

Family

Celebrating 60 years

Gene and Anogene Rogers will be observing their 60th wedding anniversary on June 21, 2001. The children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren request a card shower for them.

Gene and Anogene (Mumm) Rogers were married on June 21, 1941 in Selden. They have three children, Jim Rogers, Steve Rogers, and Eileen (Rogers) Murphy all of Selden; five grandchildren, Chris, Kari, Michelle, Shawna, and Dan; and six great-grandchildren, Michaela, Logan, Grant, Kendall, Kylie, and Jakob.

The family requests no gifts. Your memories will be the best gift possible.

About Town

Visiting Keith and Maxine Nelson to help celebrate their 49th wedding anniversary on June 2, were their sons and families from North Platte, Neb. Carl Nelson, daughter Carla Nelson, and granddaughter Kiya visited Friday night and Saturday morning. Bob and Chris Nelson, Jesse, Kelley, and Danielle visited Saturday afternoon and evening. Both sons are plumbers and did some repair work around the house.

Earl and Mary Oard and Maxine Ziegemeier attended the wedding of Mary Kay Cart to Ben Gardner in Salina on May 26. The evening ceremony was held at Wesleyan Indian Rock Church. Mary Kay, daughter of La Wayne and Sheila Cart of Salina, is



Anogene and Gene Rogers

Please send cards to RT. 1 Box 119, Rexford, Kan. 67753.

Maxine's granddaughter. The couple will make their home in McPherson, where Ben is a state trouper.

Don Kready returned to Colby last week after a trip to New York with his son, Rick Kready and their family. Rick Kready's son, Jeff, attends Washburn University in Topeka. The Washburn Choir sang on the stage of Carnegie Hall on Sunday evening, May 27. The Kready family wanted to attend the concert and also do some sight seeing. In addition to the sight seeing, the family also took in a couple of Broadway Shows. They saw *Music Man* and also *Beauty and the Beast*.

In addition to the normal traffic of New York City, during the time that the

Family reunions held on Memorial Day weekend

The Dible Family Reunion

The Dible families held a dinner at the Red Barn in Rexford on Memorial Day with 36 present. Those present included Eileen Dible, Carla and Bradley Dible and Ken Dible all of Colby; Charles and Pat Williams and Katie, Denise Dible of Selden; Kenneth (Butch) Dible, Diane Dible and Cory Dible of Hays; Gayle Dible of Oakley; Larry Dible of Brighton, Colo.; Bill and Donna Dible, Ron and Janette Dible, William and Mary Carroll, Craig, Bonny and Peter Stein, Delores, Darrell, Darla Kay and DeAnn Dible and John Gould all of Rexford; Marge Haughawout, Apache Junction, Ariz.; Natalie and Scott Haughawout of Wichita; David



Lula Thieler

- Rexford Correspondent

Haughawout and Andrea Sterling of Albuquerque, N.M.; Michsil Haughawout, Robert Haughawout, Janet Haughawout, all of Wichita.

The Daniel Family Reunion

The fourth Daniel Family reunion was held at the Colby Community Building Saturday and Sunday, May

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Aunt's 'private eye' scheme causes niece to have doubts

DEAR ABBY: I recently visited my "Aunt Selma" in North Carolina. I used to consider her a wonderful person until I found out what she has been up to.

One of Aunt Selma's neighbors pays her to follow her husband and a neighbor lady. (I'll call her Nona.) The wife thinks that Nona and her husband are having an affair. My aunt follows them occasionally, and afterward she calls the man's wife and lies to her. She makes up things she thinks the wife wants to hear.

When I asked Aunt Selma why she does this, she said she isn't going to give up good money to tell this woman the truth — that there's nothing between the husband and the neighbor! I used to think Aunt Selma was a respectable person. Now I see her as a money-grubber. She constantly lies to this woman about things her husband and Nona are doing, when in fact Nona is in the house alone watching television.

I have a feeling Aunt Selma is going to get hurt one day for making up all those stories about the husband and her neighbor.

I know the people involved. Should I tell them what's going on?

STEAMED NIECE IN THE SOUTH

DEAR STEAMED: I think you should. It could go a long way toward healing a troubled marriage.



Abigail Van Buren

- Dear Abby

When Aunt Selma's vicious money-making scheme comes to an end, suggest that she devote her spare time to taking a creative writing class. With her imagination, she could earn a legitimate living writing romance novels. (Shame on her!)

DEAR ABBY: Would you please put out the word to insensitive people that just because you reach a certain age, it doesn't mean you have to retire? My husband enjoys his job, but is always hounded about when he's going to retire. Because people are 64 or 65 doesn't mean they have to sit down and do nothing. I consider it an insult to be constantly asked when we're going to stop. It's as if they are saying we are old.

I know too many people who sit around waiting to die. Just because a time was set, years ago, for drawing Social Security, that's no reason people have to stop doing what they enjoy. I don't understand why people ask such personal questions. It's a real turn-off. It's as if they're implying that we haven't wisely managed our finances, planned ahead or invested wisely —

Kready's were there, it was "fleet week." There were 60,000 Navy personnel in the City. The Kready's toured several Navy ships including the Aircraft carrier "Intrepid." Don said that he really enjoyed the excitement of New York City, but that it was nice to get back to Colby, Kansas.

Don and Jo Kready returned from Abilene where they met and ate with her classmates from Chapman for a 55th class reunion. They ate at the Brookville Hotel and returned that evening. The Class of 1946 had 76 members, with 32 plus spouses in attendance; 17 are deceased, two in the past five years. They will have their next reunion in two years.

which we have. We are active people, younger than our age in many ways.

Thanks for letting me get this off my chest. I'd be grateful if you would print this for the world to see.

OFFENDED IN VIRGINIA

DEAR OFFENDED: You're welcome.

Those who assume that folks in their mid-60s who continue working do so because it's necessary may be not only barking up the wrong tree, but also relying on outdated information. In recognition of the fact that our population is living longer and in better health than a generation ago, there are now financial incentives for people to remain in the workplace until age 70. Also, it shouldn't be lost on anyone that people who are successful in their careers and enjoy what they are doing are often unwilling to "hang it up" simply because they've reached a "magic number."

When people tell me they are planning to retire, my first question is always, "Retire to what?" It's vital to stay mentally and physically active — or old age WILL set in! That's why I have always considered "retirement" a dirty word.

Dear Abby is written by Pauline Phillips and daughter Jeanne Phillips.

Community Calendar

TUESDAY, JUNE 12

Bookworm Book Club, Pioneer Memorial Library, 10-10:30 a.m.
Rotary, Student Union, noon
Alcoholics Anonymous, city hall basement, noon
VFW Auxiliary, 1:30 p.m.
Senior Progress Center board, 3 p.m.
Ladies cards and golf, Country Club, 5:30 p.m.; Even Holes; Mary Lou Jones and Cheryl Edmundson
Weight Watchers, United Methodist Church, 6:30 p.m.
After 5 Club, Shepherd's Staff Conference Center, Rexford, 7-8:30 p.m. *Vintage Wedding Gowns*
Domestic Violence Support Group, 7 p.m. Call 462-2860
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