

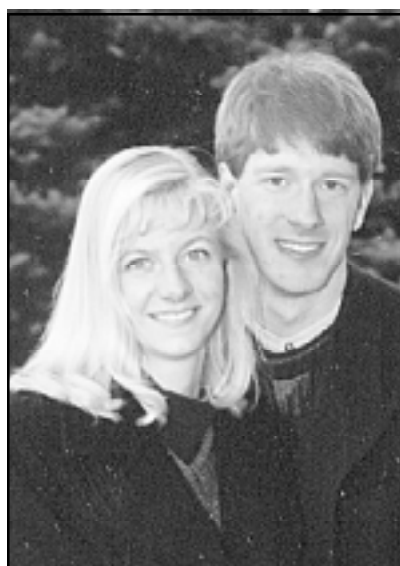
Bos and Wilcox plan wedding

Harvey and Millie Bos of Daytona Beach, Fla., formerly of Colorado Springs, Colo., announce the engagement of their daughter, Nicole Lynn Bos to Steven Dale Wilcox, Jr., son of Steven and Deborah Wilcox of Monument, Colo.

Grandparents are Oliver and Anna Fyfe of Levant, and Dale and Phyllis Wilcox of Aurora, Colo.

Nicole is a graduate of Evangelical Christian Academy High School and the University of Colorado at Colorado Springs. She is employed by MCI/Worldcom.

Steven is a graduate of Lewis Palmer High School and is attending the Uni-



Bos and Wilcox

versity of Colorado at Colorado Springs. He is employed by Medgroup.

A June 17 wedding is planned in Colorado Springs at Sunrise United Methodist Church.

What kind of person would steal an old lady's walker?

A few years ago, I wrote about an incident that seemed to be about as low as one would care to think that people could get. This was about the one(s) that would go around to cemeteries on Memorial Day, and take the flowers off graves that did not belong to them. It is hard to think that one, especially in this moral part of the country, getting even lower than that, but I think there is a possibility that might have happened. A week or so ago, **Marge Westover** went to the Goodland Walmart, and as she has done in other area stores, she left her walker up front and used the courtesy motorized cart provided. Marge has had major surgery on her hip, due to cancer of the bone, and it is hard for her to get around. When her walker was not at the front of the store where she had left it, there was some try at finding it for her. Another lady had also lost hers, the same day,



Sally Michael

• **Brewster**
Correspondent

and it was later found in the woman's restroom area. But, there was not nor has been any report of Marge's and it has been about 10 days. The only real help that Marge received was from **George and Roberta Luckert**, who followed her home, and retrieved an old walker from her basement. That way, Marge could make it from her car to the house. This walker is not as well made or sturdy as the one that was taken, and she misses her other one. It is hard for me to think that anyone would do something like this, and I would still like to think it was just taken by mistake. But, that's not likely, is it?

Marge has said the cost of these walkers is not much, and Medicare does help with it, except it has been less than a year since she got the one that was lost. There is a limit to Medicare's help, so she will probably have to buy the new one. Even though it is not expensive, when one is on a fixed income, expense is relative. But, the biggest loss is the feeling of security of being able to shop without worrying about whether her property will still be there when she is done. Just blowing off a little steam, and hopefully, maybe encouraging someone to help this lady out. Marge is always right there when

someone needs a ride somewhere, or any other thing she can do with her limited mobility.

Hospital

CITIZENS MEDICAL CENTER
Monday, May 14, 2001

Admissions
Robert Weiss, Colby; Joanie Heit and infant female, Jennings

Dismissals
Betty Groblebe, Colby; Anna Weed, Levant; Dominique Trevino, Levant; Bernita Most, Atwood; Wilma Brockway, Colby; Thelma Yingling, Colby; Helen Gates, Winona

Local lady attends Governor's Conference on Aging

Peg Greenwood, manager of the Red Barn Senior Center, attended the Governor's Conference on Aging in Topeka May 3 and 4. There were 525 people enrolled for the conference. Peg attended six different educational sessions covering prescription drugs, oral and written histories, living wills and durable power of attorney for health, the future of senior centers, and the power of humor in mental health for seniors. She will cover some of what she learned in the next *Red Barn News*. At the conference there was a meeting of the Kansas Senior Center Directors Association. Peg is treasurer of this Association which will meet in Wichita in September for the annual fall meeting.

