

Family

Deaths

Earl Oard

Earl Oard, 88, Colby, died Sunday, May 3, 2009, at Citizens Medical Center in Colby. He was born May 7, 1920.

Services are pending with the Harrison Chapel in Colby.

Ethel Chesnutt

Ethel May Chesnutt, 97, a longtime Goodland resident, died Thursday, April 30, 2009, at the Sherman County Good Samaritan Center in Goodland.

She was born January 24, 1912, at Denton, in Doniphan County, the daughter of Arthur A. and Myrtle V. Burrell Denton. She attended Lone Willow Elementary School near Colby and a country school south of Ruleton. In 1930, she graduated from Sherman Community High School in Goodland.

On May 25, 1936, she and Jerry Murray married in Goodland. He died in 1961. On May 29, 1964, she and Joel J. Chesnutt married at Goodland. He died in 1966.

She had been registration clerk at state Ports of Entry in Tribune, St. Francis and Kanorado. Her memberships included the First Christian Church and the Order of the Eastern Star.

Also preceding her in death were her parents; brothers Carl Denton, Thomas Wayne Denton and Clyde B. Denton; a sister Reba (Varo) Shores.

Survivors include a foster son, John J. Heyer, and a sister-in-law, Helen Denton, both of Goodland.

Services were to be at 3 p.m. (Central Time) today, Monday, May 4, 2009, at the Koons Chapel in Goodland, with the Rev. Carol Edling Jolly officiating and burial in the Goodland Cemetery.

The family suggests contributions to the nursing home in care of the chapel, 211 N. Main, Goodland, Kan., 67735..

Markets

Quotes as of close of previous business day

Hi-Plains Co-op	
Wheat (bushel)	\$5.63
Corn (bushel)	\$3.80
Milo (hundredweight)	\$5.89
Soybeans (bushel)	\$9.91

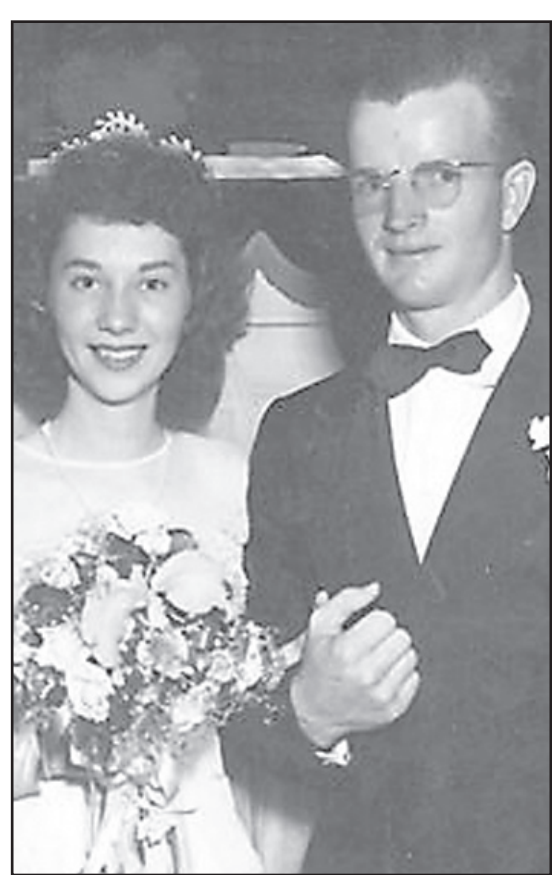
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The Brewers in 1949



The Brewers in 2009

Former Colby couple celebrate 60th

Max and Roberta Brewer of Hays, formerly of Colby, will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary on Friday, May 29, 2009. A family celebration is planned in Kansas City.

Max and the former Roberta Theimer married May 29, 1949, in Oklahoma City. He is retired from the a grain elevator and Roberta is a retired

teacher.

The couple has two daughters, Kathie (Dave) Burnett, Midwest City, Okla., and Kristie (Rich) Cox, Hays; four grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Cards may be sent to the couple at 301 W. 32nd, Hays, Kan., 67601.

Rexford cleanup coming May 15-16

The Junior Class of Golden Plains High School would like to thank all the merchants and individuals for their donations to the Junior Carnival. Without community support, the class would not have been able to provide a wonderful prom. It is nice to have such great local support.

May birthdays include Jay Gilbert, May 1; Lile Lunsway, May 6; Jay Todd, May 7; Berneda Zoberst, May 18; Jay Dahl, Sharon Ketchem, May 22; Cleda Moeder, May 23; Gary Hibbs, May 26; Loreta Trevino, May 27.

Grace Cheney has moved to Fairview Estates, Colby. She will be missed in our town.



Vicki Allison

• Rexford Correspondent

Rexford Cleanup Days will be Saturday and Sunday, May 15 and 16 (if needed). The city will pick up items from the curb that you'd like hauled to the dump. Branches piled up will also be hauled away. These items will not be picked up: untagged refrigerators or freezers, painted wood, tires and grass clippings. Volunteers are needed, and if you can help, contact Bill Scott.



Babies

Landon Dominic Mainus

Landon Dominic Mainus, son of Shaley Niemeyer and Eddie Mainus of Colby, was born March 31, 2009, at Hays Medical Center. He weighed 6 pounds and measured 19 inches. Sister Madison, 22 months, welcomed him home. Grandparents are Marisela and Manley Mainus, and Don Lode and Sam Lode, all of Colby.

Kord McKennon Cox

Kord McKennon Cox, son of Joe and Dianna Cox of Topeka, was born March 8, 2009, at Stormont-Vail hospital in Topeka. He weighed 1 pound, 15 ounces, and measured 13 1/4 inches.

Grandparents are Gregg and Karla Waller of Manhattan, Cheryl Cox of Colby, and Larry Cox of Uptown, Calif.

Great-grandparents are A.J. and Marjorie Horinek of Atwood, and Marjorie Honick of Oklahoma.



Kord Cox

Corrections

Bad information led to a mistake in the "Rural Health" section last week. On Page 10, a story on the Cheyenne County Hospital said that Darrell Reed would be the only certified ultrasound technician between Denver and Hays when he completes his exams.

The author heard from many certified technicians, including at least eight in northwest Kansas — one in Quinter, two in Norton, one in Hoxie, two in Colby and

two in Goodland.

The section was inserted in the *Bird City Times*, *Colby Free Press*, *The Goodland Star-News*, *The Norton Telegram*, *The Oberlin Herald* and *The Saint Francis Herald*. This was due to incorrect information given to the paper.

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May 10

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a reception honoring*

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and
Mary Smith**

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Student Union, Room 108
Beginning at 3:00 p.m.*

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citizens of northwest Kansas.*