

Family

Deaths

Russell F. Lemman Jr.

Russell F. Lemman Jr., 83, an area farmer, died Saturday, May 22, 2010, at his home northwest of Levant.

He was born July 13, 1926, in Oberlin, the son of Russell and Anna (Pummer) Lemman.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his wife Louise in 2000, a son, Douglas, three brothers and four sisters.

Survivors include four sons, Dallas, Lemman, Calvin Lemman, Randy Lemman and Stacey

Lemman of Colby; two daughters, Beverley Lemman, Topeka; and Glenda Sharpe, Colby; 16 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Friday, May 28, 2010, at Beulah Cemetery in Colby, with Mark Chaffin officiating.

Cremation; no visitation.

The family suggest memorials in his name in care of the funeral chapel, 745 S. Country Club, Colby, Kan., 67701.

Watch out for scams

Summertime is prime time for transient merchants to prey on unsuspecting consumers, says Attorney General Steve Six, and Kansas consumers need to be aware that these crooks will be active again this year.

In the summer, it's common for sales people and "contractors" to appear at your door step, offering services you may or may not need. These transient merchants appear and offer to replace a roof, pave a driveway or some other type of home repair. Typically, these businesses are operating illegally, without proper licenses.

"These transient merchants offer repair deals that sound too good to be true," said Attorney General Six. "And these deals are, indeed, too good to be true. Thousands of dollars later, consumers are left with incomplete projects and a phony contractor that moved on to the next unsuspecting community."

Already this year, officials in Douglas County have dealt with this type of scam. A warrant has been issued in a case involving a paving company which scammed

an elderly couple out of \$8,000.

"It is important that we send a message to these criminals that they are not welcome in Kansas," said District Attorney Charles Branson. "My office will continue to act quickly on any complaints brought to us ... to ensure that consumers are protected from these scams."

Any Kansan looking to do summer home repair projects is urged to find a legitimate business in their town. Ask the company for referrals and check with the Better Business Bureau before signing any contracts or handing over any money.

"Remember, even if you are offered a discount by someone at the door, you will almost always regret the 'deal' after it is done," said Six.

If you have fallen victim to one of these scams or suspect you have been solicited by one of these merchants, contact your local authorities and the Kansas attorney general's Consumer Protection Division at (800) 432-2310 or (785) 296-3751. For information, go to www.ksag.org.

Couple flooded with tax calls

NEW ALBANY, Ind. (AP) — Hundreds of people who were delinquent on their property taxes have been calling a couple in southern Indiana.

The callers were trying to reach the Floyd County Treasurer's Office, but got Carolyn and Donald Baxley. The Baxleys have a telephone number just one digit off from the treasurer's office.

A contractor sent out 2,000 notices telling property owners they have until June 1 to pay late tax bills or lose their property. It mistakenly directs them to call Baxleys' home telephone number, where the phones have been ringing incessantly since late last

week.

Carolyn Baxley says her husband and daughter have helped answer calls and give out the correct number.

The 72-year-old retired nursing home worker says she's "talked to some really nice people and had a lot of laughs."

Markets

Quotes as of close of previous business day	
Hi-Plains Co-op	
Wheat (bushel)	\$3.64
Corn (bushel)	\$3.05
Milo (hundredweight)	\$4.98
Soybeans (bushel)	\$8.15

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Opportunities may surprise you

Aries (March 21 – April 20)

The challenges of the last few months start to make way for big opportunities. The turning point is Friday when for the first time in 75 years Uranus, planet of surprise and synchronicity, returns to your sign, just ahead of Jupiter, planet of luck. An outer planet in your sign marks a period when new opportunities open. Draw a line in the sand, ready to embrace the future.

Taurus (April 21 – May 21)

Focus is on your financial situation. Beginning the process of turning desires into reality, raise the bar. Inventive ideas become more common, with your imagination turning into a dream machine. Some of your best ideas will come from out of the blue.

Gemini (May 22 – June 21)

The year ahead is destined to be exciting and action-filled. With professional pressures easing and opportunities rising, expect a breakthrough on the career front, attracting income opportunities. Yet life can't be all work and no play, with your personal life grabbing a lot of attention. Break



Shannon O'Brien

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through any communication barriers or roadblocks.

