

Family

Deaths

Amy E. Nichols

Graveside services for Amy E. Nichols, 101, will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Beulah Cemetery, Colby. Burial will follow at the cemetery. She died Saturday, Jan. 26, 2002.

She was born Jan. 2, 1901, in the Cumberland community north of Gem. She was a teacher.

Harrison Chapel, Colby is handling arrangements.

Rosie M. Rupp

GARDEN CITY — Rosie M. Rupp, 80, died Friday, Jan. 25, 2002, at her home in Garden City.

Vigil service will be at 8 p.m. Monday at St. Mary Catholic Church, Garden City, with Daughters of Isabella Rosary following. Funeral mass will be at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at the church, Father James E. Baker officiating. Burial will be at Valley View Cemetery, Garden City.

Calling hours are from 9 a.m.-6:30 p.m. Monday at Garnand Funeral Home, 412 N. 7th Street, Garden City.

Mrs. Rupp is survived by five sons, LeRoy of Garden City, Robert of Holcomb, Larry of Garden City, Alan of Colby, and Johnny of Holcomb; Juanita Walck and Arlene Rowley of Holcomb, and Ruth Jackson of Las Vegas; two sisters, Barbara Matza, Garden City, and Mary Hert, Chicago; 38 grandchildren; 29 great-grandchildren.

She was predeceased by her parents,

husband, John, who died Aug. 10, 1986, eight brothers, and a sister.

Mrs. Rupp was born at Liebethal March 29, 1921, the daughter of Jacob and Agatha (Herrman) Brungardt. She moved with her family to a farm near Holcomb when she was a child. She attended Holcomb schools. She married John F. Rupp on May 17, 1938, in Garden City. They lived on a farm until 1979 when they moved to Garden City.

She was a homemaker. She enjoyed singing and at one time sang on the radio. She also enjoyed playing the piano, playing bingo, bridge, yatzee, dancing, cooking, gardening, ceramics and her grandchildren.

She was a member of St. Mary Catholic Church, Garden City, Daughters of Isabella, VFW Auxiliary, and a former member of the Eagles Auxiliary.

Memorials are suggested to St. Mary School Endowment Fund in care of Garnand Funeral Home, Garden City.

Earl Brough

TRENTON, Neb. — Earl Brough, 70, died Saturday, Jan. 26, 2002, at El Dorado Manor, Trenton. He was former Rexford resident.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at Pauls Funeral Home, Selden, the Rev. James Hoover officiating. Burial will be in Rexford Cemetery.

Mr. Brough is survived by three

sons, Steve of Denver, Terrance of Benton, Mo., and Timothy of Tennessee; two daughters, Sharalott Thompson of Aurora, Colo., and Roxann Frome of Denver; and Margaret Orton of Rogers, Ark.; six Grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, wife, son Kevin; and sister Lorraine Gould.

Mr. Brough was born Feb. 10, 1931, at Laird, Colo., the son of Cleo and Drusseil Brown Brough. As a small child, he moved to St. Francis. After third grade, he moved to Denver. When he was a freshman in the family moved to Rexford and he graduated there in 1949. He lived in Colby and Rexford, Ray, Colo., then after 1955 to Colorado, moving to Stratton, Neb., in 1974, then to Trenton, Neb., 1975.

He married Beverly Mentlick Dec. 27, 1950, in Tully. She died Jan. 16, 1990. He was a farmer, miner, and construction worker.

Everett M. Covey

Everett M. Covey, 72, died Jan. 27, 2002, at Camero Health Care Center in Wichita. Service arrangements are pending with Kersenbrock Funeral Chapel, Colby

Martina Kay “Tina” Dick

Martina Kay “Tina” Dick, 40, of rural Perry, died Saturday, Jan. 26, 2002, at the Research Medical Center in Kansas City, Mo. after a short illness.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Barnett Funeral Home in Oskaloosa with the Rev. Thomas D. Sims officiating. Burial will be at the Buster Cemetery in rural Perry. Visitation will be from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home.

She is survived by her husband; daughter, Melissa M. Charay, Topeka; parents, William and Loretta Rikoff, Colby; brothers Tyler Rikoff and Tim Rikoff, both of Newton; sisters Tonya Schlotterback, Belle Air, and Tashia Kuper, Colby; and one granddaughter.

Mrs. Dick was born Nov. 18, 1961, at Colby. She had lived in the Oskaloosa and Perry areas since 1983. She was a 1980 graduate of Colby High School and attended Washburn University in Topeka.

She married Craig A. Dick on Sept. 21, 1985, at Perry.

Mrs. Dick was a homemaker. She also assisted her husband with the floor covering installation business for 17 years. Memorials may be made to the organization of the donor’s choice.

Girl Scout alumni sought

This year marks the 90th Anniversary of Girl Scouts of the USA and also the 45th Anniversary of Girl Scouts of Sunflower Council. “We’re hosting a council-wide celebration in Hays, on April 12 and 13 for all Girl Scouts, present and past, from the 16 Northwest Kansas counties we serve,” says Virginia Jacobs, program and adult development director of Girl Scouts of Sunflower Council.

“A variety of program opportunities will be available throughout the night on Friday and during the morning hours on Saturday. The council’s annual meeting will be held in conjunction with this event on Saturday with

special presentations and a luncheon for all,” Jacobs says.

