Family

Millers to celebrate 65 **years**

Willard and Elon Miller of Colby will be celebrating their 65th wedding anniversary on May 1. They were married May 1, 1937, in Colby.

All of their relatives and friends are invited to send cards to honor them at 1020 Maize Road, Colby. They have one son, Willard Miller Jr. and his wife Peggy; four grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

and Elon was born north of Levant. Levant for 60 years.

awarded the rank of Eagle Scout, the

highest rank in scouting, by the Boy

Christopher will be receiving his

Eagle Scout Award at 2:30 p.m. Sun-

day, May 5, at the First Presbyterian

Church in Colby. He is the son of Evan

Cub Scout group of Troop 140 in 1992,

cub scouts to Webelos. He was in fifth

grade when he earned his Arrow of

Light award and advanced into Boy

Scout Troop 141 with Steve Alwin as

Scoutmaster, at the Blue and Gold

Awards ceremony in February of 1995.

awards for God and Me and God and

As a Webelos he earned the special

He has attended summer camps at

Christopher joined the Tiger Cubs the

He advanced through the ranks of and became a

and Regena Barnum of Colby.

while in the second grade.

Scouts of America.

Christopher Barnum has been Dobbins in Colorado.



In the spring he

has gone to Hays

Merit Badge

Camps; in the

winter he has

gone to several

Klondike camps.

He has attended

Brotherhood of

Scout Campers

member of the Or-

der of the Arrow

in the Kidi Kidish

chapter in 1998.

Christopher

National

Willard as born northwest of Levant, They have lived on a farm north of

Happenings

Thomas County Household Hazardous Waste Facility at 190 W. 4th Street will be open Saturday, May 4, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. It will accept old paints, cleaning products, lawn and garden chemicals, automotive products, and batteries, and other hazardous wastes. This is a *free* service to Thomas County households only, no business wastes can be accepted. Used motor oil should be taken to the county landfill for recycling. Empty containers can be discarded as regular household trash. If you have any questions, contact Sandy Swob at 462-4525.

USS Long Beach CGN-9 Association Inc, will have its 2002 reunion in

Hotel South 118th Street, Omaha, 68137. For reservations Phone 1-800-662-4260. Make sure you ask for the USS Long Beach CGN-9 Association Inc. rate. For information contact Don Shade, 299 Kiantone Road, Jamestown, NY. 14701-9370. Phone 866-3LBCGN9 or 716-5692314, Fax 716-569-6135 LBCGN9@aol.com. You can get the information on the Web at www.usslongbeach-assoc.org..

Omaha, Sept. 10-15, at the Clarion

SHARE signup will be April 29-May 3 at the State Farm Insurance Office. Delivery date is Saturday, May 18, at Sacred Heart School gym. This is a program of exchanging community service for food. For information call Gene Griffin 462-3579 or Anna Fyfe 462-3733. (sign-up is the week ending in the first Friday of the month)

The Offutt Air Force Brass Quintet of Omaha, Neb., will perform at 3 p.m. Sunday, May 5, at the Colby United Methodist Church. Admission is by

Markets

Quotes as of close of previous business day Hi-Plains Co-op

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WPAA season ticket or at the door.

Ernestine's Bar-B-Que is opening in Bogue, 4 miles west and 1 mile of Nicodemus. It will open at 5 p.m. on Fridays and at noon on Saturdays starting May 3, and will be open for lunch during harvest. Nicodemus is the only surviving Kansas town started by freed slaves. The menu will feature barbecue ribs, beef brisket and eventually hot fried chicken. Ernestine, 81, will not be cooking, but she will play the piano and sing for customers.

Reservations are encouraged due to the limited seating, however, they are

not required. And food can be bought 'to go'. Call-ins are welcome and large party or event catering will be available. (785) 421-2190 for reservations. For more information contact: Angela Bates-Tompkins (784) 421-3311.

Colby Community College will ponsor a Kansas Archeology Training Program Field School June 1-16 at Cottonwood Ranch, Studley. This is open to students and others. For information contact Prof. Linda Davis-Stephens at 462-3984, ext. 333, or linda@colbycc.org. Applications are due by May 3.

Death

Thelma Yingling

Thelma Yingling, 81, died Friday, April 26, 2002, at Ralph Thorne Care K. Carlson, and Connie J. Harvey of Center, Wesley Towers, Hutchinson. She had lived in Colby since 1983.

Funeral service will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Johnson & Sons Memorial Chapel, Hutchinson. Burial will be in Fairlawn Burial Park. Visitation will be until 9 p.m. Monday.

