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#### Periodic Table Focus Of Straub Lecture At USD

VERMILLION — The University of South Dakota will host professor and author John E. Straub, Ph.D., for the 2011 Phi Beta Kappa Visiting Scholar Lecture at 7 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 7, at Room 118, Churchill-Haines.

lecture, "A Lively Tour of the Periodic Table," will explore the diverse properties of the chemical elements through the use of historical accounts and chemical reactions. Additionally, the lecture and demonstration, open to the public, will also answer questions such as "what is the single most important statement of scientific knowledge? Or how were the chemical elements isolated from ancient times until the present day?"

Straub joined the department of chemistry at Boston University in 1990  $\,$ where he is currently professor and chair. He is a recipient of the university's Gitner and Metcalf Awards, both for excellence in teaching. His research focuses on the development and use of mathematical and computational models to uncover the principles governing the fundamental processes of energy transfer, signaling, folding, misfolding, and aggregation that underlie protein function. He served as chair of the Theoretical Chemistry Subdivision of the American Chemical Society and as president of the Telluride Science Research Center, as well as on advisory panels to the Pinhead Institute, the National Science Foundation and the National Institutes of Health.

More information is available at www.bu.edu/chemistry/faculty/straub.



No serious injuries were reported in this one-vehicle accident south of Volin at approximately 4:10 p.m. Friday afternoon. The vehicle veered into the ditch and traveled several yards before the vehicle flipped over on its top. The woman driving the vehicle was alone at the time, and she reported that she was not seriously hurt. Emergency responders from Yankton County, Gayville and Volin were at the scene, as was the South Dakota Highway

#### **OBITUARIES**

#### **Arnold Bernt**

TYNDALL — Funeral Service for Arnold J. Berndt of Tyndall is at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday, November 5 at First Baptist Church in Avon with Rev. Mike Bovle and Rev. Bill Van Gerpen as officiates. Organist is Jean Christenson and soloist was Shelly Dejong. Interment is in First Baptist Cemetery, Avon.

Casketbearers are Casey Berndt, Travis Berndt, Brian Cihak, Wayne Winckler, Roger Berndt, and Ernie Wurtezer.

Arnold John Berndt was born on the family farm on Sunday, September 7, 1924 to John and Edith (Hinzman) Berndt. He attended Avon High School through the 11th grade. On Friday, February 4th, 1944 Arnold and LaVerne Fischer were united in marriage at Danzig Baptist Church in Avon, SD. Arnold had a real talent for farming and it was a job he enjoyed. He farmed near Avon until 1985 and later retired to Tyndall, SD in 1998. There he worked for the Tyndall Good Samaritan Nursing Home and as a Green Thumb at the Tyndall High School. Arnold passed away on Thursday, November 3, 2011 at the Tyndall Good Samaritan Nursing Home having attained the age of 87 years,

1 month, and 27 days. Arnold is survived by his wife, LaVerne Berndt of Tyndall, South Dakota; son Gregory (Kim) Berndt of Tyndall, SD; daughter Beth (Bob) Fender of Springfield, SD; brother Clifford

Steven A. Hackett, age 46, of

Following Steven's wishes, a

Yankton, SD passed away unex-

pectedly on Thursday Novem-

ber 3, 2011 at Avera Sacred

Heart Hospital Yankton, SD.

Memorial Graveside Service

will take place at 2:00 p.m. on

**Steven Hackett** 



**Arnold Bernt** 

ters Sophia (Benard) Winckler of Tyndall, SD, MaryAnn Klocek of Scotland, SD, and Thelma Lind of Vermillion, SD; grandchildren Casey (Erin) Berndt of Winner, SD, Travis (Rachel) Berndt of Tyndall, SD, and Brian Cihak of Tyndall, SD; greatgrandchildren Brody, Jacob, and Sam Cihak; and step-greatgrandchild Autumn Harris.

He was preceded in death by his parents, John and Edith Berndt; and brother-in-laws,

Richard Lind and Clem Klocek. Yankton Press & Dakotan November 5, 2011



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#### **Raymond Schmidt**

SCOTLAND — Funeral Mass for Raymond B. Schmidt of Scotland will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, November 5 at St. George Catholic Church in Scotland with Fr. Tony Opem and Msgr. Carlton Hermann as Celebrants. Pianist will be Martin Sieverding and soloist will be Linda Kronaizl. Interment will follow in St. George Catholic Cemetery, Scotland. Military graveside rites will be presented by Joseph Verm American Legion Post #155 and Paul Grosshuesch VFW Post #2966, both of Scotland.

Active casketbearers will be Dan Miller, Tim Schmidt, Bryan Reising, Joel Kirchner and Paul Bainbridge. Honorary casketbearers will be Marvin Thum and Ted Grace.

Visitation will be held on Saturday, November 5, from 9:00 a.m. until 10:30 a.m. at the church. Rosary will be held at 10:30 a.m prior to the Mass. Raymond passed away on Wednesday, November 2, 2011 at the Scotland Good Samaritan Society of Scotland. Online condolences may be sent at www.goglinfh.com.

