The Goodland Public Library will be offering the "Food for Fines" program during December. Any patron with an outstanding fine may bring in food for Genesis in exchange for the fine. Genesis needs Jell-o, pudding, cake mixes, cereal, pancake mix, peanut butter and canned goods.

The Peer Counselors at Goodland High School are sponsoring a stuffed animal drive. The animals will go to Goodland Regional Medical Center for children who come into the hospital. Clean, new or used stuffed animals can be dropped off at First National Bank, People's State Bank, Bankwest of Kansas, Western State Bank and Goodland High School until

The Goodland Public Library will close at 3 p.m. on New Year's Eve and will be closed on New **Year's Day.** The library will be of December.

Principal Voices SW will per-2:30 p.m. Sunday at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 1223 Center. A reception will follow.

**Shop** will be open today and Wednesday, **closed Thursday**, open Friday and Saturday, and then back to regular hours.

**Colby Community College out**reach enrollment will be from 1-**4:30 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 6,** in the Northwest Kansas Technical College Murray Center and from 6-7 p.m. Tuesday in the Goodland High School cafeteria. Call 785-462-

**Colby Community College out**reach enrollment will be from 6-7 p.m. Central Time Wednesday, **Jan. 7,** in the **Brewster** School conference room.

drive will be from noon-6 p.m. and Karen Gillihan of Goodland

open regular hours during the rest Wednesday, Jan. 7, at the North- will give a special feature. There is rice, buttered carrots, dinner roll, WIC in Goodland. Scheduled ap-Call 800-448-3543 or visit www.form religious and secular music at redcross.org. Donors will receive free T-shirts.

Free dog licenses will be available from 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Friday, The Goodland Churches Thrift Jan. 9, at the City of Goodland administration building, 204 W. 11th. To obtain a free license, provide written proof that the animal has current rabies vaccination.

The High Plains Roosters **Pheasants Forever** is having its annual family banquet at 6 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 10, at the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Social hour begins at 5 p.m. There is a charge.

The Goodland After-5 Club, associated with the Christian Business and Professional Women, will have its "A New Story Begins" dinner party from 7-8:30 p.m. Monday, Jan. 12, at the Butterfly Café at Renner Field. The speaker The Red Cross Goodland blood will be Judy Anderson of Wichita,

west Kansas Technical College. a charge for the meal. Call Lori Titus at 899-3828 or Carol Tupper at 890-5955 for reservations.

Jodi Tubbs of the Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs will no be traveling during December. The office in Colby will be closed from Dec. 8-Jan. 5. Her next visit to Goodland will be from **1-2:15 p.m.** Thursday, Jan. 15, in the Assembly Room on the third floor of the courthouse to help veterans and dependents with claims. If there is a situation that needs immediate attention, veterans may call the American Legion in Wichita at 800-827-1000, ext. 6814, or the Veterans of Foreign Wars at 800-827-1000, ext. 6801.

#### school activities Today-Friday: No school. school menu

Today-Friday: No school. Monday: Cooks' choice. Tuesday, **Jan. 6:** Chicken nuggets, savory

peach cobbler and milk. Wednesday, Jan. 7: Chili cheeseburger, french fries, relishes, choice of fruit and milk. Thursday, Jan. 8: Turkey and noodles, mashed potatoes, peas, hot roll, apple crisp and milk. Friday, Jan. 9: Barbecue rib sandwich, cheesy potatoes, green beans, chocolate cake and milk.

#### senior center menu

Wednesday: Ham and beans, coleslaw with carrots, cornbread and ambrosia fruit salad. Thursday: Closed for New Year's Day.

#### 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: Scheduled appointments. Thursday and Friday: Ofday: Scheduled appointments. **Tuesday, Jan. 6:** Scheduled appointments. **Wednesday, Jan. 7:** Kan. 67735.

pointments. Blood pressures 9-11 a.m. at Wheat Ridge. Thursday, Jan. 8: Office closed 8-9 a.m. for a staff meeting. WIC in Goodland. Scheduled appointments and voucher pickup. Friday, Jan. 9: Scheduled appointments.

