The Rexford City-Wide Cleanup Days are April 23 and 24. Friday a trailer will be at the city building for junk, old furniture and some appliances (cannot take anything with

If you need help getting your items loaded contact Bill Scott or Darren Dible will continue cleanup on Saturday to pick up brush, tree

The pride committee is organizing a garage sale on June 12. from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. so start collecting items. One man's junk might be another's treasure. Food will be available at the Community Building, provided by the Lions.

The Rexford Lions Club is having a sausage gravy and biscuit meal at the community building on April 24 from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Benefits go to the students for their Lions band and Mexico trip. Please try to attend for the good cause.

Rexford Bridge Club met with Marguerite Edmundson at her home in Colby on April 14. Guests were Marg Molstad and Helen Karls. Prizes were won by Bobbie Young, Joy Davis and Helen Karls. Next meeting will be with Deborah Stepper on May 12.

Cleda Moeder went to Hutchinson on Friday to celebrate Easter with her son and family Robert Moeder, Marsha, her grandson Chris from KU. She returned on

Monday Barnswallows had 13 pinochle players. On Thursday the "come on down" group had nine

On Thursday Jean Hawkins and myself were at the head table all but the first game. That was fun! We play from 2 to 5 p.m. On Monday and Thursday would invite anyone to come join us. We play at the Red

Sunday we had Larry, Summer





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and family for dinner. We had a nice ham dinner and enjoyed the chil-

for grades 1-3. The weather did not cooperate and it was cold and windy. But it didn't discourage the Easter Bunny. Steve and Terry Salter of McPherson were Easter weekend guests of Rex and Betty

Tuesday several proofread the cookbook getting it ready to finish

for printing. It will be on sale and Oliver, Vesta Roth, Liz Rall and spring fever and many are working proceeds go to Seniors in Action.

The "Koffee Klutch" this Friday had a real good turnout. Those present were Grace Cheney, Freda Ketchum, Bernida Zoberst, Margaret Arasmith, Cleda Moeder, Deb morning to look out and see almost Stepper, Eunice Sanford, Deloras three inches of snow on the ground. are spending some time with Doris Dible, Marla Rogers and Taryn, It melted fast and everything looks Jean. They are from San Diego, Marilyn Medina and Cody, Doris nice and green. I think we all have Calif.

Edna Colson. This gathering seems in their yards. to be growing by leaps and bounds. The ladies enjoy their social hour Mesa, Ariz. after spending the wintogether.

We were surprised Monday

Doris Jean Oliver returned from ter there. Welcome back Doris Jean. Her daughter, Marilyn Medina and new member to the family, Cody,

Party girl leaves fiance standing outside nightclub door

'Rhonda," and I went to a nightclub. The bouncer said she could go in, but I could not.

I wasn't surprised because the doors are always open to gorgeous women. What did surprise me was that Rhonda went in and left me standing there.

The next day I asked her if we could go places where we could both have a good time. She said: "Look. I wanted to go in, OK? My friends were there, and I wanted to have a good time."

Well, so did I, Abby! She could have gone to the club another time with her girlfriends. We were supposed to be together that night. I think it was insulting and callous for her to treat me like that. I'm so hurt

Abigail Van Buren

> Dear Abby

I'm ready to break the engagement. Do you think I am being overly sensitive? Rhonda does.

- HURT AND ASHAMED **DEAR HURT** AND **ASHAMED:** Not only was it insulting and callous of Rhonda to leave you at the door, it was also selfish, immature and completely without regard for your feelings. You were remarkably tolerant not to have broken the engagement the next morning. However,

please consider it. Rhonda has a but we are worried about the feel- opinion, six months to a year is a lot of growing up to do before she should marry anyone.

DEAR ABBY: My friends "Mike" and "Mary" were happily married for 20 years. They led a healthy, active life and were an inspiration to many people, including

Unfortunately, Mary lost her battle with cancer three months ago. Mike was her devoted caregiver, but now he says he is ready to live

Mike and I share many interests and have been spending time together, but we're unsure about what the proper waiting period should be to begin dating publicly. The time is right as far as we're concerned,

ings and attitudes of others—even reasonable time, out of respect for though we've been friends for 20

What do you think is the appropriate length of time before we can "go public"?—READY TO LIVE **AGAIN**

DEAR READY: There is no one-size-fits-all answer to that question. Did Mike and Mary have children? How will a quick attachment look to them? How long was Mary's battle with cancer? If it was a long fight, then people in your community will recognize that Mike had time to mourn his loss before her actual

In a nutshell, there is no exact timetable for grief. But in my

a loved one's memory, before "going public" — unless the two of you are in your 80s. (In which case, time may be of the essence.)

DEAR ABBY: Please advise this never-married 41-year-old woman how to answer the dreaded, "So why aren't you married yet?" question. During the early getting-toknow-you stage of dating, this question invariably comes up, and I always feel like I'm taking a pop quiz and failing. Please advise.

— ON THE SPOT

DEAR ON THE SPOT: Stop feeling defensive about it, and just tell the truth. "The right person hasn't asked me."

Correction Notice "In your local Sears Store ad today

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