Couple celebrates 60th anniversary

Jack R. and Mary Jane Massoni of Meade will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary today, Friday, July 7, 2006. Jack Richard Massoni and Mary Jane Douglas were married July 7, 1946, at the Kismet Evangelical United Brethren Church with the Rev. Walter Brant officiating.

They farmed and ranched in rural Kismet and Baker, Okla. Since 1976, they have lived in Liberal, Goodland, Lakin and Kismet, moving to Meade in March 2006.

Jack was a cattle buyer for National Beef Packing for 13 years and remains active in the cattle business today. Jane worked at Golden West Skills Center (now Golden West Community Services) in Goodland and was social service designee/ activities director at High Plains Retirement Village in Lakin for several years. The couple stays busy with family, community and church affairs.

They have four living children: J. Steven Massoni and his wife Kelley of Lawrence, Mark R. Massoni and his wife Annette of Turpin, Okla., Susan Fox and her husband Warren of Plains and Celia Beymer and her husband Jere of Lakin. Their



Jack R. and Mary Jane Massoni now

daughter Melissa is deceased. They have 11 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren. The couple's children are requesting a card shower

for their parents. Friends may send greetings to Jack and Jane at Box 699, Meade, Kan. 67864. The couple requests no gifts.

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80-year residents celebrate 65th anniversary

Family celebration planned

Bob and Ione Todd will celebrate their 65th wedding anniversary Sunday, July 16, 2006.

The Todds lived in Goodland for more than 80 years and now live in Loveland, Colo. They will be honored with a family celebration at the home of their daughter and son-inlaw, Sheryl and Dan Martin, in Longmont, Colo.

Cards can be sent to the Todds at Brymar Retirement Park, 1166 N. Madison Ave. No. 112, Loveland, Colo. 80537.



Ione and Bob Todd today



The Todds then

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IN THE DISTRICT **COURT OF SHERMAN COUNTY, KANSAS**

In the Matter of the Estate of Maurice Donald Kear, deceased

Case No. 06PR19

NOTICE OF HEARING AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

THE STATE OF KANSAS TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that on June 23, 2006, a Petition was filed in this Court by Andrew Allen Kear, an heir, devisee and legatee, and one of the co-executors named in the Last Will and Testament of Maurice Donald Kear, deceased, dated June 17, 2005, praying the Will filed with the Petition be admitted to probate and record; Petitioner and Lonny Lee Kear, Jr. be appointed as co-executors, without bond; and be granted Letters Testamentary.

You are required to file your written defenses thereto on or before July 25, 2006, at 10:00 o'clock A.M. in the District Court. Sherman County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail therein judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the Petition.

All creditors are notified to exhibit their demands against the Estate within the latter of four (4) months from the date of first publication of notice under K.S.A.. 59-2236 and amendments thereto, or if the identity of the creditor is known or reasonably ascertainable, thirty (30) days after actual notice was given as provided by law, and if their demands are not thus exhibited, they shall be forever barred.

Andrew Allen Kear, Petitioner

SUBMITTED BY: DINKEL LAW OFFICE, LLC

By:

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NOTICE OF PLACES AND DATES OF REGISTRATION

In compliance with the provisions of K.S.A. 25-2310 and K.S.A. 25-2311, notice is hereby given that the books for registration of voters will be open at the following places at the times specified:

County Clerkís Office 8 a.m. to noon and 1p.m. to 5 p.m. (Mon. to Fri.)

City Clerkís Office 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. (Mon. to Fri.)

The books for registration of voters will close at 5 p.m. in the County Clerkís Office and 4 p.m. in the City Clerkís Office on the 17th day of July, 2006.

A citizen of the United States who is eighteen (18) years of age or older, or will have attained the age of eighteen (18) years of age at the next state general election, must register before he or she can vote. Registration closes fourteen (14) days prior to every election.

When a registered voter changes residence or name, such voter must reregister in order to be eligible to vote. Any person may apply in person or by telephone, or by mail to the County Election Officer to be registered. Application forms shall be provided by the County Election Officer upon request by the applicant. Such application shall be signed by the applicant under penalty of perjury.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 5th day of July, 2006.

Janet R. Rumpel Sherman County Election Officer

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