

# OBITUARIES

## Dorothy A. Breiner

July 10, 1937 - Feb. 8, 2007

Dorothy A. Breiner, 69, Norcatour, died Thursday at the Norton Andbe Home.

Mrs. Breiner was born July 10, 1937 in Norton, the daughter of Charles and Genevieve (Dellere) Carroll.

She graduated from Norton Community High School.

On April 2, 1956, she and Reid L. Breiner were married in Norton. They made their home on a farm near Norcatour. Mr. Breiner died April 7, 1996.

She was the postmaster for many years of the Norcatour Post Office.

She was a member of St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church, Norton and the National Association of Postmasters of the United States. She was an active member of the Norcatour community. Her favorite pastimes included playing cards, especially with seven of her good friends, shopping and her grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, Reid Breiner, and a brother, Joseph Carroll.

Survivors include: a son, Jason Reid and Staci Breiner, Norcatour; four daughters, Julie and Kent Legg, McCook, Neb., Jacque and Jeff Eklund, Hutchinson, Jean and Brad McMullen, Norton and Jen-

nifer and Brian McKenna, Norton; four brothers, Francis and Patty Carroll, Amarillo, Texas, Charles and Jan Carroll, Wichita, Timothy and Diana Carroll, Sedalia, Colo. and Lawrence and Patty Carroll, Wamego; four sisters, Mary and Carl Richard, Miltonvale, Janice Carroll, Colorado Springs, Colo., Genevieve and Ron Diekemper, Carlyle, Ill. and Anita Carroll, Manhattan; 11 grandchildren; and one great-grandson.

Funeral services were held yesterday at St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church with the Rev. Vincent Thu Laing conducting the service. Burial was in the Norcatour Cemetery.

Music was provided by organist Janie Urban and songs were led by the St. Francis Choir. Casket bearers were Ron Montgomery, Larry Smith, Bob Montgomery, Johnny Ankenman, Brian Carroll and Jim Railsback. Honorary casket bearers were Lora Linn Leichter, Carol Shirley, Judy Shirley, Lynn Ward, Linda Hunt, Janice O'Hare and Denise Bailey.

A memorial fund in her name has been established. Contributions to the Dorothy Breiner Memorial Fund may be sent in care of Pauls Funeral Home, 121 N. Penn, Oberlin, Kan. 67654.

## Woman to celebrate birthday

Alta Fahrenbruch, Norton, will celebrate her 80th birthday Feb. 18. Friends and relatives are invited to a reception in her honor from 2 to 4 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 18 in the community room of the Norton Public Library. The reception will be hosted by Aleta and Dr. Bill Atkinson and Von and Kris Fahrenbruch. For those who cannot attend, cards and birthday greetings may be sent to her at 111 West Main, Norton.

Mrs. Fahrenbruch was born in



**Alta Fahrenbruch**  
Hitchcock County, Neb. She married Donald L. Fahrenbruch on Dec. 29, 1946. She taught for 40 years in Kansas and Nebraska. She retired from the Norton school system in 1993 as librarian at Eisenhower Elementary School.

## READERS

— PINOCHLE TOURNAMENT, 7 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 18 Norton American Legion. 2/13

The Annual Western National 4-H/FFA Round-Up was held in Denver in January. Nicole Keenan, Logan County, paired with Sabrina Dellere, a former Decatur County 4-H'er, to earn third place in the team demonstration competition. The young women demonstrated the proper dress for competing in a horse show in their presentation, "Extreme Makeover, Showmanship Edition".

The family of Ethel Breathouwer is requesting a card

shower in honor of her 97th birthday on Valentine's Day, Feb. 14. Birthday greetings will reach Mrs. Breathouwer at 201 W. Taft St., Norton, Kan. 67654.

Jordan Herman, a 2006 graduate of Norton Community High School, was recently listed on the Fall Honor Roll at the University of Kansas. Mr. Herman is pursuing a Liberal Arts degree. He is the son of Joe and Claire Herman, Norton.



J. Herman

## Velma M. Eaton

May 30, 1911 - Feb. 8, 2007

Velma Mable Eaton, 95, died Thursday at the Andbe Home, Norton.

The daughter of Frank and Nellie (Hodge) Carpenter, she was born May 30, 1911, in Graham County.

She graduated from Lenora High School and taught in several Graham county schools before she was married.

On Dec. 30, 1936, she and Edwin Eaton were married in Hoxie. They made their home on a farm north of Lenora and she taught in the one-room school in that area. They moved into Lenora in 1955, and she served as the City Clerk for many years. Mr. Eaton died in 1966.

She was a member of the Lenora Church of God, the Order of Eastern Star, and a 50 year member of the Rebekah Lodge.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, one daughter, three brothers, and three

sisters.

Survivors include: two sons Albert and Ann Eaton, Bonham, Texas, and Robert and Patsy Eaton, Columbus, Neb.; one daughter, Michele Hatfield, Ottawa; two brothers Kenneth and Charlene Carpenter, Milledgeville, Ga., and Allan and Karen Carpenter, Norton; three sisters, Ruth and Bob Bosler, Reno, Nev., Donna and Gene Catone, Rancho Cucamonga, Calif. and Jackie and Andy Anderson, Fernley, Nev.; 11 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Monday at the United Parish Church with Marita Limon officiating. Burial was in the Lenora South Cemetery.

Memorials are suggested to the Lenora Church of God and the American Cancer Society. Contributions may be made in care of Enfield Funeral Home, 215 W. Main, Norton, Kan. 67654.

