

Family

Rexford keeping beautiful thanks to ‘wonderful’ rains

We’ve had some more wonderful rain! Everything looks beautiful, even the weeds when they are mowed.

Koffee Klatch attendees this week were Hulda Wark, Deborah Gamboa, Deb Stepper, Eunice Sanford, Berneda Zoberst, Grace Cheney, Delores Dible, Fran Leach, Velma Barnett, Doris Jean Oliver and Liz Rall.

Five-year-old Peyton Moeder spent several days with her grandmother, Clela Moeder this week.

Congratulations to Donald and Colleen Rall on celebrating their



Sondra Barnett
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30th anniversary.

Sondra Barnett spent some time with her daughter, Shalom and Kevin Kruse, Gabriel and Kaleb near Pretty Prairie, after chairing a meeting with the Area Aglow board in Great Bend.

There was a city council meeting on Wednesday. Some concerned

citizens attended to discuss the future of the fitness center.

Tony Bice surprised his family by coming home again for the weekend from Fort Riley near Junction City.

Doris Jean Oliver organized a hamburger fry for 56 relatives of the late Rex Shaw who got together at Selden on Sunday June 5. Later all of them attended the Tractor Show parade.

This year, the Tractor Show was in memory of Rex, who was one of the main organizers of the Antique Car and Tractor Show twelve years

ago.

Quite a large number of the family members of Liz Rall came last week end to help her celebrate a special birthday. Those present were her children: Maxine Ross and Donald and Colleen Rall all from Rexford; Connie and David Moos, Byers, Colo.; Jerry and Chrys Rall and Lori and Lad Truetken, all of Selden. The grandchildren present were Scott and Julie Ross, Jordan and Tyler, Strausburg, Colo.; Bradley and Connor Moos, Fort Collins, Colo.; Russell Moos, Byers, Colo.;

Darren Moos, Fort Collins, Colo.; Bryan Rall, Manhattan; Amanda Rall, Rexford; Jason Rall, Manhattan; Nicholas Rall, Selden; and Amy Truetken, Manhattan;

Betty Carswell was the hostess for Royal Neighbors, with the decoration theme being patriotic. For refreshments, she served ice cream floats, made with 7-Up or root beer. Others present were Darlene Robben, Deb Stepper, Grace Cheney, and Jean Hawkins.

Come on Down players were Dick Sanford, Fran Leach, and Rex Carswell.

They were joined by the members of the Royal Neighbors following their meeting.

Marjorie Leh is spending time with her sons, George Hiatt and Gerald and Dianna Hiatt near Wann, Okla. Gerald has been ill, but tests are showing improvement.

There were nine garage sales in Rexford on Saturday. So many people ate lunch at the Community Building that they ran out of food! The Community Pride was pleased with the local response.

Sondra Barnett went to Oberlin to the memorial service for Lennie (Peterson) Hatch, a former resident of Rexford.

Another former rural Rexford resident, Louie Rico passed away. We extend our sincere sympathy to the family and friends of both of

these men.

Richard Buck from the Kansas Legal Services in Hays was at the Barn to speak about estate planning, living wills and durable power of attorney for health care.

Those present were Lawrence Horinek, Jean Hawkins, Vesta Roth, Freda Ketchum, Fran Leach, Rex and Betty Carswell, Bill and Margaret Arasmith, Deb Stepper, and Ruth Luna, all from Rexford and Lee and Lila Gotchall from Goodland.

Tina and Kenneth Johnston attended the wedding of children of their friends, Barb Bremenkamp and Travis Barrett in Colby at the Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

Members of three area churches held a joint service at the Shepherd Staff on Sunday morning and had a fellowship dinner afterwards. They were the Courts of Praise in Atwood, Living Word Fellowship in Norton and Redeeming Love, Colby.

Makin’ it Happen: Hats off to all who participated in the garage sales here in town over the weekend!

Markets

Quotes as of close of previous business day	
Hi-Plains Co-op	
Wheat	\$2.97
Corn	\$1.89
Milo	\$2.86
Soybeans	No bid

Happenings

Writers Retreat planned

The eighth annual Sappa Creek Writers Retreat will be held from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday at the Oberlin Covenant Church, 810 W. Cedar, in Oberlin.

Theme will be “Catching Your Dreams.” Those attending are asked to bring two very short pieces of their own writing to share. There will be a continental breakfast from 8:30 to 9 a.m. and lunch will be served at noon.

