

Family

Deaths

Ronald Royce Curry

Ronald Royce Curry, 67, of Colby, died Monday, Sept. 12, 2005, in Wichita from complications of treatment of lymphoma cancer.

Mr. Curry was born Dec. 3, 1937, to Wilber and Dorothy (Manteuffel) Curry in rural Cheyenne County in the family farm house. He attended country school until his freshman year when he attended St. Francis Community High School. He graduated in 1955. After high school he returned to the family farm to continue farming and ranching.

He married Connie Kay Peter on Sept. 29, 1957, and they had four children, Cynthia Kay, Roger Lynn, Cara Sue and Christy Ann.

He married Elizabeth (Libby) Ann Williams on Aug. 18, 1979. He enjoyed working with livestock and managed the St. Francis sale barn

for several years and worked several others in the tri-state area.

They moved to a farm southeast of Colby in 1996. He was a member of St. Francis United Methodist Church and Gem Lions Club and other community organizations.

Mr. Curry is survived by his wife, Libby; daughters Cindy Burr, Cara Weeden and Christy Wurm; a brother, Charles Curry; six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Services Friday, Sept. 16 at St. Francis United Methodist Church. Burial was at Lawn Ridge Cemetery in Cheyenne County. Arrangements were handled by Knodel Funeral Home in St. Francis. A memorial fund has been established in Mr. Curry's name. Memorials can be sent in care of Knodel Funeral Home, Box 606, St. Francis, Kan. 67756.

Babies

Maleia Ann Chapman

Adam and Tara Chapman of Colby announce the birth of their daughter, Maleia Ann Chapman on Monday, Sept. 19, 2005, at Citizens Medical Center in Colby. Maleia weighed 8 pounds, 1 ounce and was 20 1/4 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Michelle Phillips of Colby. Maternal great-grandparents are Charles and Pat Wagoner of Colby.

Paternal grandparents are James and Karen Chapman, Brandon, Fla.; Barbara Chapman of Brandon, Fla. Great-grandmother is Mary Prestige of Brandon, Fla.

Happenings

'Tablescaping' event planned

"Stroll Through the Seasons" is the theme chosen by the American Association of University Women for the 2005 Tablescaping Event. Sunday, Oct. 2, everyone is invited to join the viewing of a variety of tables decorated by community individuals and businesses.

Join in the fun anytime between 1 and 4 p.m. at the Colby Community Building. You can also enjoy

dipping dessert treats in the chocolate fountain. The American Association of University Women will use the \$6 admission to provide scholarships for local women.

Tickets may be purchased in advance from any AAUW member or by calling 460-2800 or 462-6604.

Card Shower

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Brewster celebrates fall Homecoming



Betty Jo Baird

Brewster Correspondent

Brewster's Homecoming was Friday, Sept. 16. It started off with a great parade at 3 p.m. Lots of floats, cars, bikes and the high school band and lots of kids having a lot of fun. This was followed with a pep rally on Kansas Avenue. At halftime the king and queen were crowned. They were Brandon Gilley and Caitlan Rush. The attendants were Jalyn Reid, Kassie Stevenson, Aaron Horinek and Jonathan Collett. The score of the game was Brewster and Hitchcock, Neb.

Marion and Coleen Crumrine's family had a great time together last weekend in Brewster. Daughter Carlene and husband Joe Moore came up from Lakin. They and sister Carolyn and husband Brian Somers were supper guests at their folks'. Sunday morning everyone went to the Somers' house for breakfast, including their brother Willard, Marla and Melissa. At noon they all came back to Marion and Coleen's for dinner and grandson Jonathan Moore and family from Lakin also came up for dinner. After they all left grandma and grandpa gave a big sigh and relaxed.

Ryan and Amanda Kisner of Goodwell, Okla. were Friday overnight guests of Amanda's grandparents, Warren and Bonnie Reid. Amanda ran in the college cross country race in Colby. The couple attend Oklahoma Panhandle State University.

Olive Thiel Dillinger passed away Sept. 15 after a lengthy illness. Our sympathy and prayers go out to all her family and friends. She

will be missed by many. A former graduate of Brewster, Lorraine Moore Collins of Aurora, Colo. also passed away last week. She was in the class of 1940.

Mary Ruth Garrett would like to say "thanks" to all family and friends for the prayers, cards, flowers and calls during and after her surgery. She is home and doing well.

The first cross country meet for the Bulldogs was the Quinter Invitational on Thursday, Sept. 8. Placing in the top 10 runners were Karman Selby, first place, 8:17 and Jonathan Collett, fourth place, 18:44. There were 14 teams participating in the windy, 95-degree day. Congratulations to Karman, Jonathan and coach Danny Traub.

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Donald Jay "D.J." Bugbee

Donald Jay "D.J." Bugbee, 75, of Gem, died Friday, September 2, 2005 in Colby, KS. D.J. was born in Gem, KS on April 22, 1930. The second of three children born to Wallace Jay and Donnie Bugbee.

D.J. grew up in Gem with his lifetime sweetheart, Estelle Treat. D.J. and Estelle were married on August 17, 1952. He spent 4 years in the Navy and was stationed in California and Maryland during that time. Once out of the Navy, he and Estelle returned to Gem where they made their home for 53 years of marriage. He was a farmer for most of his life as well as drove a gas truck, school bus, ran the Gem mail route, and drove for Pioneer Seed. D.J. was a charter member of the Gem Lions Club.

D.J. is survived by his wife, Estelle of Gem; daughter, Pam Robinson of Gem; son Steve Bugbee of Mingo; daughter Monica Bugbee-Miller of Gem; son, Scott Bugbee of Ulysses; daughter, Karla Haggard of Colby; two sisters, Ramona June Tinsley of Wichita and Phyllis Kay Hunter of Tupelo, MS; and eleven grandchildren: Eric Bugbee, Cody Robinson, Lindsey Bugbee, Treat Bugbee, Baker Bugbee, Wendy Bugbee, Weston Bugbee, Whitney Bugbee, Madisyn Haggard, Karson Haggard and Logan Haggard.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Wallace Jay and Donnie Bugbee; and stepmother, Bonnie (Sytsma) Bugbee.

D.J. was cremated and a memorial service was held at 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, September 10, 2005 at the Colby United Methodist Church in Colby, KS with Reverend James Mardock officiating. Pat Ziegelmeier was the organist and music was recorded songs on CD performed by the Bugbee family. Burial was in the Gem Cemetery in Gem, KS with family visitation following at the Gem Community Building in Gem, KS.

Memorials are suggested to the Gem Lions Club to be used for the sight foundation and can be sent to: Gem Lions Club, PO Box 195, Gem, KS 67734.

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