The 2001 **Baccalaureate service** was held at the Rexford Community Church Sunday evening, May 6. The



Lula Thieler

• **Rexford**
Correspondent

14 high school seniors and the none eighth graders, with some of the faculty, marched in to music. Pastor **Gary Taylor** gave the welcome followed by group singing. A reading, *Graduate's Gift* was given by **Vicki Allison and Aubrey Nickols** sang *America the Beautiful*. Pastor Taylor gave a short message and **Lane Purcell** the closing prayer. The graduates lined up to receive congratulations then all went to the Fellowship Hall for refreshments.

Twenty-five people attended the **Pioneer Day** at the Community Hall last Sunday, May 6. The carryin dinner was served at 12:30 and included many mouth-watering dishes of food. The program was given soon afterwards. **Peg Greenwood**, accompanied by **Betty Nickols** sang four old time songs and **Darla Dible** read a reading about the flag called *It's Just a Piece of Cloth*. Dennice Dible gave an interesting story of the Rhoten family, one of the early settlers which she said ended with her. **Delores Dible** read the memorial list of 30 people who have died in the last year followed by a moment of silence. A short business meeting was

held and the same officers were re-elected. Several door prizes were given and the meeting adjourned. A few visited the local museum in the afternoon.

The **Worthwhile Club** met at the Barn Wednesday afternoon with **Edna Colson** hostess and all members present. They voted to give a donation to the museum. Refreshments were served and the afternoon spent visiting.

Betty Carswell hosted the **Royal Neighbors** meeting Thursday afternoon at the Community Hall with seven present. Plans were made to decorate the graves on May 24, the next regular meeting for Memorial Day. Betty served cake and strawberries with coffee for refreshments.

Training offered for tax volunteers

The Northwest Kansas Area Agency on Aging and the Kansas Insurance Department will sponsor a training for people who would like to become volunteer health insurance counselors. The three-day training is scheduled for June 12, 13 and 14 in Quinter at the Q-Inn Restaurant and will begin at 9 a.m. on the 12th.

The training will cover aspects of health insurance that most affect Medi-

care beneficiaries, such as Medicare claims and enrollment, Medicare Supplement Insurance and Long Term Care Insurance.

The staff of the Senior Health Insurance Counseling for Kansas (SHICK) Program will conduct the training.

SHICK volunteers are available through the Northwest Kansas Area Agency on Aging to counsel older Kansans who have questions and prob-

lems regarding their health insurance. Applications are now being accepted by the Northwest Kansas Area Agency on Aging for the free training.

To become a counselor, volunteers must not be in the health insurance business or be associated with anyone who is in the health insurance business. The volunteers will be expected to offer some time for counseling duties and their expenses will be paid.

Anyone interested in receiving training and serving as a volunteer counselor should contact Glenna Clingsmith at the Northwest Kansas Area Agency on Aging at 1-800-432-7422 or (785) 628-8204.

Death

Leta Werner

WINONA - Leta Werner, 88, died Monday, May 14, 2001, at Gove County Medical Center in Quinter. She was born June 26, 1912, at Oakley, and was an area resident for many years. She was a homemaker. Her husband, W.P. Werner, died Jan. 27, 1985.

Survivors include daughters Erma Latham of Winona, and Judy Piland of Bennett, Colo.; six grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Winona Methodist Church, the Rev. Barbara Patterson, Oakley, officiating. Burial will be in Winona Cemetery. Visitation will be from 4-9 p.m. Tuesday at the chapel; and from 10 a.m.-service time Wednesday at the church.

