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Morgan Lea Jones was born Wednesday, Feb. 9, 2005, at the Decatur County Hospital in Oberlin. She weighed 6 pounds, 9 ounces, and was 19 inches long. She was welcomed home by her sister Hannah.

Her parents are Wade and Leslie Jones of Oberlin. Paternal grandparents are Mike and Denise Jones, and maternal grandparents are Kent and Deb Brown, all of Oberlin.

Paternal great-grandparents are Peggy Jones and Charlotte Parks, Hill City; and maternal great-grandparents are Norma Brown, Oberlin; and Ruby Phifer, Goodland.

student news

Kim Cook of Edson was among the 63 Washburn University students included in the 2005 edition of Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges. The students will be honored at a reception at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, March 10, in the Kansas Room, Memorial Union.

Campus nominating committees and editors of the annual directory selected the students based on their academic achievement, service to the community, leadership in extra-curricular activities and potential for continued success.

business news

Developmental Services of Northwest Kansas has changed its name to Employment Connections. The program has provided employment services to people in northwest Kansas for over 30 years, and officials decided the new name would better reflect the services provided.

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

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The **American Association of Retired Persons defensive driving course** will be **Tuesday and Wednesday** at Edwards Hall. Call Marie Edwards at 899-3323.

SHARE sign up for the March distribution of food will be until **Monday, March 7**, at the Sherman County Health Department, Harvest America, the Regional Prevention Center or the Kanorado Senior Center. Pick up will be **Saturday, March 19**, for the March distribution.

Severe Weather Awareness Week will be **March 13-19**. A tornado drill will be held at **12:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 15**. Each day that week, the National Weather Service Office in Goodland will send out a Public Information Statement and play safety information on NOAA All-Hazards Weather Radio on some aspect of severe weather. Topics will include watches and warnings, tornadoes, lightning, flooding, hail and high winds, as well as safety information.

A **storm spotter training class** will be held at **7 p.m. Tuesday, March 29**, in the National Guard Armory. The class will last about 2 1/2 hours.

school calendar

Today: Gold day. State wrestling. 1A Regional Basketball Tournament in the Max Jones Fieldhouse. Reading Test 3 and 4. KMEA State Conference.

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Monday: First day of spring sports practice, sub-state basketball week, boys games.

Tuesday: Gold day. Seminar — STUCO and state department meeting. Sub-state basketball girls games. One and two science test in science classes.

Wednesday: Black day. Seminar — Sophomores performance part. Math test and state department meeting. City/county recreation sports 7:30 p.m. in the Max Jones Fieldhouse and junior high gym. One and two science test in science classes.

Thursday: Gold day. Seminar — FCCLA. Sub-state basketball at Larned, boys games. Three and four science test in science classes. Elks Hoop Shoot 7-9 p.m. in the high school gym.

Friday, March 4: Black day. Seminar — driver's ed. meeting in the cafeteria. Sub-state basketball at Larned, girls games. Three and four science test in science

classes.

Saturday, March 5: Sub-state basketball at Larned, championship games. Kansas State DECA March 5-8 at Overland Park.

Sunday, March 6: Kansas State DECA at Overland Park.

school lunch menu

Monday: Chicken and noodles, mashed potatoes, California blend vegetables, dinner roll, fruit cup and milk. **Tuesday:** Tacos, cheese, lettuce, tomatoes, tri-tators, frosted banana and milk. **Wednesday:** Cooks' choice. **Thursday:** Hamburger, french fries, pickles, lettuce, onion, tomatoes, 1/2 orange and milk. **Friday:** Macaroni and cheese, broccoli, dinner roll, strawberry and banana cup and milk.

senior center menu

Monday: Lasagna, spinach salad, pineapple tidbits, garlic bread and pudding cup. **Tuesday:** Chili, carrot/raisin salad, fruit mix with bananas, crackers and cinnamon roll. **Wednesday:** Turkey, sweet potato casserole, green beans, roll and cranberry apple salad. **Thursday:** Meat loaf with zesty topping, scalloped potatoes, Italian blend vegetables, bread and rosy pears. **Friday:** Baked fish, rice pilaf, asparagus, bread and four-fruit compote.

closed meeting with Al-Anon, **Wednesday**, the book meeting, and **Saturday**, an open meeting, at 1013 Center. For Alcoholics Anonymous, call Rob at 890-3023 or Linda at 399-2353. For Al-Anon, call Cheryl at 890-3023.