Cancer (June 22 – July 22)

Raise the bar, both on your personal and relationship expectations. In what should be a personally focused time of year, Uranus is going to draw your attention to your professional situation, just as things start moving on the income front.

Leo (July 23 – Aug. 22)

As financial pressures ease, your personal life is fighting back. The stage is set for a romantically charged weekend. Uranus moves into your sector of travel, adventure, learning and discovery, opening up adventure, with unexpected opportunities coming.

Virgo (Aug. 23 – Sept. 23) Relationship forces that have been held back finally achieve a break-

through. This affects many areas of your life, giving you the confidence to become more assertive and self-managing and to start putting the past behind you. New financial forces swing into place.

Libra (Sept. 24 – Oct. 23)

All eyes are on your professional situation. Given an inch forces on the work front are going to take a mile, which could see things suddenly moving. But while professional opportunities remain and build, they'll have some competition in relationships.

Scorpio (Oct. 24 – Nov. 22) If you ignore professional drives you won't be in position when new work opportunities open up. But if life is all work and no play you won't maximize developments on the romantic and creative front. You'll succeed if you divide your time carefully and focus on win/win situations.

Sagittarius (Nov. 23 – Dec. 21)

The halfway point of your year marks a major line in the sand. Just as professional pressures begin to ease, you're ready to get things

moving. Yet Uranus moves into your romantic and creative sector for the first time in 75 years. Find a balance between work and play.

Capricorn (Dec. 22 – Jan. 20) This is a complicated week, in relationships, in work, and in romance. With Mars on the financial front and Uranus' on family, you'll be juggling all the different demands. Use your intuition to prioritize and create clearly defined boundaries from the get go.

Aquarius (Jan. 21 – Feb. 19)

The pressure you've been under on the financial front, will ease dramatically. Use any remaining pressure to your advantage. By Friday you'll be feeling a lot more confident, ready to seize unexpected opportunities to connect.

Pisces (Feb. 20 – March 20)

Monday marks a major turning point that could be considered life defining. Jupiter and Uranus are the closest they've been together in your sign since 1927. Just as things are coming to a head at work and you move into a major income opportunity. This is the week when everything changes.

Thomas County Jail

Booked into the Thomas County jail:

- Adrian Franco-Rodriguez, 28, Belen, N.M., April 30, possession of marijuana with intent to sell/distribute, unlawful use of communication facility, no drug tax stamp, Kansas Highway Patrol, released May 10 on diversion.

- Mario Alberto Molina-Cornelio, 26, Los Lunas, N.M., April 30, possession of marijuana with intent to sell/distribute, unlawful use of communication facility, no drug tax stamp, Kansas Highway Patrol, released May 10 on diversion.

- Ramiro Saucedo, 22, Dallas, May 6, failure to appear/driving while suspended, failure to appear/expired registration (Kearny County), driving without a license, driving unregistered vehicle, Kansas Highway Patrol, released same day to other agency.

- Crystal Dawn Phillips, 27, Colby, May 7, bond violation, Thomas County Sheriff's Office, released May 10 on recognizance.

- John Carl Governski, 33, Wamego, May 8, possession of marijuana with intent to sell/distribute, no drug tax stamp, unlawful use of a communication

facility, Kansas Highway Patrol, released May 10 on \$100,000 recognizance bond.

- Rolland Lee Tockey, 31, Goodland, May 8, disorderly conduct, assault on a law enforcement officer, driving with license suspended or revoked, Colby Police Department, released May 8 on \$100,000 recognizance bond.

- Logan James Fortin, 19, Colby, May 12, minor in possession/consumption, refusal to take breath test, Colby Police Department, released same day on notice to appear.

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- Holly Angella Black, 36, Brewster, May 19, battery, disorderly conduct, Thomas County Sheriff's Office, released same day on recognizance.

- Peter Mathew Merjil, 18, Colby, May 16, domestic battery, Colby Police Department, released same day on notice to appear.

- Peter Merjil, 45, Colby, May 16, domestic battery, Colby Police Department, released same day on notice to appear.

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