## HANSEN MUSEUM

By SHIRLEY HENRICKSON

The exhibit "International Turning Exchange" closed over the weekend. It was organized by the Wood Turning Center of Philadelphia, a not-for-profit institution that focuses on education, preservation and the promotion of wood and other lathe-turned art.

This exhibition will now tour the United States and then will travel to the artists' native countries, which might include: Canada, the United Kingdom, Europe, Australia and New Zealand.

The dance class, scheduled for Jan. 21, was postponed because of bad weather. This would have been only our second dance class. There is still time to sign up! Please contact us at 785-689-4846. The remainder of the classes are scheduled for Jan. 28, Feb. 4, 18, 25, March 4 and 18. The last class will actually be going out into the public and showing off what you have learned!

The 30th Annual High School

Art Show has opened and will run until March 4. We have 11 schools participating including Ellis, Hill City, Logan, Norton, Osborne, Palco, Phillipsburg, Plainville, Smith Center, WaKeeney and Wheatland. The museum has 407 pieces of art, in comparison to 300 pieces from last year.

Our February Artist of the Month is Janice Kenney of Elm Creek, Neb. Ms. Kenney will have wreathes, swags and planter pots on display.

Please check out our website. The address is [www.hansenmuseum.org](http://www.hansenmuseum.org). If you have any questions please e-mail us at [hansenmuseum@ruraltel.net](mailto:hansenmuseum@ruraltel.net).

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**THE NORTON TELEGRAM**

# Husbands require extra special care

The following advice is directed to those who are new wives or want to become a wife in the near future. It is taken verbatim from a cookbook loaned to me by one of my friends here at the Carlyle. The book is very fragile, pages yellowed and tattered by years of use — just the kind of book that brightens my eyes and warms my heart. It was published by the Women's Progressive Farm Association of Osgood, Mo. The date of the original book was about 1923, and this little squib was written anonymously by some clever lady of the era.

### HOW TO COOK A HUSBAND

"A good many husbands are entirely spoiled by improper cooking and are not tender and good. Some women go about the process as if men are bladders and are constantly blowing them up. Others keep theirs in hot water constantly. Others are frozen by careless and indifference. Some keep them in a stew by their irritating ways and words. Some have actually been roasted, while many are kept in a pickle all their lives.

It cannot be supposed that even the best man can be tender and good when managed in this way, but they are really delicious when properly treated.

In selecting a husband, one should not be guided by a silvery appearance as in selecting a mackerel nor a golden sheen as if choosing a salmon. Be sure you always choose for yourself, as tastes differ. Do not go out to market for one; the best are brought to the door by a dependable vendor. It is far better to have none if you will not take the time and patience to learn to cook him properly.

Preserving kettle of finest porcelain is best but if you have naught but an earthenware pipkin, it will do with a little extra care. See that the linen you wrap him in is of the finest quality with the requisite number of buttons and strings nicely sewed on. Tie him

## Cook's Corner



Liza Deines

into the kettle by a strong silken cord of comfort; duty has a tendency to bind and fray and will become weak in the long haul. Husbands are apt to fly out of the kettle and burn around the edges, becoming hard and crusty, for like crabs and lobsters they must be cooked alive.

Make your fire clear and steady out of love, neatness and cheerfulness. Set your husband as near to this fire as seems to agree with him. If he sputters and fumes, do not become anxious for some husbands do this until they are quite done. Add a little sugar in the form of what confectioners call kisses, but no vinegar or pepper on any account. A little spice improves most but you must use judgment here. Do not stick any sharp instrument into him to determine if he is becoming tender. Stir gently; watch carefully the while so that he does not lie too close and flat to the kettle and become useless.

You cannot fail to know when he is done. If thus treated you will find him very digestible, agreeing nicely with you and the children. He will keep as long as you want unless you become careless and set in too cold a place.

It is my humble opinion that of the many good recipes in this volume, this is the best of all and still works very well if followed exactly. Do remember to choose high quality material to begin with to guarantee a high quality product. If it worked in 1923, it'll work in 2007. Take note!

LIL SEZ: Love is a lizard that wraps itself around your heart and nibbles at your gizzard.

## Frederick D. Grunert

May 26, 1930 - Feb. 10, 2007

Frederick D. Grunert, 76, Princeville, Ill., formerly of Long Island, died Saturday at Proctor Hospital, Peoria, Ill.

Born May 26, 1930, in Kansas City, Mo., he was the son of Ivan and Lilly (Nelson) Grunert.

He married Irene L. Arbogast on Feb. 13, 1949, at the First Presbyterian Church, Princeville.

Mr. Grunert farmed in the Long Island area for over 50 years before retiring in 2004. He was a member of the Princeville United Methodist Church and a former member of the Long Island United Methodist Church.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Catherine K. Bunnell, in 1996.

Survivors include his wife, Irene Grunert, one son, Thomas Linn Grunert, Chickasha, Okla.; one sister, Dorothy Ann Pierceal, Paola; three sisters-in-law, Phyllis and Roy Baer, Peoria, Alice Streitmatter, Chillicothe, Ill., and Brenda

Arbogast, Dunlap, Ill.; three grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

A visitation will be held from 3 to 5 p.m. tomorrow at Hammitt-Hott Funeral Home, Princeville. Cremation will be accorded following the visitation and a graveside service will follow at a later date in Alma, Neb.

Memorial contributions may be made to any charity of the donor's choice.

On-line condolences may be sent to the family at [www.hammitt-hott.com](http://www.hammitt-hott.com).

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It broke our hearts to lose you, You did not go alone. For part of us went with you, The day God called you home.

You left us beautiful memories, Your love is still our guide. And although we cannot see you, You are always at our side.

Our family chain is broken, And nothing seems the same. But as God calls us one by one, The chain will link again.

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