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student news

Ashley Cook, a 2004 Brewster High School graduate, will receive a \$1,500 scholarship from USA Funds, a student loan guarantor. She is pursuing a bachelor's degree in interior architecture at Kansas State University.

Tiffany Elisse Schwasinger of Goodland, a junior at the University of Nebraska and Lincoln, was on the dean's list in the College of Arts and Sciences. She is majoring in biological sciences and earned a 4.0 grade point average.

Brian Coon and Jayci Stone of Goodland, Marc Welsh of Sharon Springs and Tucker Sexson of Weskan were on the president's honor roll for earning 4.0 grade point averages this spring at Colby Community College.

Monica Rangel of Goodland and Joy Zumbahlen of Bird City were on the dean's honor roll for earning grade point averages between 3.75 and 3.99 at Colby Community College this spring.

Barbara Holzwarth of St. Francis and Corinna Bussen of Sharon Springs graduated with associate's degrees from Barton County Community College this spring.

activities

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

"Kansas Quilts of Old" is on display from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday and from 9 a.m.-4 **p.m. Saturday** at the High Plains 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. Stained glass creations by Twila Large of Ellis will be on display through Saturday, July 31.

The Goodland Public Library will have story time for 4 and 5year-olds from **10-10:45 a.m.** Wednesdays and from 11-11:45 a.m. Thursdays. Story time for 3year-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.

the calendar

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The Smoky Gardens Archery Club will have a shoot at 10 a.m. **Sunday** at the range, east of Arcade by the railroad tracks. Call Chuck Engel at 890-5174 or William McKnight at 890-5358.

Big Brothers Big Sisters will have a volunteer enrichment session from 5-6 p.m. Monday at the Northwest Kansas Technical College. Paul Chaffin, counselor at the college, will be speaking. Call 890-3665 to RSVP by Wednesday.

Big Brothers Big Sisters will have Big For a Day from 6:30-7:30 p.m. Monday at the Rural Fire Department, Eighth and Cattletrail. The fire department will give a fire safety presentation. Call 890-3665 to RSVP by Wednesday.

SHARE sign up for the July distribution of food will be until Monday at the Sherman County Health Department, Harvest America, the Regional Prevention Center or the Kanorado Senior Center. Pick up will be **Saturday**, July 24, for the July distribution.

Burlington. Call Pamela at 719-346-7711 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 Udell, a grant writer, will present 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.

Myofascial Pain Support Group received a grant from the Kansas meets from 6:30-8:30 p.m. the Department on Aging to present third Wednesday of every month in the Emergency Medical Services nursing homes. building, 257 15th St., in Burlington. Call Debbie at 719-346-4612.

Goodland Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS) will NOT meet from the first Monday of the a.m.-5 p.m. Central Time Monday**month** during the summer. Some fun activities scheduled for the summer include play time **11 a.m.** Monday at Phillips Park; bring your own goodies. Swimming 3-5 p.m. Thursday, July 29, at the swimming pool. Bubbles **9:30 a.m.** Friday, Aug. 13, at Chambers Park; bring your own potion and bubble makers. Barbecue 6 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 28, at Steever Park; meat, drinks and table service provided; bring side dish or dessert. The whole family, friends and neighbors are welcome.

The Goodland After-5 Club, affiliated with Christian Business and Professional Women, is having the "Let Freedom Ring" dinner party from 7-8:30 p.m. Monday at the Butterfly Cafe at Renner Field. The special speaker will be Mary Murphy from Imperial, Neb., and music will be by Darin Richardson of Goodland. There is a charge for dinner. Call Lori Titus at 899-3828 or Carol Tupper at 890-5955 for reservations.

Jodi Tubbs of the Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs will be in Goodland from 1-2:15 p.m. Thursday, July 15, in the Assembly Room on the third floor of the courthouse to help veterans and dependents with claims. Call the office in Colby any Monday, Wednesday or Friday at (785) 462-3572.