#### hospital volunteers

Thursday: Mary Lou Franklin, a.m., and Patty Gensil, courtesy. Friday: Fern Heckman, a.m. Monday: Mazie Sutton, courtesy; D. Akers, p.m.; and M. Gunderson, a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 6: Anita Coleman, a.m., and Beulah McClung, p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 7: M. Schippert, a.m. Thursday, Jan. 8: Jessie Owens, a.m. Friday, Jan. 9: Virginia Bell, p.m.

#### birthday

Falster (E.F.) Johnson will be fice closed for New Year's. Mon-celebrating his 90th birthday Thursday, Jan. 1, 2004. Send him cards at 521 W. Eighth Apt 5, Goodland,

## obituaries

#### **Karrie Bevington**

Karrie A. (Aschenbrenner) Bevington, 27, died Sunday, Dec. 28, 2003, at her home south of Brewster. Services are pending with Kersenbrock Funeral Chapel in

#### **Emil Brazda**

Emil F. Brazda, 91, a retired Goodland farmer, died Monday, Dec. 22, 2003, at Goodland Regional Medical Center.

He was born Dec. 10, 1912, the son of Joseph and Marie (Brauner) Brazda close to Timken, where he attended country school.

On Aug. 4, 1933, he married Minnie Whitson in Larned. He moved to Goodland in 1933 and worked for several area farmers until 1937, when he purchased his own farm, where he farmed and ranched until he retired. He enjoyed playing cards, fishing and hunting.

Preceding him in death were his parents, his wife, three brothers and

Survivors include a son, Forrest (Carolyn) Brazda of Goodland; a brother, Arthur Brazda of Petaluma, Calif.; two sisters, Alfreda Brazda of Timken and Louise Van Emon of Oakland, Calif.; four grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Services were held at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 27, 2003, at Bateman Funeral Home with a private burial following in the Goodland

Memorials may be made to the donor's favorite charity in care of Bateman Funeral Home, Box 278, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

#### **Eva Briney**

Eva L. Briney, 98, Sherman County, a homemaker and teacher,

died Thursday, Dec. 25, 2003, at Goodland Regional Medical Center, having been ill only a short time.



Neb.. near Chambers. She often said, "she was 13 and Friday the 13th." Her parents were the Rev. James S. and Winifred (Fowler) Coppoc, with their background of Quaker and Baptist. She attended schools in Nebraska and Iowa, graduated from high school in Bonaparte, Iowa, and took courses at Upper Iowa University

Briney

and Fort Hays State University. On May 22, 1927, she married Walker Briney in McDonald. Until her failing years, she was an active member of the Goodland First United Methodist Church, teaching Sunday school classes for many years, being an active member of

the United Methodist Women, Circle 3, Bell Choir and Quilters, also being a district officer. She was on the Goodland School Board for awarded the Church Cross and Flame Award for service to youth.

She was also a member of 4-H and Boy Scouts leadership, Redwood Family, Community and search and the Goodland Order of the Eastern Star.

Briney was a supporter of her farmer husband, mother of five children and host to many grandchildren. She was known for the countless knitted dish cloths and afghans she gave away. She enjoyed her church and people, and a visitor was always welcomed.

When her daughter lived in England, she and Walker went to visit and ended up as world travelers with many new friends. She was a strong-willed person following the faith and guidance of her minister

Preceding her in death were her husband; her parents; two brothers, great-grandchildren. Louis and Joseph; and two greatgrandchildren.

Survivors include three daughters, Ruth (Chester) Ross of Goodland, Louise (Harold) Hanable of Glendale, Calif., and Evalyn (Kenneth) Berndt of Salina; two sons, Russell (Mary Ann) Briney of Goodland and Dwight (Kathy) Briney of Edson; a sister, Leila Sturrock of Goodland; a sister-in- Box 278, Goodland, Kan. 67735. law, Eleanor Coppoc; 24 grandchildren; 31 great-grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 10:30 a.m. today, Tuesday, Dec. 30, 2003, at the Goodland First United Methodist Church with Dr. Chester Ross officiating. Burial will follow in the Goodland Cemetery.

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

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

#### **Don Harding**

Donald C. Harding, 78, Goodland, a retired rural electric supervisor and former school board member, died Monday, Dec. 22, 2003, at Goodland Regional Medical Center, where he had been a patient for the past five days.