Jacobs invites all Girl Scout Alumni to, once again, be a part of the Girl Scout family by joining them at the anniversary celebration. Alumni are invited to attend on Friday evening to watch and enjoy the girls, meet with old friends, share pictures, songs and old stories. On Saturday, a time will be allocated for all alumni to visit and discuss the possibilities of forming local alumni chapters in their communities.

“If you are alumni, and want more information about the celebration, contact the Council Office at 785-625-5671,” said Jacobs.

Community Calendar

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 30

Genesis Thomas County pickup, 350 S. Range, 10 a.m.-noon & 1-4 p.m.
Toddlers Storytime, Pioneer Memorial Library, 10:15 and 11 a.m.
Box Social video, Prairie Museum, noon
TeleFriend Information meeting, 5:30 p.m. (call 462-6996)
Gem Lions, Gem Community Building, 7 p.m. (2nd & 4th Wednesdays)
The Herd, Junior High Youth Group, Armory, 7-8:30 p.m.
Pinochle, American Legion, 7:30 p.m.
Sixth Street Alcoholics Anonymous & Al Anon, 1275 West 6th, 8:30 p.m.

Red Barn Band plays

On Friday morning, Jan. 25, the Red Barn Band played for the kindergarten classes of the Colby Grade School and what a pleasant time that was ! To see all those smiling faces of the little ones and they were so well behaved, we really enjoyed the time.

The Mike Meserve family returned home last Tuesday after being in Ft. Worth, Texas, to attend the funeral of Mike’s sister. Our sympathy goes to all the family.

Little Peyton Moeder of Colby was a guest of her grandmother, Clea Moeder last weekend.

This community was saddened to hear of the death of Ileene MacPhail on Tuesday, Jan. 22, at her home in Colby. She had been living here for some time and took an active part in the senior citizens activities.

The Pride meeting was held Monday evening, Jan. 21, with 19 people present. The election of officers was held with president, Duane Cheney; vice-president, Jessica Vaughn; secretary, Delores Dible; treasurer, Evelyn Johnson; and public relations Kathi Hapke. Ways to increase membership and projects to be carried out this year were discussed. Cookies and coffee were served.



Lula Thielor

• Rexford Correspondent

Another pinochle tournament was held at the American Legion Hall on Saturday evening, Jan. 19. Seven teams played with winners being Dick and Ken Sanford winning first place, Rex and Betty Carswell won second place with Dwight Williams and Lawrence Horinek winning third. Snack foods were served and another tournament will be held in February.

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Birthday shower is requested

Carmelita Gilley Clark will be celebrating her 70th birthday on Saturday, Feb. 2. Her daughter, Marla Giarratano, would like to invite the community to shower her mother with birthday cards. Please mail birthday greetings to Carmelita at 1110 Wyoming, Goodland, Kan. 67735.

Glenda Merideth traveled by bus on to Fayetteville, N.C. and celebrated Halloween with her daughter Amanda Call and family. Alixus Call celebrated her first birthday with parents Kevin and Amanda Call, grandma Glenda, aunt Kim Call and a few other friends. Glenda enjoyed this visit with her granddaughter as she is now walking and jabbering.

Kevin and Amanda Call and Alixus drove from Fayetteville, N.C., on Dec. 21, arriving at the home of Kevin’s dad in Chanute on Dec. 22. They arrived in Colby Dec. 23 and were houseguests with Glenda and Misty Merideth until Dec. 31. Misty was home over Christmas break from Hays. The calls visited family and friends while in the Colby area. The Calls and Merideths were Christmas Day guests at the home of Dick and Shirley Parnell, Colby, along with many other relatives.

The Calls left Dec. 31 to spend a few days with Kevin’s dad and wife in Chanute, and to see relatives. Glenda and Misty drove to Chanute, also, to spend New Year’s Eve and New Year’s Day with the Calls. The Merideths came home Jan. 2. Kevin Calls left on Jan. 4 to travel to Memphis, Tenn., where they visited Graceland and other sites, arriving in Fayetteville on Jan. 6. They reported there was eight inches of snow in Fayetteville from the storm, and it rained all day Sunday. They didn’t run into any bad weather going back to North Carolina From Kansas.

The Northwest Local Environmental Protection Group provides environmental health services to the county. Services include: free water well evaluations and testing for nitrates and bacteria, free private sewer system layout, sizing and general trouble shooting, sanitary code requirements and

Markets

Quotes as of close of previous business day Hi-Plains Co-op	
Wheat	\$2.77
Corn	\$1.95
Milo	\$3.07
Soybeans	\$3.75

Hospital

CITIZENS MEDICAL CENTER

Friday, Jan. 25, 2002

No admissions
Dismissals
Lillie Wagoner, Colby
Amyra Barton, Colby
Michael Palmer, Oberlin
Madison Stephens, Colby
Austin Stewart, Colby

Saturday, Jan. 26, 2002

Admissions
Brooklynn Foss, Colby
Jodie Touslee, Colby
Dismissals
Joseph Calliham, Colby
Roberta Heaton, Colby
Dan Oard, Colby

Sunday, Jan. 27, 2002

Admissions
Jessica Alexander and infant female, Colby
Infant male Touslee, Colby
Dismissals
Brooklynn Foss, Colby
Clarence Tubbs, Colby

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