Memorials are suggested to the Winona Methodist Church, Winona. Donations may be sent to the Kersenbrock Funeral Chapel, Colby, or at the church.

Hazel Brown

OBERLIN - Hazel Brown, 91, died Monday, May 14, 2001, at Cedar Living Center, Oberlin. She was a resident of Jennings and the mother of Janice (Mrs. Bill) Dowell of Colby.

She was a homemaker. She married Bartos B. Brown on May 6, 1931. He died Saturday, May 12, 2001.

Funeral services for Mr. and Mrs. Brown will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Jennings United Methodist Church, Pastor Glenn Krebs officiating. Burial will be in Kanona Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 6-8 p.m. Tuesday and 8 a.m. until service time Wednesday at the church. Memorials are suggested to Jennings Methodist Church, Cedar Living Center, Gideons or donors choice.

Pauls Funeral Home, Oberlin, is in charge of arrangements.

Kathryn Wagoner

HOXIE - Kathryn Wagoner, 99, died Monday, May 14, at her residence in Hoxie. She was a homemaker and had worked as a nurses' aide at the Sheridan County Hospital for 20 years. She was a lifetime area resident, living in the Angelus and Grinnell communities until moving to Hoxie in 1956.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Thursday at St. Francis Catholic Church, Hoxie, Fr. Benjamin Saw and Fr. John Walsch officiating. Burial will be in St. Frances Catholic Cemetery, Hoxie. Visitation will be from 3-9 p.m. Wednesday at the church. Rosary will be at 8 p.m. Wednesday at the church. Memorials are suggested to St. Frances Catholic Cemetery or Developmental Services of Northwest Kansas, and can be sent in care of Kennedy-Koster Funeral Home, PO Box 221, Oakley.

Markets

Quotes as of close of previous business day
Hi-Plains Co-op

Wheat	\$3.02
Corn	\$1.83
Milo	\$3.03
Soybeans	\$3.88

Community Calendar

THURSDAY, MAY 17

- Pioneer Memorial Library Board, library, 7:30 a.m.
- 1st-5th Grade Fitness Day, Dennen Field, 9 a.m.
- Fern Past Matrons, noon
- Kiwanis, Student Union, noon
- National Association of Retired Federal Employees, Ramada, 6 p.m.
- Family History Center, 1145 S. Franklin, 7-9 p.m.
- Tumbleweed Chorus, United Methodist Church, 8 p.m.
- Step-parenting discussion group, 8:30 p.m.; call Deb at 462-3870 or Randy at 462-7168.
- Downtown Alcoholics Anonymous, City Hall basement, 8:30 p.m.

PUBLIC FARM AUCTION

Friday, May 18 • 11:00 a.m.

Location: 9 1/2 mi. north of Winona on oil road or 14 miles south of Levant (I-70 exchange) oil road

- 12 ga. J.C. Hignens shotgun, bolt action, (bolt missing)
- 1955 IHC truck, 4 spd 2 spd bed hoist, good body & box
- 1964 705 MM tractor, cab, new tires (needs clutch)
- M5 Moline tractor, propane 3 pt front loader
- 1979 Chevy Luv PU 4 spd front hitch, runs, nice field pickup
- Richardson Sweeps, 4 x 5 w/Jacks
- 10' Backblade 3 pt, good
- 2 - JD 14 x 10 hoe drills w/hyd jacks & hitch
- 1979 Dodge Conversion Van, V8, auto. tran., Good transmission, ice box, bed, cabinets
- Double tool bar (unittler) • 2 elec. motors
- Sweeps, cycle mower • Tumble Bug
- 100 & 500 gal. Propane tanks on trailer
- Jumper cable • Propane fill hose
- 300 gal. Gas tank on stand
- 16' Oneway, good • Come-a-long
- Overhead implement carrier
- 6" grain auger w/mtr. • Bush Hog mower
- Old horse drawn disc w/cast iron seat
- 1000 gal. Water tank
- Old hand wrench on frame (silo)
- 20 ton Hyd Jack, Chain Hoist
- 4 - 8 x 25 truck tires 55 gal. Bbl w/hand pump
- Old woven wire fence stretcher & post drill
- Riding elec. start mower 12 HP, 38" cut, good

