

Family

Deaths

Harold L. Duffey

Harold L. Duffey, 76, of Rexford died Thursday, March 11, at Citi-zens Medical Center in Colby.

He is survived by his wife, Luella Duffey, of Rexford; son, Ray Duffey of Colby; daughters, Cynthia J. Duffey, Garden City, Denise Orth, Hays, and Luetta Flanagan, Colby; brother, Cleo Duffey, Menlo; sis- ters, Nina Brandt, Brownsburg, Ind., Bernita Gawith, Stockton, Freda Weyand, Norton, Leoma Steiger, Menlo, Loreda Wagner, Great Bend; and many grandchil- dren.

Services will be Tuesday, March 16, at 2 p.m. at the Colby United Methodist Church with Rev. James Mardock officiating.

Visitation is Monday, March 15, from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., at Kersen- brock Funeral Chapel 745 S. Coun- try Club Dr., Colby, Kan. 67701. Burial will be at Menlo Cemetery in Menlo.

Memorials are suggested to ben- efit Citizens Medical Center in Colby. Donations may be left at any Colby bank or the funeral chapel.

Myrtle Inez Surmeier

Myrtle Inez Surmeier, 95, died Wednesday, March 3, 2004 at her home in Colby.

Services were at 10 a.m. Monday, March 8, 2004 at Sacred Heart Catholic Church with Father Dana Clark, Colby, and Father Bill Sur- meier, Hays, officiating. Her seven grandsons served as pallbearers. Interment was a Sacred Heart Cem- etery in Colby.

Mrs. Surmeier was preceded in death by her husband, John. She is survived by her daughter, Donna Brown of Topeka, and a son, Do- nald Surmeier of Colby, 9 grand- children, 15 great-grandchildren and 4 great-great-grandchildren. She was born July 6, 1906 at a Gove County ranch home to Mattie (Evans) Wolfe and Harve J. Wolfe. She attended country school in Gove County until the fourth grade when she transferred to Oakley schools in 1917 where she gradu- ated in 1925. She was united in marriage to John Surmeier at Wal- lace on April 28, 1928.

Mrs. Surmeier was secretary at Oakley High School from 1931 to July 1952. IN 1952 the family moved to Colby where they oper- ated the Colby Locker Plant until 1975. She continued working part time for her son at the Colby Locker Plant until 1980.

Memorials are suggested to the Sacred Heart Catholic Church or the Colby Senior Progress Center.



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Irish group plans Sunday performance in Quinter

Traditional Irish music group Glen Road will perform at 3 p.m. Sunday at the Quinter High School auditorium. The performance is being sponsored by the Western Plains Arts Association.

Greg Brown, a native of New- foundland, Turlach Brown who is from Ireland and Mike Dugger will perform and talk about their per- sonal experiences with traditional Irish music. There will be jigs or

reels played on fiddle and flute with accompaniment on guitar. There will be a focus on the history of the instruments and the connections between Irish and American music. The group will present a school

performance at 9 a.m. at Grainfield Monday with an afternoon school performance following at Grinnell at 1:30 p.m. Admission is \$8 for adults, \$4 for students or Western Plains Arts Association season

passes. This program is presented in part by the Kansas Touring Program of the Kansas Arts Commission, a state agency, and the National En- dowment for the Arts, a federal agency.

Consumer asks if free item should have pricetag attached

Dear Attorney General Kline:

I recently responded to an adver- tisement for a free credit report.

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Dear Kansas Consumer:

A credit monitoring service will alert you, usually daily or weekly, to major changes to your credit. You're able to monitor activities on your credit report such as the open- ing of new accounts, or other impor- tant alterations in your credit file.

The service is offered through the three major credit reporting agen- cies; Experian, TransUnion and Equifax. Due to more frequent monitoring, such services can save your credit in the event that your identity is stolen.

However, you typically only re- ceive alerts when a potential credi- tor requests a credit check from the



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same credit bureau your service is monitoring, unless you sign up for a merged report, in which case you will receive alerts from all three agencies. Before accepting such an offer, here are some essential ques- tions that must be answered by the company.

- Is the free trial offer related to a membership, subscription or ex- tended service contract? If so, will fees be charged to my credit card?
- Are other services offered with the free service? If so, do they come at a charge to me? Is there a certain allowable period which I have to decide before incurring a charge?
- Must I contact the company to avoid receiving more merchandise

or services?

- What is the cost or range of cost for goods or services if I do not can- cel within an offered trial period?
- Who is offering the trial? What is the name and address of the com- pany?
- If I decide to cancel the service after the trial, how must I notify the company?
- Will my information be shared with other companies or be kept confidential?

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Courts

Traffic violations from Friday, Feb. 6

- Vanessa C. Antoniou of St. Louis, Mo. paid \$177 for speeding 93 in a 70 zone.
- Katherine I. Pflieger of Attle- boro, Mass. paid \$204 for speeding 96 in a 70 zone.
- Parul Sharma of Evansville, Ind. paid \$90 for speeding 80 in a 70 zone.
- Gerald A. Hecht of Effingham, Ill. paid \$90 for speeding 79 in a 70 zone.
- Jamie R. Feingold of Overland Park paid \$138 for speeding 88 in a 70 zone.
- Stephanie A. Cannon of Boul- der, Colo. paid \$144 for speeding 89 in a 70 zone.
- Kelsey B. Lowe of Lawrence paid \$168 for speeding 92 in a 70 zone.
- Stanley D. Purvis of Goodland paid \$210 for his load being 3,000 pounds overweight.
- Donna M. Lossner of Aurora, Colo. paid \$126 for speeding 86 in a 70 zone.

Baptisms

Taylor Louise Maxfield

Taylor Louise Maxfield, infant daughter of Bert and Johnne (Ja- cobs) Maxfield, was baptized by Father Dana Clark on Sunday, March 7, at Sacred Heart Church, Colby.

Godparents are Michael Mc- Caslin and Misty Mildenberger.

Aiden Thomas Cook

Aiden Thomas Cook, infant son of Jason T. and Therese A. (New- man) Cook, was baptized on Sun- day, Feb. 22, by Father Dana Clark at Sacred Heart Church, Colby. Godparents are Michael Newman and Wendy Cook.

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Ross and Tawny Stover

tims of consumer fraud. Although some of the details have been changed, the cases appearing in this column are based on actual complaints or questions. For fur- ther information or to file a com- plaint, write Attorney General Phill Kline, Consumer Protection Divi- sion, 120 SW 10th Ave., 2nd Floor, Topeka, Kan. 66612, or call the toll- free Consumer Hotline, 1-800-432- 2310.

Thank You

We wish to thank everyone for all the prayers, cards, masses, memo- rials, flowers, food and visits on the passing of our Mother, Myrtle Surmeier.

Special thanks to Fr. Dana and Fr. Bill, Jeannie Solko and the ladies who prepared and served lunch.

Thanks to Harrison Chapel and staff for their many kindnesses.

Thanks to the Colby Duplicate Bridge Club members who made Mother's Mondays special. Your kindness will always be remem- bered.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Brown and Family

Mr. and Mrs. Don Surmeier and Family

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