Mrs. Yingling was born Oct. 28, 1920, at Delvale, the daughter of Chancey Ransom and Josephine made to Harry Hynes Memorial Hos-Goldsby Marsh. A former Hutchinson pice. Personal condolences may be left resident, she had owned Union Cafe at www.funeralchoice.com. and cooked for Everybody's Restaurant and Red Rooster in Hutchinson.

On Oct. 23, 1937, she married Melvin Yingling at Phillipsburg. He died Feb. 3, 1992.

Survivors include four sons, Victor G. of Springdale, Ark., Richard B. and

Ronald T. of Hutchinson, and Chancey L. of Colby; three daughters Barbara Salina, Wanda B. Hicks of Colby; a sister Isma Havens of Grand Island, Fla.; 25 grandchildren, 36 great-grandchildren and 1 great-great grandchild.

She was preceded in death by a son Donald L., a sister Vera Olds, and three brothers, Delbert, Ivan and Paul

Memorial contributions may be

HAPPY 15th BIRTHDAY, Josh!! WE LOVE YOU!!

Dad, Chris, Amber, Chase, G.E. & G.S.

Barnum to receive highest scouting award

He earned his Tenderfoot in 1996, Second Class in 1996, First Class in 1997, Star Scout in 1998, Life Scout in

1998, and his Eagle Scout in 2001.

the park, and the Colby Parks Depart-

He earned the special award God and Church, as well as the following merit badges that were required for his Eagle Scout Award: Citizenship in the Community, Personal Management, Family Life, Communication, Geology, Canoeing, Personal Fitness, Computers, Space Exploration, First Aide, Environmental Science, Metal Work, Landscape Architecture, Rowing, Forestry, Wood Carving, Indian Lore, Dog Care, Camping, Weather, Lifesaving, Swimming, Rifle Shooting, Small Boat Sailing, Citizenship in the Nation, Law, Salesmanship, Mammal Study, put in benches at West Side Park in the Oceanography, Astronomy, Archery, Leatherwork, and Citizenship in the

Owl Troop had an overnight at Scott Lake

finished his Eagle Scout service

project in the summer of 2001. With

help from other scouts in his troop, he

northwest corner of Colby. Funding

We continue to quote from history given by the Heritage Center. Okay, now there is one item that Betty gave me that has me curious. In September of 1942, Rev. Norman and R.W. Hunter took the Owl Troop on an overnight camping trip to Scott Lake. Boys in the party were Warren and Royal Reid; Bobby Hunter; Curtis Coffey; Bobby Smith; Warren Starns; Leslie Wilson; Donald Hawkins and the troop mascot, Wayne Hunter. Now, I was wondering why Wayne Hunter was named a mascot – I assume because maybe he was too young to be a Scout? Anyway, Betty was wondering if anyone of the parties involved in this outing, would have pictures.

The Heritage Center opened on March 1, 1975, as a Community supported bicentennial project. The Li- let you browse. brary/Center is located in the former Some of the things that she has



Peaceful Valley Scout Ranch and Cris came from the Jaycees, who maintain

Sally Michael

Brewster Correspondent

Chris Barnum

a kitchen area filled with the gadgets and artifacts of times past; a picture galley of former and present businesses, a tool room with showcases of some things you might not recognize. The Edson Room has pictures, trophies, and mementos of the school days, there. So, for a look at the history of Brewster, and to learn about some of the present day folks, too, stop in, and see Betty on M/W, from 1-4 p.m.

orted through lately, are items from what I wrote about patience was built in 1919. The museum houses 1942 and 1943. July of 1942, the case it hasn't rained before the next a school room, complete with teacher Albright apartment building was time. I'm talking to myself, as well as and student (in replica, not in person); moved to the Roy McCall farm, to be to you all, you know!

used as a granary. Also, August of that year, the Root-Derby Grain Co. leased the Liberty Theater building, and after removing the seats, used that for wheat storage. The building was able to hold from 12 to 15 thousand bushels. Also, the front half of the old Scott store building was moved to the Carl Cutshaw farm to be made into a granary. June of 1943, Lem Fulwider was having the old blacksmith shop repaired to use for grain storage. Sounds like they must have had more rain in that time period than we have for the last few years. May 13, 1943, the Coop Assoc. moved its office into the new quarters, in the bank building. June of 1943, V.M. Crumrine built new sills for or Saturday morning from 9-11 a.m. the north windows of the Coop office. She'll be glad to show you around or (I am sure much of the work this man had done is still serviceable today. sm)

That's it for this time, and remember

WEDNESDAY, MAY 1 Blood pressures, Meadlowlark Manor, 9:30-10:30 a.m.; Senior

Community Calendar

Progress Center, 10:30 a.m.-noon Genesis Thomas County pickup, 350 S. Range, 10 a.m.-noon &1 -4

Toddlers, Pioneer Memorial Library, 10:15 and 11 a.m.