- Several Log chains • Chain & Skill Saw
- Good heavy work bench w/vise • 5" bench grinder • Wet Day Vac
- Tree saw • Long handle tree trimmer
- Sander, Plane, Saws, Fence & battery chargers
- Little wagon & sled, good • Handsprayer
- Hi Lift Jac Shop creeper • Lawn spreader
- Wood small drawers cabinet, good
- Tool boxes w/good hand tools
- Wood & metal clamps
- Fishing rods & box of accessories

HOUSEHOLD

(Much stored in boxes and covered with plastic. All from their home. Not room for it in new apartment.)

- Round table w/2 leaves & 6 chairs, like new • Old metal trunk, large, good
- GE Refrigerator, top freezer, white, like new • 9' Chest Freezer, white, like new
- Wards Washer & Dryer, white, good
- China Cupboard • Chest of drawers
- Kirby & Sharp Sweepers • Small wardrobe
- Tread mill & exercise bike • Rocker & Glider • 2 Twin Beds, all bedding
- Westinghouse Dishwasher, good
- 2 Double beds, box springs & mattresses
- Antique Door, nice Gallon stone jar • Old kerosene lantern, good • Camp stove
- Air Compressor 3/4 HP elect, portable, good • Boxes of dishes, kitchen utensils, books • Makita Elec. Grinder • Metal 3 door cabinet • Much, much more

EMERSON & MARY LAHMAN, Owners - TERMS: Cash

J.M. & JOHN BLOOM - Auctioneers

Florence & Kay, Clerks

Light lunch served by LORI'S CAFE, Winona

THE 19TH ANNUAL ATWOOD

EARLY ROD RUN DRAG RACES AND DANCE

May 18, 19 & 20

Registration

Pre-registrations \$30 (Before May 1, 2001)

Registration \$35 (After May 1, 2001)

(Includes Two Banquet Tickets)

NOTE: Anyone planning to drag race must be at least 18 years of age and be registered by Noon on Saturday to participate.

NOTE: All rodders must be able to unload their cars for the show.

CONTACT: Dave Brown (Cell) 785-626-4770 (Home) 785-626-3728

Schedule of Events:

Friday, May 18

6-9 p.m. Social with pizza, bowling and beverages for Rodders and Ambassadors

9 p.m.- 1 a.m.—Dance for Rodders and the public w/featured band

Saturday, May 19

The Budweiser Clydesdale horses will be on display and perform

8-9 a.m Registration

9 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Show and Shine; 1-3:30 p.m. Games of Chance

4-6:30 p.m. Lions Drag Races 7-8 p.m.- Hog Roast 9 p.m.-1 a.m.- Dance to the

Benders

Sunday, May 20

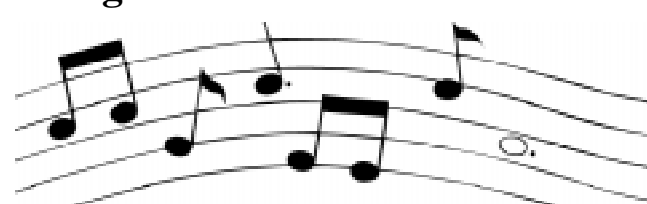
9-Noon Car Show; 10-11- Poker Run; Noon-Award Ceremony

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Featuring Rock and Roll Classics:

Tossin & Turning
Love Me
Little Queenie
Earth Angel
Long Cool Women
Jailhouse Rock
Lucille

Big Hair



Big Fun

Rockin' Robin
Barefootin'
Venus
Ruby Ruby
Harlem Nocturne
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1969 Camaro "427" owned by Mike Jensen of Oberlin