Grassland Reserve Program applications must be submitted by Friday, July 16, to be considered for this year's funding. The U.S. Department of Agriculture Service Center, 210 W. 10th, and conservation office staff has ap-

Kit Carson County Hospital in Office Complex, 350 S. Range, Colby. Grant Writing I will be Monday-Wednesday, July 26-28; Grant Writing II will be Tuesday-Thursday, Aug. 10-12; and Grant Writing III will be Tuesday-Thursday, Oct. 26-28. Dr. Don the workshops. There is a charge. Call 785-462-2602 to register.

Nursing home abuse prevention training will be held at 2 p.m. Central Time Thursday, Oct. 21, at Lantern Park Manor in Colby. Fibromyalgia and Chronic Kansas Advocates for Better Care training sessions at several Kansas

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 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 Goodland. Scheduled appointments. Blood pressures 9-11 a.m. at Wheat Ridge Acres. Thursday: Office closed 8-9 a.m. for a staff meeting. WIC in and Wallace counties who suffered Goodland. Scheduled appointments. Friday: Scheduled appointments. Infants', children's and adult's immunizations, physicals, fasting blood sugar, cholesterol and hemoglobin, family planning and toenail clipping available by appointment. Sharps containers are available free. Call 899-4888. Water Testing — The Northwest The Western Prairie Resource Local Environmental Protection

plications and information. The center's phone number is 899-3070, and the web site is www.ks.nrcs.usda.gov.

Entries are being taken for the Northwest Kansas District Free Fair Parade until Wednesday, July 28. The theme is "Hot Fun in the Summer Time," and the parade will line up at 5 p.m. at 17th and Main and proceed north to Eighth St. Enter at the Kansas State Research and Extension Office, 813 Broadway, Room 301, Goodland. Call 899-4880.

Sherman County 4-H Ambassadors are taking nominations for Grand Marshall of the fair parade. Call the extension office at 899-4880.

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Wednesday: Baked spaghetti, tossed salad, mixed vegetables, garlic bread and watermelon. Thursday: Liver and onions, creamed corn, peaches, bread and blueberry shortcake with topping. Friday: Hot turkey sandwich, mashed potatoes and gravy, carrot/raisin salad, bread and fruit mix.

or discuss environmental concerns, call the Health Department at 899-4888.

hospital volunteers Wednesday: M. Schippert, a.m.

Thursday: Jessie Owens, a.m. Friday: Fern Hawks, a.m., and Ruth Morton, courtesy.

reunion

The USS Long Beach CGN-9 Association Inc. will have its 2004 reunion Monday-Sunday, Sept. 13-19, at the Hilton San Antonio Airport, 611 NW Loop 410. For reservations, call 877-377-7227 and ask for the reunion's rate of \$79 plus tax. Contact Don Shade at 299 Kiantone Rd., Jamestown, N.Y. 14701-9370, phone 866-352-2469, e-mail LBCGN9@aol.com.

cell phone drive

Save a Life Give a Phone collects used cell phones and refurbishes them to provide 911 access for elderly, disabled, the YWCA Domestic Violence Shelters and domestic violence victims nation wide. The group has a drop-off point at American Communications, 813 Main. Call Jeannie Topliff at 899-2426 or Candice 866-448-2366.

farm services

obituaries

Kathryn Owens

Kathryn Jane Owens, 53, an Edson homemaker, died Friday, July 2, 2004, at

Lantern Park Manor in Colby. She was born Sept. 23, 1950, at Santa Ana, Calif., the daughter of Myrna (Troxell) and Donald Os-Owens borne. She graduated from

Western High School in Alameda, Calif., and continued her education at junior college.

She had been a member of the high school's a capella choir and Living Singing Christmas Tree.

On Feb. 22, 1969, she married Darrell D. Owens. She was a member of the Emmanuel Lutheran Church, Edson Social Club and Smokey Iowa Social Club.

Preceding her in death were her father; her step-father, Bill Carson; and her father-in-law, Leonard Owens.

