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Larry and Beverly Ennis of Greensburg, Ky., (left) visited the Ennis-Handy House on Thursday, June 30, on their way to Colorado. They were looking for ideas on woodwork and restoration for their own house and stumbled upon a house with their name on it. Ennises had a picture of their Victorian house in Kentucky (above). Photo by Sharon Corcoran/The Goodland Star-News

Ennis-Handy house gets visit from Ennises

By Sharon Corcoran

The Goodland Star-News Some things seem like they were just meant to be. That's how it seemed when Larry and Beverly Ennis stumbled onto a house with their name on it.

Traveling from Greensburg, Ky., the Ennises stopped in Hays, where they saw a brochure advertising a "1907 Victorian House" in Goodland.

They own a Victorian house and wanted to borrow some ideas on woodwork and restoration.

So they decided to stop in Goodland to see the house. It turned are related to the Ennis family that out to be the highlight of their trip. in Goodland to eat lunch before County Historical Society, is going going to the house and met John to send them the information the Ennis said, "real beautiful. The office. Golden, a farmer/rancher, who told society has on William Ennis, them the house is called the Ennis-Handy House for two of the families that owned it.

thought it was too big a coincidence said. they had the same name, even spelled the same. He was surprised, she said.

built the house, so Dave Branda, They stopped at Safari Barbecue vice president of the Sherman whose widow Mary Seaman Ennis built the house.

They will try to see if anything Beverly Ennis said Golden from the family matches up, Branda

> The Ennises were on their way to Colorado Springs to visit a daughter, who is stationed at Peterson Air Lindsey Wilson College in Colum-

granddaughter. Though they were still looking forward to that, touring the house trumped it.

'It's a beautiful house," Mrs. town should be proud." "This is the highlight of our trip,"

Mr. Ennis added.

The Ennises are educators, she a school administrator, he a professor.

education, teaches teachers-to-be at Ennis said.

They don't know whether they Force Base, and their 4-year-old bia, Ky. Mrs. Ennis is an adminis- for more improvements and were trator for the Campbellsville Independent School District. They said they have another daughter who House and the colors it will soon be works in the Kentucky governor's

They said their house was built around 1900, and with many pre-Civil War houses in the area, was one of the newer ones in their neighborhood. Still, it needed some work.

"They (neighbors) were appre-Mr. Ennis, with a doctorate in ciative when we fixed it up," Mr.

especially impressed with the woodwork on the Ennis-Handy painted.

But the borrowed ideas became trades when Mr. Ennis gave Branda and Marge Rogers a couple of pictures of their home in Kentucky. Rogers thought the baskets of plants hanging on the house would look good on the Ennis-Handy House, and she liked the arbor the Ennises built in their yard.

Still, they were looking for ideas

Goodland graduate killed south of Sharon Springs

A Kanorado area rancher, the Mireles, 28, Burlington, when the volved in the injuries. brother of a Goodland banker, was driver's-side rear tire went flat.

killed about 6 p.m. Friday when a flat tire caused the driver to lose control of a one-ton truck south of Sharon Springs in Wallace

said Mireles lost control, 5 miles south of Sharon Springs.

The pickup was heading north on Trooper Byron Wilson a straight stretch of K-27 about 9 1/

and the truck went into Both men were taken to Tribune 1972. highway. Wilson said the driver was able to get out, been wearing seat belts. Franz, a farmer and rancher in but the passenger was trapped. The truck had Colorado near Kanorado, was a been towing a trailer Goodland High School graduate. loaded with pipe, but He was born July 11, 1953, the Chevy driven by Rosalio Leonardo Wilson said the pipe was not in- son of Hugo and Virgie (Hines) and teaching his family, especially

Franz, and grew up in the Kanorado his grandchildren. area. He attended school in Goodland for three, graduating in and a niece, Melissa Cole.

cian for irrigation wells for 16 years. Franz was active with Little Britches Rodeo and bull riding schools. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, playing basketball and softball

tuary in Liberal.

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\$250 fine to the clerk for making the sale.

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Kanorado for nine years and parents; a grandson, Kaden Franz; Church with the Rev. Jeff Babb of-

Survivors also include his wife; the east ditch and rolled Medical Center, where Mireles was On Oct. 1, 1978, he married three sons, Jeremy Franz and girl- Kanorado Cemetery. nto its top, coming to examined with a possible injury, Tamara Gay in Burlington. He was friend Tonya Ficken of Stratton, rest in a field east of the and Franz was pronounced dead. a farmer and rancher his entire life Colo., Shawn (Ashley) Franz of Trooper Wilson said both had and also had been a pump techni- Burlington and Cory Franz and girlfriend Shelley Lock of Goodland; a daughter, Mandy (Nicholas) Scott, and two brothers, Joel and Kyle Franz, all of Burlington; another sister, Sonja Meade of Stratton; and five grandchildren. Services will be at 10 a.m. later.

Wednesday, July 13, 2005, at the Preceding him in death were his Burlington United Methodist ficiating.

Burial will follow in the

Visitation will be from 1 tonight at Bateman Funeral Home in Goodland. Memorials may be made in care of the funeral home at Box 278, Goodland, Kan. 67735, the First National Bank in Burlington or Bankwest in Goodland.

County.

The Kansas Highway Patrol reported that Ryan Rynn Franz, 51, brother of Cara Daise of Goodland, president of Bankwest, was riding in the 1995

Franz

obituary

Luther Boutz

Luther A. Boutz, 78, Engelwood, Kan., formerly of Liberal, died Friday, July 8, 2005, at Wesley Medical Center in Wichita.

He was born Dec. 17, 1926, at Jennings, the son of Albert R. and Theresa H. Walkmeyer Boutz, and attended school at Jennings.

On Nov. 4, 1951, he married Betty Alford at Goodland. She survives.

Boutz was a World War II Army veteran and worked in the oil fields at Medicine Lodge and Liberal. Later he drove for Yellow Freight Systems for 20 years, retiring in 2001.

nity of Christ in Liberal and the Teamsters Union, and a life mem- ters, Freda Morgan of Oskaloosa, ber of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Flora Edwards of Clarkston, Wash., in Liberal.

parents, a brother, a sister and two grandchildren.

Kenneth Boutz of Engelwood; three daughters, Janice (Andy) Bissett of Rogers, Ark., Thresa (Jerry) Kilgore of Cartwright, Okla., and Debra (Verl) Curtis of Salida, Colo.; five brothers, Darrel (Dorothea) Boutz of Zinndale, Leo (Arlene) Boutz of Concordia, Everett (Bonnie) Boutz of Jefferson City, Mo., Glen (Anita) Boutz of

Other survivors include a son,

First Baptist Church of Goodland 5th and Center welcomes the community to the installation of Pastor Travis Blake Sunday, July 17 2 p.m. An Ice Cream Social for the community follows

> at Gulick Park at 3 p.m.

He was a member of the Commu- Mulvane and Homer (Marcia) Boutz of Colorado Springs; five sis-Francis Mosier of Norton, Doreen

Preceding him in death were his (Dave) Course of Belleville, and Leona Somers of Raytown, Mo.; nine grandchildren; and five greatgrandchildren.

church, Harold Boulevard and Clay

The family will decide their use

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Services will be at 2 p.m. today,

Tuesday, July 12, 2005, at the

Street, with Pastor Milton Rice and