It is sponsored by Oberlin Arts

and Humanities Commission and registration fee is \$40. For details, call Barbara Dehlinger (785) 475-3344 or (785) 475-3289.

Blood drive scheduled

The American Red Cross will be holding a blood drive from noon to 6 p.m. Tuesday, June 21 at the Colby Community Building.

All blood types are needed, especially type O, which can be transfused to almost anyone in an emergency. Donating blood takes about

an hour with the actual donation lasting about seven minutes.

Blood donors must be at least 17-years-old, weigh at least 110 pounds and be in general good health. Most medications do not prevent people from donating blood.

For more information, contact local blood drive chair Jo Cheney at 462-2082 or call 1-800-GIVE LIFE to set up an appointment. Don’t forget to drink plenty of water prior to donating blood.

The Harwerths came to Colby to be the first pastor of the newly organized Berean Church in Sept., 1961.

They will retire on July 1.

Congregation honoring retiring pastor, wife

Colby Berean Church invites everyone to join them in recognition of the retirement of Pastor Fran and Joan Harwerth. They will be honored at 10:30 a.m. Sunday, June 19

during the morning worship service, followed by an open house reception from 2-5 p.m. in the afternoon at the Colby Berean Church, 1000 S. Franklin.



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As I am liquidating all my inventory at this location, I will offer the following personal property at public auction, located from the Stratton, CO I-70 exit go 1/2 mile north to Hwy 24, and 1 mile west..

Saturday, June 18, 2005
Starting 9:00 a.m. sharp MT

TRUCKS ~ PICKUPS ~ CARS ~ VANS

99 GMC 1T dually flatbed, AT/OD, AC cruise & tilt, AM/FM, V8; 99 GMC 1 T dually f-bed, AT/OD, V8; 94 Ford 1 T dually f-bed, T-diesel, MT/OD, AC; 94 Chev 3/4 T AT/OD, V8; 96 Ford 3/4 T, V8, 4 sp, w/ OD; 94 Ford 1 T dually, flatbed, AT/OD, T-diesel; 92 GMC 1 T single whl, AT/OD, V8, AC, Tommy Lift; 96 Dodge wheelchair van, AT, AC, nice; 86 Ford van, white in color; Nash 4 dr sedan Statesman Super car, flat 6, 3 sp, MT on tree; Cushman 3 whl car, orange color; 40 something Ford F3, V8, 3/4 T, MT 87 Bluebird school bus, AT, V8, air brakes, 65 pass; 84 Ford Ranger, 4 WD, MT, V6, black; Ford F150, not complete, MT straight 6, 1/2 T; 72 Ford van, V8, AT, 1/2 T; 77 Chev 3/4 T, AT, V8; 76 Chev pickup, 1 T, dually, V8, MT, flat bed; 80 GMC AT, OD, 2 WD; 87 Isuzu Trooper, blue in color, 4 WD, MT 5 sp, 4 cyl; 50 Ford truck, MT, Flat 8, 2 T; 84 Ford Econo van, AT, OD 1/2 T, V8; 76 Chev yellow truck, Tommy Lift, flat bed, 3/4 T, AT, V8; 82 Ford F250, white, 3/4 T, AT, V8; 84 Ford F250 pickup, MT, 7.3 L die-sel, 3/4 T, 4 WD, roll over; 79 Ford dually, ambulance body, AT, V8, 1 T; 78 Mercury car, V8, AT; 83 GMC van body truck, blue & white in color, 1 T, dually, V8, AT; 91 Ford dually F350 box body, white, 1 T, AT, V8; Ford F600 2T, MT, 2 sp rear end, V8 83 Mitsubishi pickup, black in color Dodge Ram, no eng, no trans; 77 Dodge Power Wagon, 4 WD, 3/4 T, AT, V8, military; 1974 Mercury Cougar, AT, V8; 84 Ford F250, 3/4 T, 4 WD, MT, 4 sp/OD, V8; 88 Ford F250 utility bed, 3/4 T, 4WD, V8, 4 sp/OD; 74 Chev flat steel bed, V8, winch, 5 & 2 MT; 55 Chev 6400 flatbed, straight 6, MT, 2 sp rear end; 56-58 Ford red truck, 1 1/2 T, V8, MT, 2 sp rear end; 79 Olds Cutlass Salon diesel car; 72 Cadillac convertible; 79 Dodge 1/2 T, utility bed, AT, V8; 89 GMC 1 T dually, van body, V8, AT; GMC Camper Spec, f-bed dually, V8; 90 Ford Econo van, 1 T, AT, V8; 92 Dodge mini-van, AT, V6; 85 Ford van, dually, 1 T, V8, AT; 90 Chev Lumina car, AT, V6; 91 Chev Corsica car, V6, AT; 88 Ford Aerostar, V6, AT; 84 Silverado Suburb. 6.2D, AT, 3/4T 2- 87 Bronco II, V6, 4 WD, AT & MT; 84 GM S-10, no tires, MT, V6; 4- 96 Dodge van, bubble top, wheelchair lift; 98 Ford 1 T dually, no eng, no trans, w/ hyd knuckle crane; 87 GM crew cab 454, AT, ladder rack; 95 White truck tractor, single axle, 60 series Detroit, 9 sp, 5th whl; 85 GMC 7000 Chipper Truck, V8, MT, rear hoist; IHC 1700, tag axle, MT+2 sp, V8; GMC 6500 truck tractor, tag axle, MT+2 sp, V8; 76 GMC 6500 Sierra, MT+2 sp, V8; 47 IHC KB3 truck, MT, flat 6; 73 Chev C65, A-

