

# Family

## Deaths

### Rosella M. (Graham) Smith

Rosella M. (Graham) Smith, 92, of Colby, died Monday, Oct. 24, 2005, at Prairie Senior Living Complex in Colby.

She was born Aug. 5, 1913, in Plains and was a homemaker.

Mrs. Smith is survived by a daughter, Mildred F. Lauritson of Divide, Colo.; three grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Thurs-

day at Kersenbrock Funeral Chapel in Colby with Rev. Carol Rahn of Colby officiating. Burial will be at Beulah Cemetery in Colby.

Visitation will be until 8 p.m. Wednesday at Kersenbrock Funeral Chapel.

Memorials are suggested to the First Presbyterian Church in Colby. Donations may be left at or in care of Kersenbrock Funeral Chapel.

### Clara I. Denning

Clara I. Denning, 90, of Victoria, died Tuesday, Oct. 25, 2005, at St. John's Rest Home in Victoria.

She was born Jan. 16, 1915, in Emmeram to Peter A. and Mary (Rohleder) Hoff.

She married Alphonse Denning on Sept. 7, 1936, at Emmeram. She was a homemaker and member of St. Mary Catholic Church and the Daughters of Isabella, both of Gorham, and the Russell Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary. She spent her life in the Gorham area and was a resident at St. John's Rest Home since Jan., 2004.

Mrs. Denning is survived by a son, Clarence A. and wife Marilyn of Colby; two daughters, Mary L. Bender of Great Bend and Judy A. Lohrmeyer and husband Mike of Russell; 11 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, three brothers, Clarence Hoff, Herb Hoff and Joe Hoff; two sisters, Mary Dreher and Helen Packett; one daughter, Patricia O'Donnell and one grandson, Steve Bender.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Friday at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Gorham. Burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery in Gorham.

Visitation is from 5-9 p.m. Thursday at Cline's Mortuary in Victoria, 412 Main St. and from 9-10 a.m. Friday at St. Mary Catholic Church in Gorham.

A Gorham Daughters of Isabella rosary is at 7 p.m. Thursday and a vigil service is at 7:30 p.m. Thursday both at Cline's Mortuary, 412 Main St. in Victoria.

Memorials are suggested to St. John's Rest Home or Masses.

## Activities planned in Rexford

The Royal Neighbors will sponsor an evening of bingo at the Community Hall beginning at 7 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 29th.

The cost of playing is simply a donation to help the Rexford Museum with their expenses. Everyone is welcome.

Come and enjoy a good time with your friends and neighbors. Prizes will be given and cake and ice

cream will be served afterward.

The Rexford Church will be packing the shoeboxes for the Samaritan's Purse on the Oct. 30 after the morning worship. They still need tooth brushes and paste, wash cloths, small pencil sharpeners, soap and would welcome other gifts to include in the boxes.

Also they would welcome people to help with the packing. The group will bring a sack lunch for noon.

## Markets

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Corn	\$1.73
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Soybeans	No bid



# Turkey dinner next week in Brewster



### Betty Jo Baird

• Brewster Correspondent

sure how much. Anything is welcomed by the farmers, even if it means stop cutting corn for a few days.

Some have been asking about Sean Bryant's condition after his injury in Iraq. He is the grandson of Duane and Judy Headley of Brewster. Sean is back at Fort Stewart, Ga. He'll be there for four to six months before medical discharge.

He is walking with a cane now and his unit is back from Iraq.

Colt Moore came and spent a couple of days with Grandma and

Grandpa Headley. His parents are Lori and Kent Moore.

The Brewster Bulldogs cross country team took first place at regionals and will be going to state. Karmen Selby took first place and Jonathan Collett took second. congratulations boys and coach.

I will be going to Denver to see my daughter who is in cancer treatment and meet my new granddaughter, who was born on Oct. 13. Can't keep Grandma away, no matter how many she has.

My own dear child, Are you going through a dry, desert time? Has your hope evaporated? Do you feel cut off from me and from others? Does your spirit feel more dead than alive? Listen to me now, my child.

On your own you have no power to revive yourself — no power to bring life.

But what you do have is the power to choose. You can choose today to call upon my name. You can choose to receive a new beginning from my hand. When you call, I will hear you. I will open the grave of your despair. I will bring you back to the land of the living. And then you will know that I am the Lord, the God who rescues you from the grave. I will put my Spirit in you and you will live. I will settle you in the land of your spiritual inheritance. And you will bear testimony to all who ask that I, the Lord your God, have done it! Come forth and live! God Ezekiel 37:1-14

## Happenings

### Square dance scheduled in November

The Shooting Stars Singles Square Dance Club of Hays will have a square dance on Wednesday, Nov. 2 from 8 to 10:30 p.m. at Roosevelt Elementary School, 2000 MacArthur, Hays.

Ron Snyder will call the squares and Ray Moran will que the rounds. Everyone is welcome, including singles and couples.

Refreshments and door prizes will be part of the evening's events. For information, call (785) 726-4432.

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### Our Sincere Thanks

to each of you for the many ways you have shown your sympathy and support during this sad time of having a healthy and active Art pass away in a few short days. We have received an unbelievable number of comforting cards, kind and caring messages from this entire area plus northwest Arkansas where we wintered for the past fourteen years, the many appreciated Memorials, the beautiful flower arrangements and plants, all the delicious food brought to our homes and the Colby United Methodist Church. A special thanks to our Pastor Reverend James Mardock, Musicians, Amie Kendrick and Pat Ziegelmeir, Don and Cathy Harrison of Harrison Chapel. We will forever remember the thoughtful kindness extended to all of us.

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