Booked for Lunch, Pioneer Memorial Library, noon HOT training, Thomas County Office Complex, 5-9 p.m. TeleFriend Information meeting, 5:30 p.m. (call 462-6996) Gem Lions, Gem Community Building, 7 p.m. (2nd & 4th Wednes-

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

Club News

Colby High Plains Lions

Colby High Plains Lions met at the Ramada Inn for their last meeting in April. The group was called to order by President Larry Koon. Following the Pledge of Allegiance led by Lion Gerald Sanders, and prayer led by Lion Matt Hamill the group was entertained by the McLemore family and Sappa

Millie and Wayne Lauritsen sang several songs. The McLemore family also sang several songs.

John Lewis talked about the upcoming "pickin on the Plains" that will be in Colby the third week in July. The bluegrass festival will have a contest for youth. There will be four divisions this year. A new division for vocal will be added. The group ask the club to help again this year with the cash

Bob McLemore, Colby Fire Chief, also talked about a Thermal Image camera for the fire department.

Hospital

CITIZENS MEDICAL CENTER **Friday, April 26, 2002** No admissions

Dismissals Mary Dickey, Cheyenne Wells,

Colo. Karen Thummel and infant male, Colby

Ermagene Kraft and infant male,

Cornelia Baird, Brewster Saturday, April 27, 2002 Admissions Megan Stephenson and infant male,

Oakley No dismissals **Sunday, April 28, 2002** Admissions

Shirley Plantz, Colby Radonda Dunker and infant male, Atwood

Nyla Beall, Atwood No dismissals

The group enjoyed a Bar-B-Q rib buffet before the Lions had their business meeting. Lion Larry reported on the board meeting held April 15. The a.m. April 27. All members are asked Lions will sponsor a Christmas tree presents for the 2002 season.

received a free meal. Lion Sanden announced the ditch clean up will be May 4 at 8:00. Lion Francis Britton was fined for destroying city property. Lion put it on a computer. Elmer Lawver gave out two unique prizes for the losing and winning teams for the clubs contest.

Guests of the club were Dale Jones and Sheila Krehbiel. The next meeting will be May 13.

Rotary

President Brian Staats presided on April 16. Brian reminded of the Rotary Clubs Motto, Service Above Self. Secretary Mark Winger reported that Cindy Cersovsky is now a member of the club, and that the National Rotary Convention will be held in Barclona, Spain. Treasurer Nancy LePell gave treasurer's report. Cal Mahin reminded members to check their calendar for Rotary programs.

Brian has mailed out ballots for voting on the baseball diamonds project: vited everyone to Cinco de Mayo on the votes will be counted after next May 6 in Rexford. There will be auweek's meeting. He has sent out thentic Mexican food and dancers. RSVP's for the Ann and Andy meeting to be held May 13 at Lon Frahm's home. $Please\ return\ as\ soon\ as\ possible.\ There \quad changed\ to\ the\ second\ Wednesday.\ The$ will be no noon meeting on that day.

Darryl Henry chairs the Highway Clean-up project, this is Thursday at 6:30 p.m. April 25, and Saturday at 10 to participate in this event.

Mark Winger introduced Paul Team Two won the club contest and Steele. He told of helping a junior high student with building a glider for a school project. He helped design it and then got help from Kendra Strange to

> Mike Tubbs talked about Paul and his trip to Florida on April 12 for an Air show. Mike went to seminars on different styles of high Tech air planes. He enjoyed meeting people who build and design airplanes. Mike said the weather changed on the way home so the course for flying had to change. He told the club that flying with Paul is not just a trip its an adventure.

NARFE

The National Association of Retired Federal Employees met Wednesday night, April 24, at the Ramada Inn. Those present were Jo Bricker, President Peg Greenwood, Vice-president Don Davis, Wanda Davis, and Secretary/treasurer Maxine Nelson.

Peg conducted the meeting. She in-

The group voted to donate \$25 to Alzheimer's. The meeting night was next meeting will be May 8.

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