The "Freedom Today" group of **Narcotics Anonymous** meets at **8 p.m. Tuesdays and 7 p.m. Saturdays** at the Elks Lodge. These are open meetings. Call 890-8369.

Fibromyalgia and Chronic Myofascial Pain Support Group meets from **6:30-8:30 p.m. the third Wednesday** of every month in the Emergency Medical Services building, 257 15th St., in Burlington. Call Debbie at 719-346-4612.

Goodland Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS) will meet from **6-7:30 p.m. the first Monday of the month** at the Goodland Bible Church, 109 Willow.

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

The board of directors of **Farm Credit of Western Kansas** is holding its **annual stockholders meeting at 6:30 p.m. Central Time Thursday, March 17**, at the City Limits Convention Center in Colby. Registration will be at 6 p.m. A prime rib dinner will be served after the business meeting. Call 785-462-6714.

The **Wallace County Ministerial Association** is holding an **auction at 10 a.m. Saturday, March 19**, at the an airport hangar on U.S. 40 west of Sharon Springs to **raise money for victims of the tsunami** in southeast Asia. The association is accepting donations of household items, furniture, vehicles, athletic equipment and repairable appliances. Senior citizens and others can't get their items to the sale can call 785-852-4057 for pickup the day before the sale. Any assistance is welcome whether in services, donations, time or money. Auction-

eer David Lehman of D & S Auctions is donating his time, and Jim Bussen of Bussen Aerial Spraying is donating use of the hangar. Money raised will go to Brand New Images Inc., a mission organization that will be sending a representative to Asia to deliver it and to help orphans who are in danger of being sold into slavery.

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.

Monday: Scheduled appointments. **Tuesday:** WIC in Oberlin. Scheduled appointments. **Wednesday:** Scheduled appointments. Blood pressures 9 a.m. at Wheat Ridge Acres. **Thursday:** WIC in Colby. Scheduled appointments. **Friday:** Scheduled appointments.

Blood pressures; infants', children's and adult's immunizations; health assessments for Kan Be Healthy, daycare and school entry; fasting blood sugar, cholesterol and hemoglobin; family planning; and toenail clipping available by appointment. Sharps containers are available free. 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 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

The gift shop hours are 9 a.m.-noon and 1-4 p.m.; a.m. and p.m. volunteers are in the gift shop.

Monday: Teresa David, a.m. and p.m., and Mazie Sutton, courtesy.

obituaries

Edna Walters Harris

Edna M. Walters Harris, 88, a Goodland homemaker, died Sunday, Feb. 20, 2005, at the Sherman County Good Samaritan Center.

She was born Jan. 7, 1917, in Mingo, the daughter of Louzetta (Arnett) and Harry B. Stickel. She attended country school in Thomas County.

On Oct. 21, 1934, she married Curtis Walters, and they had three children. He died in 1959.

On April 30, 1965, she married Fred Hartwell. He died Jan. 14, 1974. On Aug. 21, 1976, she married John Harris. He died on April 12, 2002.

Also preceding her in death were her parents; two brothers, Ira and George "Judd" Stickel; four sisters, Zella Purcell, Irene Tubbs, Hattie Maye Huff and Des Moines "Jiggs" Youngblood; and a grandson, Jason Curtis Barnett.

Survivors include two daughters, Evelyn (Mirl) Barnett of Rexford and Bonnie (Ken) Kysar of Lakin; a son, Lester (Karen) Walters of Cañon City, Colo.; eight grandchildren; and eight-great-grandchildren.

Services were Tuesday, Feb. 22,

2005, at Koons Chapel with Pastor Steve Rains officiating.

Memorials may be made to the Special Care Unit at the Good Samaritan Center in care of the funeral home at 211 N. Main, Goodland, Kan. 67735-1555.

Danny Hersherberger

Danny Ray Hersherberger, 45, Goodland, a jack of all trades, died Monday, Feb. 14, 2005, at Indian Meadows in Overland Park.

He was born Nov. 26, 1959, in Wooster, Ohio, the son of Mary Ann Hersherberger. He attended grade school in Goodland, junior high in Brewster and graduated from high school in Healy.