Raymond Bernard Schmidt

was born on Friday, June 15, 1928 in Scotland, South Dakota. He was the fourth child born to J.P. and Rose (Podzimek) Schmidt. He graduated from Scotland High School in 1946. "Rakey," as he was affectionately called, enjoyed hunting and bowling in his early years, and was a die-hard Boston Ceitic ian. Kay nad a cow/caii operation on his acreage but his greatest passion in life was commercial painting. He was very meticulous and set his own pace. Time was never a factor with him; only a job well done. Ray served in the U.S. Army from 1951-1953 and was a lifetime member of Joseph Verm American Legion Post #155, following in the footsteps of his grandfather, John F. Schmidt, and his father, J.P. Schmidt. He, along with his brother Donald, was in charge of the St. George Catholic Cemetery in Scotland. Ray was personally responsible for the Crucifixion statue at the cemetery, for which he took great



**Raymond Schmidt** 

pride. He was a lifetime member of St. George Catholic Church and donated his time to painting the interior and the removal of snow outside. Ray passed away on Wednesday, November 2, 2011 at the Scot-land Good Samaritan Society, having attained the age of 83 years.

Ray is survived by his sweetheart, Campy Hartnett of Sioux Falls; three sisters: Dorothy Schmidt of Yankton, Betty Kellen of Worthington, Minnesota, and Katherine Schmidt of Chandler, Arizona; two brothers: Donald (Delphine) Schmidt of Scotland and Gregory (Jan) Schmidt of Dakota Dunes; a brother-in-law, Ken Miller of Sioux Falls; twenty nieces and nephews; twenty-four greatnieces and nephews; one greatgreat-nephew; his special friend, Zita Schmidt of Scotland;

and his faithful dog, Gigi. He was preceded in death by his parents, J.P. and Rose Schmidt; his maternal and paternal grandparents; two brothers: Louis Schmidt in infancy and Joseph J. Schmidt of Rapid City; two sisters: Marilyn F. Schaefer and Carol Anne Miller; and three brothers-in-law: Dr. Robert Schaefer, Darrell Bowyer and Nick Kellen.

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#### **Gladys Larsen**

Gladys Johanna Larsen, 88, of Yankton, SD and formerly of Irene, SD passed away Thursday, November 3, 2011 at Avera Sacred Heart Hospital in Yankton.

Funeral services will be 10:30 a.m. Monday, November 7, 2011 at Calvary Baptist Church in Yankton with Rev. Jon Cooke officiating. Burial will follow in Turkey Valley Cemetery rural

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. Sunday, November 6, 2011 at Hansen Funeral Home in Irene and will resume one hour prior to services on Monday.

Gladys Johanna Jacobson, daughter of Lewis H. and Helga (Thompson) Jacobson, was born July 27, 1923 on a farm near Wakonda, SD. She attended school in Wakonda and graduated in 1941. On March 8, 1944 she married Edwin G. Larsen of Irene and together they farmed in the Irene area until moving to Yankton in 2000.

Gladys was a 4-H leader, Sunday school teacher, election worker and worked tirelessly on the farm and for her church. Above all, Gladys was a loving mother and a friendly, caring person who had a deep love for her family, church and God. She had a wonderful sense of humor, loved to read, play games (and win!) and always had a cup of coffee and cookie for her many visitors. A highlight of any day for Gladys was a call or visit from her children.

Those grateful for sharing her life are her four children: Sandra Winkelman of Yankton. Keith (Kathy Ober) of Ellsworth, Maine, Curt (Mary) of Helena, Montana and Virginia "Ginger" Larsen of Yankton; seven grandchildren: Ryan (Dustan) Larsen, Stafford Larsen, Joe (Émily) Larsen, Jen-

nifer Larsen, Mary Joe Larsen, David (Holly Deatherage) Larsen and Andrew Larsen; two greatgrandchildren: Mary Scott and Elliot Larsen; one sister Agnes Marshall of Iowa; many special nieces and nephews and special friends; Bob and Carol Winter.

Gladys was preceded in death by her parents; husband Edwin; son-in-law Clarence Winkelman; three brothers: Gordon, Curtis and Roland Jacobson also two sisters Alfreda Lien and Virginia Jacobson.

Gladys will be missed terribly by her family and friends who loved and cherished her. Memorials may be directed to

Calvary Baptist Church in Yankton or the Children's Home Society in Sioux Falls, SD. For obituary and online con-

dolences please visit hansenfuneralhome.com.

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#### Carolyn Livingston

ELK POINT — Carolyn Livingston, 86, of Elk Point died Wednesday, Nov. 2, 2011. at Prairie Estates Care Center surrounded by her family. Funeral services are at 10:30

a.m. Monday at Immanuel Lutheran Church, Elk Point, with burial at the Elk Point Cemetery following the service.

Visitation is 5-7 p.m. Sunday at Kober Funeral Home, Elk Point, with a prayer service and video tribute to begin at 7 p.m.

#### **O. Janet Scott**

IFFFFRSON — O Lanet Scot 81, of Jefferson died Friday, Nov. 4, 2011, at Wel-Life Assisted Living Center, Elk Point.

Funeral arrangements are pending with Kober Funeral Home, Ĕlk Point.



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#### Monday, November 7, 2011 at the Garden of Memories Cemetery in Yankton, SD. The Opsahl-Kostel Funeral Home & Crematory are in charge of

arrangements.

Steven was born on February 4, 1965. He graduated from Yankton High School and worked at Čimpl's until he got

He is survived his mother, Loretta Hackett of Yankton, SD: sisters: Carol (Terry) Jensen of Irene, SD, Diane (Tim) Scott of Bemidji, MN and Patsy Dunn of



(Judy) Hackett of Yankton, SD, and Don (Cathy) Hackett of Rapid He was pre-

Pocatello, ID;

brothers: Bob

ceded in death by his father, Raymond and grandparents,

Ruben & Minnie Hackett, and great-grandparents, Richard and Helen Barta.

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