He was born Aug. 18, 1925, in Sherman County, the son of Theodore and Ethel (Young) Harding. He attended country school then Sherman Community High School, graduating with the class of 1943.

Harding was baptized at age 8 into the Reformed Latter Day Saints Church. On Oct. 14, 1944, he married Jeanne Galbreth in Goodland.

He was the area supervisor for for 35 years before retiring in 1987. He was a member of Crime Stop-

pers, Lions Club and Good Sam Campers Club. Mr. Harding served seven years and the Cemetery Board for nine years.

He received the Silver Beaver Award from the Boy Scouts of America Coronado Area Council Education, PEO-Chapter Z, Re- and the award of merit from the Buffalo Bill District, having served on many area and district commit-

He enjoyed all of the Scouts' activities, especially skiing and camping trips with Troop 142. He received the Cross and Flame Award from the United Methodist Church. He enjoyed camping, gardening and family activities.

Preceding him in death were his parents, a brother, a sister and a great-grandson, Brock Frerichs.

Survivors include his wife; a brother, Robert of Arizona; two children, Ron Harding and LaDona (Richard) Frerichs, both of Goodland; two grandchildren; and two

Services were at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 27, 2003, at the Goodland United Methodist Church, Burial followed in the Goodland Cemetery. Visitation was from 11 a.m.-7 p.m. Friday.

A memorial fund has been established for Boy Scout Troop 142 in his name. Contributions may be sent to Bateman Funeral Home,

#### Florence Pettibone

Florence Matilda Pettibone, 98. Kanorado, died Saturday, Dec. 20, 2003, in Peoria, Ariz.

She was born July 19, 1905, the daughter of Lily (Flageolle) and Michael Balanga in Jefferson, S.D. One of 16 children, she attended a small country school north of Stratton, Colo., through the third

In 1964, she married Henry Pettibone in Denver. The family then moved to Kanorado, where they lived until 1989. Mrs. Pettibone then moved to Kansas City, Mo., where she lived for six years before moving to Peoria.

She was a member of the Catholic Church and was involved in senior citizen activities.

Preceding her in death were her parents, her husband, five brothers,

eight sisters and a granddaughter. Survivors include four sons, Jim (Ellen) Dowd of Sun City, Ariz., Raymond (Gail) Dowd of Marietta, Ga., Tom (Sheryl) Dowd of Chehalis, Wash., and Ed (Kathy) Dowd of Bethune, Colo.; two sisters, Bertha (Leonard) Johnson of Burlington and Louise (Roy) Clark of Greeley, Colo.; 10 grandchildren;

and numerous great-grandchildren. Graveside services were at 10 Great Plains Electric Cooperative a.m. Wednesday, Dec. 24, 2003, at Calvary Cemetery in Stratton. Visitation was from 6-8 p.m. Tuesday at

970-354-7444

Love Funeral Home in Burlington. Memorials may be made to the Caring Hands Hospice in care of

First National Bank, 107 S. 14th, Burlington, Colo. 80807. Mary Caldwell

Mary Rose Caldwell, 93, a former Goodland nurse, died Monday, Dec. 22, 2003, in Thornton, Colo.

She was born March 18, 1910, in St. Francis, the daughter of Frank and Berdie (Talley) Sharpe. She grew up and attended school in St. Francis, then attended college in Salina, earning her registered nurse

In 1932, she married Loyd Caldwell in Pueblo, Colo. They lived in Goodland, where she was an office nurse for Dr. Lasley, worked for the draft board for 20 years and owned the Country House gift shop for many years.

Preceding her in death were her parents, her husband and a son, Jack Caldwell.

Survivors include two daughters, Sonia (Joe) Studer of Northglen, Colo., and Jeri Smith of Dallas.

Graveside services were at 3 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 27, 2003, at the Goodland Cemetery, with visitation after 1 p.m. at Bateman Funeral

Memorials may be sent to the funeral home at 211 E. 11th, Goodland, Kan. 67735. The family will decide their use later.

#### Lydia Rohn

Lydia Rohn, 99, Sharon Springs, a homemaker, died Friday, Dec. 26, 2003, at the

**Greeley County** Hospital in Tri-She was born

Oct. 25, 1904, in Russia, daughter Christina Elisabeth (Kroh) Wilhelm Dietz. In Janu-



ary of 1905, the family came to America, settling and farming in Russell County, Kan., and then in 1915 in Trego County.