Hersherberger worked in the oil fields, was a janitor, did roofing and construction and cut wood. He moved from Goodland to Denver about five years ago and worked for a manufacturing company, filling orders for tractor parts.

After he lost his job, he lived on the streets for a while before deciding it was time to return home to Goodland.

His sister said something was not quite right about him when he returned to Goodland, and his family tried to get him help.

He cut wood for Luis Aguilar for about a year before going to Larned State Hospital in January for evaluation. There, he suffered an unknown accident, after which he was

a quadriplegic. When he woke up in the hospital, he remembered feeling faint and trying to sit down as he was getting into the shower. It wasn't certain whether he had fallen or what had happened.

He was moved to Wichita until he became stable and then moved to Indian Meadows in Overland Park for long-term care. He died there from complications of pneumonia.

Preceding him in death was his mother, Mary Ann Woodard.

Survivors include two sisters, Susan (Kenny) Mills of Arriba, Colo., and Sarah Ellen (Eric) Graffam of Lancaster, S.C., and his stepfather, Elmer Woodard of Goodland.

Services were held Sunday, Feb. 20, 2005, at the Promised Land Baptist Church, 16th and Sherman, in Goodland.

Alberta Myers

Alberta Helena Myers, 84, Oakley, mother of Tamera Dee (James) Lunsway of Denver, former co-owner of Mr. Jim's His Shop in Goodland, died Thursday, Feb. 17, 2005, at the Prairie Senior Living Complex in Colby.

She was born Nov. 2, 1920, in Osborne County, the daughter of

Frieda Gertrude (Gaubatz) and Louis Peter Mangold. Raised in the Morland area, she graduated from high school in Hill City in 1938.

On Oct. 5, 1941, she married Kenneth O. Myers in WaKeeney. In 1946, they moved to Oakley, where they worked side-by-side in their retail business until they retired in 1992. She moved to Colby in 2000.

Mrs. Myers was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars auxiliary and the Sunflower Club in Oakley. Her greatest joy was her family. She often traveled to see those she cared about and wrote letters and notes to keep in touch.

She was an accomplished gardener and enjoyed crocheting, giving away most of her handiwork.

Preceding her in death were her husband in 1994 and her parents.

Other survivors include a daughter, Pamela Sue (Nicholas) Caldwell of San Diego; two sisters, Amelia Neiberger of Sterling, Colo., and Luise Collins of Assaria; four grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Services were Monday, Feb. 21, 2005, at Kennedy-Koster Funeral Home in Oakley with Maysel Vogler officiating. Burial followed in the Oakley Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the

Prairie Senior Living Complex in care of the funeral home at 217 Freeman, Oakley, Kan. 67748.

Elmer Query

Elmer L. Query, 87, a Goodland-area farmer, died Saturday, Feb. 19, 2005, at Goodland Regional Medical Center.

He was born March 6, 1917, at Stromsburg, Neb., the son of Ruby Ethel (Deeds) and Charles LeRoy Query. He attended Central School north of Bird City.

On May 20, 1939, he married Lora Maxine Childers at the Methodist parsonage in Bird City. They celebrated their 65th anniversary last year. He had lived and farmed in Sherman County for 63 years.

Mr. Query was a member of the Our Savior's Lutheran Church in



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Brewster, the Goodland Elks Lodge and the Lions Club.

Preceding him in death were his parents and two brothers, Lowell and Virgil.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Clair (Eunice) Query of Colby, Bryan (Cathy) Query of Albuquerque, N.M., and Alan Query of Edson; two daughters, Sharon Layman of the Villages, Fla., and Ann (Darrell) Bay of College Station, Texas; a sister, Lucille Query (Maynard) Wright of Bird City; two sisters-in-law, E.J. Query of Bird City and Viola Query of Woodrow, Colo.; 15 grandchildren; and 28 great-grandchildren.

Services were Thursday, Feb. 24, 2005, at Emmanuel Lutheran Church in Goodland with Pastor Scott Grimshaw officiating. Burial followed in the Goodland Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the Elmer Query Memorial for the churches, in care of Koons Funeral Home, 211 N. Main, Goodland, Kan. 67735-1555.



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March 12th, 2005

Goodland Methodist Fellowship Hall
12th & Sherman Street

11 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Serving: Chili, Vegetable Soup, Drink & Dessert

Tickets available at the door.

Adults \$5, Children \$3 (6-12 years old)

