The family then moved to the farm southwest of Siebert, Colo., where Gattshall grew up. After attending Rock Cliff School, she graduated from Siebert High School in 1933 and attended Colorado Women’s College in Denver.

On June 8, 1943, she married Wallace Gattshall in Goodland. When he returned home from the Army in 1945, they settled on a farmstead in Grant Township and she lived there until her death.

She was a member of the Neville United Methodist Church, the Neville Women’s Society and Sunny Circle Extension Home Unit. She was a club leader for Sherman Leader 4-H Club as long as her boys were in 4-H.

Preceding her in death were her parents; a sister, Rose Kemp; and a brother, William Earl Livingston.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Robert (Kathy) Gattshall of Shawnee and Bill (Diane) Gattshall of Goodland; two sisters, Viva (Vernis) Boger of Pittsburg and Eloise (John) Martin of Gooding, Idaho; and six grandchildren.

Services will be at 10:30 a.m. Thursday, Sept. 18, 2003, at Koons Chapel with Pastor Bob Snyder officiating. Burial will follow in the Goodland Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 3-7 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home and before the service Thursday.

Memorials may be made to the Cheyenne County Hospital in care of the funeral home at 211 N. Main, Goodland, Kan. 67735-1555.

Frederick Crum

Frederick Newton Crum, 81, a jeweler and former St. Francis City Councilman, died Monday, Sept. 8, 2003, in Denver.

4-H news

The regular monthly meeting of the Sunflower 4-H Club was held Monday, Aug. 18, at the United Methodist Church.

The meeting was called to order at 7 p.m. by President Samantha Raymer, who led the group in the flag salute and the 4-H Club Pledge. Roll call, “What is your favorite day of the week,” was answered by 18 members, 12 parents and one leader.

During the business meeting, it was announced that all members received ribbons in the fair, that record books are due Sept. 15 and

He was born Oct. 2, 1921, in Tasco, the son of Clifford David and Esther (Newton) Crum. He attended elementary school in Tasco and graduated from Hoxie High School in 1939.

He graduated from Bradley University School of Harology in Peoria, Ill., in 1942. Crum joined the Navy and served four years, mostly in the South Pacific, on an aircraft carrier.

After his Navy service, Crum was an instrument technician for an airline in Kansas City. When management threatened to close the company if they tried to form a union, Crum moved to St. Francis, where his sister Margaret Magley lived.

He had a watch repair business in the corner of Felix Cooper’s Drug Store. In 1947, he opened Frederick’s Jewelry in the building where Milliken’s Law Offices are now. He later built a store across the street, where the old Dunn Bakery was. He operated the store for 55 years, 33 of which he had the help of his son.

In 1948, he married Wilma Andrist. The couple had two sons, Forrest David in 1950 and a son who died in infancy in 1952.

Crum taught ballroom dancing and was later a Sunday School teacher. He served as president of the Lion’s Club and was later district governor of District 17 Northwest.

He was president of the St. Francis Chamber of Commerce and was on the city council when the present swimming pool was built. Crum was president of the Kansas Jewelers Association in 1973 and Master of the St Francis Masonic Lodge.

Crum’s hobbies were his work repairing watches and setting diamonds. He and Wilma traveled extensively, touring much of the United States and making five trips to Europe.

Preceding him in death were his parents; his sister; an infant son; a brother, Cliff Crum; two brothers-in-law, Bill (Gerre) Andrist and Bob Andrist; and his parents-in-law, Chris and Olive Andrist.

Survivors include his wife, a son and a brother-in-law, Ben (Ariel) Andrist.

Services were Friday, Sept. 12, 2003, at Knodel Funeral Home. Burial followed in St. Francis Cemetery with Masonic Graveside services.

that 4-H Sunday is Oct. 5.

Kendra Promise and Dusti Chadwick reported that the club’s booth received a blue ribbon at the fair.

A project talk by Dusti was about a fun and easy snack called “Puppy Chow.”

Kathy Wood gave a project talk about how to make an apple pie.

Christy Studer led the group in an egg race. Refreshments were served by the Cook and Chadwick families.

The next meeting was scheduled for 7 p.m. Monday, Sept. 15.

Prairie Piecemakers Quilt Guild Organizational meeting

Thursday, September 18, at 7 p.m.

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