brakes, MT, V8

SHOP ITEMS

3 floor jacks; all kinds of new hand tools; hi-lift jacks; elec welders; shop propane heaters; chains; boomers; wheelbarrows; 100 trucks tires & whls; 3 12v elec winches; welding cart; 4 towable cherry pickers w/ 2" balls; wd & alum ladders; 2 air & 1 manual tire machines; 2- fork lifts, 1 for barrels; 2 elec hack saws; wd & metal work benches; welding cables; 1 T of new bolts; trailer jacks; receiver hitches; bumper hitches; iron shear; lawn mowers; snow blowers & 1 snow plow; 4 pickup box trlrs; elec miter box saw; several boxes new nails; fork lift forks; 10 hyd cyl; etc

TRAILERS & MOBILE HOME

3 05 Maxey 16' bumper hitch flat bed pipe rail trailers; 24' drop deck military, single axle 5th whl 15 T low boy trailer; 5 28' 40' storage vans; 5 various sized storage vans; 1 16' boat w/ eng & trlr; 4 pipe hauling trlrs; older steel livestock pot trlr; 2 20' steel deck equip trlrs, pintel & bumper hitch; homemade gooseneck livestock trlr, open top; 6 4 whl running gear farm wagons; 2 public service tool box trailers; bookmobile motor home, runs; Wilderness 20' gooseneck camper trlr, single axle; bumper hitch camper trlr; IHC 3 axle tilt trlr; 88 Dodge Ram motor home van, Road Trek body

ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES

CO & KS license plates; cook stove; steel toys; cast iron imp seats; farm imp steel whls; swords; guns; 6 show cases; & other items

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

200' - 2 5/8" drill stem; 3/4" sucker rod; used pipe; angle iron; 20 rolls new smooth wire; 500 steel fence posts; 100 office chairs; office desks; filing cabinets; wd & steel shelving; 25 bicycles; 6 propane tanks, 100g-500g; 2 Honda 750 motorcycles; 6 4 whl shop dollies; folding tables; 8 cross over tool boxes, steel, alum & plastic; furniture dollies; 2 new home air conditioners, freon type; pickup snow plow; 500- cinder & cement blocks; 2 pickup 5th whl plates; 3 95 Ford Intceptor; 120 g fuel tank w/ elec pump; near new washer & dryer; chain link fence; steel door frames; wrecker assemblies w/ elec winches; TONS of iron, tin & other various metals; plus 100's of other items that are waiting to be found!

TRACTORS

2 IHC model F-20 on rubber; IHC Super M, gas, needs repair; M&M tractor w/ loader

Terms of Sale: CASH or good check day of sale. No items to be removed until settlement is made. Not responsible for items after sold. Not responsible for accidents on grounds day of sale. Photos at www.michalauctions.com. All items purchased are to be removed before July 18, 2005. Lunch will be served by Friends Kitchen on Wheels.

Auctioneer's Note: Plan to attend this auction. Bob has been buying & selling for the last 68 years. Two sale rings are likely. Loads & loads of merchandise. Vehicles are in various stages (including some not listed) that are road worthy to needs repair to salvage. Some are titled and some are not.

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