Survivors include her mother, Myrna Carson of Goodland; her step-mother, Ruth Osborne of Gulfport, Miss.; her husband; a daughter, Nicole (Mitch) Glassman of Goodland; a son, Justin (Tiffany) Owens of Shawnee; a half-sister and half-brothers, Becky Farris of Plainville, Kenny Carson, David (JoAnna) Osborne and Robbie Osborn, all of Gulfport, Miss.; and a grandson.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday, July 7, 2004, at the Goodland Emmanuel Lutheran Church with Pastor Scott Grimshaw officiating. Burial will follow in the Goodland Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 3-7 p.m. today at Koons Chapel and at the church before the service.

Contributions may be made to the Kathy Owens Memorial in care of the funeral home at 211 N. Main, Goodland, Kan. 67735-1555.

matters of record

Real Estate

The following real estate transactions were reported by the Sherman LLC, the N/2, Sec. 19, T9S, R37W; County Register of Deeds:

Vera and Harlan Mayer, trustees of the Vera Mayer Revocable Trust, to JDC Farms, Inc., the NE/4, Sec. of Sec. 24, T9S, R38W. 35, T6S, R38W.

Farmers in Sherman, Cheyenne Richard L. and Rita M. Billinger the Marie Johnson the north 15 feet, Lot SE/4, Sec. 29, T8S, R38W.

Walter Bisbee

Walter "Jim" Bisbee, 84, Great Bend, a former printer and composing room foreman for the old Sherman County Herald, died Friday, July 2, 2004, at the Central Kansas Medical Center in Great Bend.

He was born Nov. 21, 1919, at Dustin, Okla., the son of Lewis H. and Lucinda (Tucker) Bisbee.

On Dec. 6, 1941, he married Minnie James at Mena, Ark. He was a printer and composing room foreman for the Herald for 17 years and for The Great Bend Tribune for 22 years, retiring in 1987.

He lived in Great Bend for 38 years after moving from Goodland.

Mr. Bisbee was an Army veteran of World War II, reaching the rank of sergeant. He was a member of the Great Bend First United Methodist Church, the American Legion and a lifetime member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Preceding him in death were a brother, Bill Bisbee, and two sisters, Leatha Sprinkle and Irene McElfresh.

Survivors include his wife; a son, James D. (Linda) Bisbee of Wichita; a daughter, Karen L. (Al) Webb of McMinnville, Tenn.; two brothers, King Bisbee of Mena, Ark., and Lynn Bisbee of McColl, S.C.; two sisters, Jean Dickerson of Pomona, Calif., and Elsie Daniels of Mena, Ark.; and a granddaughter.

Services were scheduled for 10:30 a.m. today, Tuesday, July 6, 2004, at the church with the Rev. Gary Brooks officiating. Burial was to follow in the Great Bend Cemetery with military committal rites conducted by a Fort Riley honor guard.

Memorials may be made to the pastor's mission fund at the church, Meals on Wheels or the Great Bend Public Library in care of Bryant Funeral Home, 1425 Patton Rd., Great Bend, Kan. 67530.

the City of Goodland.

Dale Mitchek to Dale Mitchek, the SE/4. Sec. 15. T8S. R38W: the NW/4, Sec. 12, T9S, R38W; the NW/4, Sec. 16, T9S, R38W; and all

Susan Ilene Short, of Wallace Stephen M. and Patricia Briney to County, to Logan Andrew and Wynta 15, all of Lot 16 and the south 20 feet United of Omaha Life Insurance Lot 17, Block 27, Second Addition to John W. Johnson to Fred E. and 3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10,11 and 12, Block Constance Witzel, Lot 3, Block 4, original town of Kanorado. William T. Taylor quitclaim to quitclaim to Harlan D. and Cora A. Todd K. Fehrenbach, of Colo., the E/2, Sec. 27, T9S, R42W. Bryan Strnad, of Larimer County, Colo., to trustees of the Cynthia K. Strnad Trust the N/2, Sec. 30, T9S, R37W. Carmen I. Witten, trustee of the Myers the south 50 feet, Lot 4, M.W. Children's trust, to Brenda Block 2, Kohler First Addition to Linin the SE/4, Sec. 31, T7S, R40W.

