

Death

Esther Mae Brown

COLORADO SPRINGS — Esther Mae Brown, 94, died May 30, 2002, at the Hospice of Pikes Peak in Colorado Springs.

She was a Colby resident for 34 years.

Services were held at the Manzanola United Methodist Church on June 3, and burial followed at Mountainview Cemetery in Manzanola, Colo.

She is survived by one brother, Eldon VanCampen of Colby, one son, Leslie Brown of Penrose Colo., and one daughter, Eloise Young of Grand Junction Colo.

In addition, she is survived by six grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements were handled by Griffy Family Funeral Home in Fowler Colo.. The family asked that memorials be made to Manzanola Methodist Church, Manzanola, Colo.

Community Calendar

SUNDAY, JUNE 23

Levant Community Church 50th anniversary celebration Sunday Morning Alcoholics Anonymous, Ramada Inn, 9 a.m. Wings Upon the Prairie drop-in center, 1980 W. 4th, 2-8 p.m. Higher Ground, High School Youth Group, Berean Church, 6 p.m. New Hope Narcotics Anonymous, City Hall Basement, 8 p.m.

MONDAY, JUNE 24

Duplicate Bridge, airport, 1 p.m. Quit smoking support group, 775 E. College Drive, 1 p.m. Monday Afternoon Bridge, Meadowlark Manor, 1 p.m. Hospice Board, Sacred Heart Church basement, 4:30 p.m. Take Off Pounds Sensibly, United Methodist Church, 7 p.m.; weigh-in, 6-6:30 p.m. Rexford Lions, Rexford Cafe, 7 p.m. (2nd & 4th Mondays) Colby Jaycees, East Highway 24, 8 p.m. St. Thomas Lodge, 215 N. Franklin, 8 p.m. Pride of the Prairie Orchestra practice, Colby Community College Band Room, Cultural Arts Center, 7:30-9 p.m. Downtown Alcoholics Anonymous, (smoking), City Hall Basement, 8:30 p.m. Al Anon, (nonsmoking), 1275 W. 6th, 8:30 p.m.

Rexford gears up for annual garage sale

Dan Kahl and Bev Wilhelm from the Kansas PRIDE Program conducted a session on conflict resolution. Other subjects covered were the Fourth of July Program and the July Flea Market. Both these programs will be held at the Rexford City Park. PRIDE will sponsor a citywide garage sale on the same day as the Flea Market.

On June 12 the Bridge Club met in Oberlin with Barbara Young as hostess. Guests were Margaret Lund and Joy Davis.

Prizes were won by Marguerette Edmondson, JoAnn Vaughn, and



Lula Thieler

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Berneda Zoberst. The next meeting will be held on July 10 in Colby with JoAnn Vaughn as hostess.

The Worthwhile Club met at the Red Barn on June 12. All four members received a birthday gift from their secret pal. Edna Colson was hostess. The

Club will not meet again until September when the hostess will be Betty Carswell.

The potluck at the Red Barn Senior Center on June 8 was attended by Grace and Duane Cheney, Deb Stepper, and Peg Greenwood. Grace and Deb stayed for quilting after the lunch.

The PRIDE Core Group Meeting was held at the Red Barn on June 11 at 6:30 p.m.

Rex and Betty Carswell met with Betty's sister and brother-in-law Darlene and Keith Barnett of Atwood on June 8 at the Colonial Steak House in Oakley for an anniversary celebration dinner. A going-away potluck was held at the Rexford Community Church on June 8 for the Bill and Mary Carroll family.

The Carrolls have moved to Blue Earth, Minnesota, which is Bill's hometown. Mary Dible Carroll is a Rexford native. The Carrolls will be missed but we all wish them well.

Clubs

Sweet Adelines

The Hi-Plains Harmony Chorus of Sweet Adelines International recently held officer elections.

Peggy Barton of Colby was elected president, while Jolene Hansen of Rexford was elected vice-president.

Officers re-elected were Marge Miller, Colby, recording secretary; Sheila Krehbiel, Colby, treasurer; and Carol Karlin, Grinnell, corresponding secretary.

The Sweet Adelines rehearse every Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at the Colby United Methodist Church, with Don Kready directing. The chorus welcomes guests at any time.

The Chorus is currently busy planning a garage sale and bake sale for

Saturday, June 22 from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Southwind Plaza. They are accepting items anyone wishes to donate to the sales. Call the president, director, or any member if you need the items picked up.

Fair board encourages entries for parade

"Journey Into Imagination" is the theme for this year's Thomas County Fair and Rodeo Parade.

The parade is a mere six weeks away, and with a theme such as, the sky's the limit for ideas!

The parade committee invites all clubs, schools, organizations and individuals alike to make an entry and to be a part of this year's "kick-off" for the fair.

The parade will be held July 30 at 5:30 p.m. with the point of beginning at Fike Park.

It will travel down Franklin Avenue to Cedar Street, and then proceed west to the fair grounds.

Category materials, sign up sheets, and entry numbers will be available in front of McClures on the west side of the street across from the park on the afternoon of the parade.

Cash prizes will be awarded for the top placings in each category.

Everyone loves a parade! The fair parade has gotten bigger and better each year, and the parade committee encourages and welcomes questions.

Parade chairman is Darlene Hatfield. Other members to contact with requests for information are Cheryl Baird, Sue Draper or Vera Sloan.

Hospital

CITIZENS MEDICAL CENTER Thursday, June 19, 2002

Admissions

Sylvester Finuf, Colby Sara Waldman, Colby Naomi Flipse, Colby

Dismissals

No Dismissals

Markets

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

Table with 2 columns: Commodity (Wheat, Corn, Milo, Soybeans) and Price (\$2.89, \$1.98, \$3.07, \$4.33)

Millers-moths found in high number in area

Been driven crazy lately by the number of Miller-moths around the house?

The number of adult miller-moths seen in the area is determined by the number of army cut-worms, (the larval stage of the insect) that are seen in western Kansas, eastern Colorado, and western Nebraska.

Adults need cool, humid weather and also lots of nectar to survive their long journey.

They will probably stay along the front range until flowering plants are no longer available. If the weather remains hot and dry...millers will be out...cool and moist weather entices them to stick around.

Miller-moths do not damage horti-

culture plants, household furniture, or infest food items. Tight fitting screen doors is a deterrent, as well as turning off unnecessary lighting.

It is believed miller-moths follow the light of the moon and get sidetracked by all of the urban lights.

If you must leave an outside light on, replace your current bulb with a yellow bulb, as it is less attractive to the moth. You can also place a bucket of water

under the light fixture to catch miller moths as they hit the light during their flight.

Use your vacuum on miller-moths that have made their way into your home. Although they are a nuisance, miller-moths are only a temporary inconvenience, and homeowners should not be overly concerned or react by using insecticides that do not have a place in miller-moth management.

Card Shower

Elma Tubbs of rural Levant will be celebrating her 90th birthday on June 28, 2002.

Her family is requesting a card shower to help her celebrate. Cards may be sent to 2830 County Road 11, Levant, Kansas, 67701.

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Monday, July 8th Free Press: Wednesday, July 3 @ 3:00, display ads.

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