On June 3, 1923, she married Ferd Rohn in Trego Center. In 1945, they moved to Sharon Springs to continue farming. She was a member of the Sharon Springs Lutheran

Preceding her in death were her husband and a son, Bill Rohn.

Survivors include a son, Eldon (Fawn) Rohn of Sharon Springs; a daughter-in-law, Viola Rohn of Sharon Springs; four grandsons; five great-grandsons; and two great-granddaughters.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday, Dec. 31, 2003, at the church with the Revs. Earl Martel and Paul McNall officiating. Burial will follow in the Sharon Springs Cem-

Visitation will be from 3-7 p.m. Tuesday at Koons Funeral Home in Daniel Rubio Jr. Sharon Springs and at the church before the service.

Memorials may be made to the church in care of the funeral home in Sharon Springs or at 211 N. Main, Goodland, Kan. 67735-1555.

### Manuel Rubio

Manuel R. Rubio, 72, Roswell, N.M., a former Goodland farm worker, died Wednesday, Dec. 17, 2003, at Lubbock, Texas, where he had been flown to the hospital following a heart attack. He was born Sept. 5, 1931, in

Presidio, Texas, the son of Donaciano and Cruz Rubio. He worked in the Goodland area and at the sugar beet factory. Preceding him in death were his

wife, Mabel (Vigil) Rubio in 1993; his sister, Guadalupe Lujan; and his parents.

Survivors include his wife, Maria Rubio; a brother, Ramon Rubio of Wichita; three sisters, Esperanza (Trini) Lopez of Wichita, Hortencia (Ruben) Ruiz of Fort Stockton, Texas, and Macaria Lopez of Wheatland, Wyo.; five sons, Michael (Kristy) Rubio of Goodland, Manuel (Kristy) Rubio Jr. of Colby, Mark (Gloria) Rubio of Liberty, Texas, and Steve (Doris) Rubio and Daniel (Monique) Rubio, both of Roswell: three daughters, Lorenza (Sergio) Trevino of Garland, Texas, Linda (Johnny) Martinez of Liberty, Texas, and Angie (Sam) Matta of Roswell; 30 grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Services were at 11:30 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 20, 2003, at Anderson-Bethany Funeral Home in Roswell. Burial followed at South Park Cemetery. A wake was held Friday at the funeral home.

Pallbearers were Manuel Rubio III, John Krueger, Cory Rubio, Steve Rubio Jr., Fabian Rubio and

Carlos Rubio, Lorenzo Martinez,

#### **Edith Waugh**

Edith Lucy Waugh, 86, Buffalo, Okla., mother of Glenda Cochran of Goodland, died Wednesday, Dec. 24, 2003, at Grace Living Center in She was born July 9, 1917, north-

west of Buffalo, the daughter of Harry S. and Hattie E. VanCampen Vanderpool. She was a homemaker and a librarian. She belonged to the First Baptist

Church and Home Circle Club, both On Aug. 6, 1940, she married George T. Waugh at Buffalo. He

died Jan. 1, 1967. Preceding her in death were two brothers, Milton James and Eldon Lee, and two sisters, Marjorie Louise Vanderpool and Ellen Mabel Zinn.

Other survivors include six sons, Gorey of Guymon, Okla., Glen, Bryce, Leland and Dale, all of Buffalo, and Leroy of Laverne, Okla.; five other daughters, Lavena Chastine of Guymon, Estella Beesley of Hugoton, Elva Bentley of Rosston, Okla., Eva Lile of Amarillo, Texas, and Cora Carlile of Hennessey, Okla.; 29 grandchildren; 28 greatgrandchildren; and two great-greatgrandchildren.

Services were at 11 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 27, 2003, at the church with the Revs. Gary Williams, Gaylon Cox and Wes Paterman pre-Visitation was from 9 a.m.-8 p.m.

Friday at Myatt Funeral Home in Buffalo. Burial followed in Willard Cemetery northwest of Buffalo.

Memorials may be sent to Harper County Community Hospital or to a charitable organization of the donor's choice in care of the funeral home at 107 N. Hoy St., Buffalo, Okla. 73834.

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