TOPS Meetings - Take Off Pounds Sensibly meets at **5:30 p.m.** Mondays at North Elementary School. Weigh-in is at 5 p.m.

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

Group meets at 7 p.m. Monday in the cafeteria in the basement at the

Prairie Piecemakers Quilt Guild will meet at 7 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. Call Cora House at 899-6551, Joan Reid at 899-7301 or Carol Tupper at 890-5955.

area events

Alcoholics Anonymous S.O.S. Conservation and Development Group does free well evaluations, Area will sponsor grant-writing including testing for bacteria and workshops at the Thomas County nitrates. To schedule an evaluation

crop or livestock losses because of natural disasters can apply for U.S. Farm Service Agency emergency loans. The farm service office at 210 W. 10th in Goodland is open from 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday. Call 899-3070. Applications for loans will be accepted until Thursday, Sept. 23.

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.

Company, of Douglas County, the City of Goodland. Neb., to Harlan D. House, Lots 1, 2, 65, Original Town of Goodland.

Harlan D. and Cora A. House House, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, Block 65, Original Town of Goodland.

Wayne D. and Randie E. Myers, of Arapahoe County, Colo., quitclaim to Wayne D. and Randie E.

Farmer showed off sample of nearly five-foot 'macaroni' wheat T.E. Ryan, special agent of the winning good averages and getting a sound not very familiar to Mr. and

By Evelyn Ward

Sherman County Historical Society July 6, 1904: Big Macaroni Wheat — T.P. Crawford, who lives six miles south, was in Goodland showing a sample of durum or macaroni wheat raised on his farm.

The sample just lacked two inches measuring five feet in height, and Mr. Crawford says he has 25 acres, all of which is as good as the sample.

The heads are long and big, and supposing it will make 50 bushels to the acre, which is not an exaggerated estimate, he will reap 1,250 bushels from his 25 acres. This is the way this type of wheat is beginning

today in history

to grow in the county.

July 7, 1904: Personal Tax Notice—If all personal tax is not paid machine is a "Baby No. 1" and has by July 10, tax warrant will issue. 450 pounds capacity. Come in and settle before that time if you want to avoid additional ex- tablished a shooting gallery. The pense and trouble.

I. Warner, County Treasurer July 8, 1904: LITTLE NEWSES – H.H. Auer & Son have a new porch on the south and north side of their restaurant. Glen Filer, who is the per capita wealth of the nation doing the work, says it is the largest porch in town.

J.B. Moore bought a De Leval went prices.

cream separator Tuesday, of the company's agent, Jim Sullivan. The

Hargraves and Morrow have escrack shots can now have a chance to show their skill. A prize for the best score is given every Saturday night.

The treasury department reports greater than ever before. The beef trust saw this statement, and up

land office, was here Friday, looking after matters connected with collected evidence in the Dewey cases of fencing lands.

Asa Smith of Colby was in Goodland Tuesday to bid on three quarter sections of land on which he had foreclosed mortgages for clients.

James Phillips, who taught the Kanorado school last year, was in Goodland last week, and speaking of the examination of the applicants for the common school diploma of Kanorado in April, said that every one of the four candidates passed,

their "brains" on paper in good shape. The average percent of grade public lands. He is the man who of the four ranked as follows: 90, 89, 83, and 80.

> At the examination for common school diplomas at the Goodland high school building, June 16 and 17, it is reported that out of fifteen candidates only seven were successful.

July 9, 1904: J.W. Robertson, an end of him. accompanied by his wife, got into close quarters with a rattlesnake Monday while they were sitting on the grass waiting for the horse races to be called.

That weird and startling noise —

Mrs. Robertson as they have not lived here long — caused them to look about hurriedly, and right in front of Mr. Robertson was a large rattler coiled and ready, his rattles sounding the tocsin of war.

They quickly gave the snake more room, and then Mr. Robertson thrust the point of the umbrella down the snake's throat and made

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