# **Students, Employers Set For Fourth Annual USD Career Fair**

VERMILLION — The University of South Dakota Academic and Career Planning Center is hosting a Career Fair on the USD campus from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Thursday, Nov. 4, at the Muenster University Center.

The fourth annual USD Career Fair will allow students to apply for part-time and full-time job opportunities, and internships with regional businesses and industries that will be in attendance throughout the day in the

ballroom of the Muenster University Center.

"This is a chance for students to engage businesses and organizations, and explore careerdevelopment possibilities whether it's an internship, or a full-time or a part-time job," said Clarence Pederson, specialist with the Academic and Career Planning Center. "It's a tremendous networking opportunity for students as well as an opportunity for them to create a path to

Pederson expects more than 50 employers will participate in the upcoming USD Career Fair. Businesses already scheduled to take part include AEGIS Food Testing Laboratories, Beef Products Inc., and Frito Lay. The Career Fair is open and free of charge to USD students and

an exciting future."

Located at the Arts and Sciences Building on the USD campus, the Academic and

She is survived by her hus-

band, Rodney D. Epp of Augusta;

her son Todd D. Epp of

Harrisburg, South Dakota; her sis-

ters Virgie Tufte and Sally

Glidden of Los Angeles,

California; sister Betty Beckley of Ainsworth, Nebraska; and grand-

children Sarah Marie Epp and

Matthew Zachariah David Epp of

by her father Micah, her mother

Sally, her sisters Margaret,

Oneita, Mary, and Kate and broth-

In lieu of flowers, memorials

can be sent in Belle's name to

Harry Hynes Memorial Hospice, 313 Š. Market, Wichita, KS 67202.

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Belle was preceded in death

Career Planning Center is available year round for students to assist them with career and academic planning, employment strategies and graduate school applications. The department also assists students with internships, part-time jobs and providing detailed information on all types of campus organizations. For more information, call (605) 677-5381 or visit the USD Web site at http://www.usd.edu.

### **OBITUARIES**

### Bertha Eisenbraun

Funeral services for Bertha Eisenbraun, 97, of Yankton and formerly of Scotland will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Monday, October 25 at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Scotland with Rev. David W. Ellis officiating. Interment will follow in Rosehill Cemetery.

Visitation will be held on Sunday at the Goglin Funeral Home in Scotland from 3:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m., with a 7:00 p.m. prayer service. The family will be present to greet visitors from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. Bertha passed away on

Eva Epp (December 24, 1928 - October

Funeral services for Eva Belle Epp, age 81, of Augusta, Kansas

be held Tuesday, October 26, 2010 at 2:00 p.m. at Brockhaus-Harlan Funeral Home in Tilden, Nebraska. Pastor Michael Davis will officiate with bur-

ial in the Tilden City Cemetery in Tilden, Nebraska.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. Sunday, October 24, 2010 at the Headley Funeral Chapel in

Augusta, Kansas. Belle, as she preferred to be called, was born December 24, 1928 in Tilden, Nebraska. Her parents were Micah D. James and Sarah "Sally" Elizabeth Bartee James, both Virginia natives who moved to Nebraska just after the turn of the Twentieth Century, where they farmed near Tilden. Belle's father died when she was only nine years old, leaving a large family for her mother to support during the depths of the Great Depression in dust bowl Nebraska. Belle graduated from Tilden High School in 1945. One of her classmates was Major League Baseball Hall of Famer Richie Ashburn. After high school, she was involved in a serious car accident and was presumed dead. She broke her pelvis and doctors told her she would never walk again. With the love and encouragement of her mother Sally. Belle was able to walk again, even though her pelvis healed with one side higher than the other. She prided herself on the fact that she could walk without a limp. After jobs at banks in Tilden and Omaha, Nebraska and also at Western Electric in Omaha, she met Rodney D. Epp of Hampton, Nebraska. They wed May 25, 1958 in Omaha. On December 8, 1958, Belle gave birth to Todd David, their only child. In 1959, the couple moved to Yankton, South Dakota, where Rodney began his career with Kaneb Pipeline. While in Yankton, Belle was a devoted mother, tutoring her son in English and writing. She attended nearly every one of Todd's baseball and basketball games, every swim meet and track meet Todd competed in across the Upper Midwest, and every band concert Todd played in. She often carted a car load of swimmers or basketball players across Yankton or South Dakota to the next game, swim meet, or practice. She was also usually one of the moms who transported Todd and his classmates on field trips and provided

snacks as a room mother. Though

a house wife most of her life,

Friday, October 22, 2010 at Majestic Bluffs in Yankton. Expressions of sympathy sent www.goglinfh.com.





Belle had wide-ranging interests.

She was active in a number of

activities, including in Yankton

the community concert series,

serving as a Cub Scout den moth-

er, and being vice president of the

high school band parents associ-

ation. She was also an avid

bowler, a fixture on the Friday

Morning Methodist Women's

League. For a time she worked as

an elementary school tutor in

Yankton, a job she loved. While in

Yankton, Belle and her family reg-

ularly attended the United

Methodist Church. She even

braved teaching middle school-

ers in Sunday school. In August

1976, Belle and her family moved

to Augusta after Rodney received

a promotion to Kaneb's head

office in Wichita, Kansas. In

Augusta, she was an early sup-

porter and campaign volunteer

for U.S. Representative Bob

Whittaker, R-Kansas Fifth District,

helping him win his first term in

1978. Her sister Virgie, a child

prodigy and a Ph.D. in English,

called Belle the James' family's

wit. Belle was always good with a

quick quip or funny observation

about just about anything. Her

verbal abilities also translated

into being a voracious crossword

and Scrabble player. A visit by

any of Todd's college friends to

the Epp household meant a com-

petitive round of Scrabble with

Belle. She also prided herself on

her Palmer Method perfect hand-

writing, which looked like it came

directly out of the training manu-

al. Belle loved birds and bird

watching. Belle always had a

birding book nearby and Rodney

installed bird feeders near the

windows so she could enjoy

them. When she lived in Yankton,

she accompanied Todd and

Rodney on their fishing trips on

Throughout her life, Belle stayed

in touch with her large family.

Family gatherings were often

spent around the table telling

jokes, singing, or making the

secret James family recipe egg

noodles. In the mid 1970s,

Rodney bought her an electric

organ, which she played daily,

proud to be able to conquer

increasingly difficult pieces of

music. She was an avid NFL and

college basketball enthusiast, a

fan of the Kansas City Chiefs and

the Kansas Jayhawks. Often the

only woman in the pool, she was

known to win the Kaneb NFL

Augusta, Kansas, died peacefully

in her sleep early Thursday

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and Clark Lake.

# Doris Laird

ers Millard and Bill.

Harrisburg.

HASTINGS, Neb. — Hastings resident Doris E. Laird, 84, passed away Wednesday, October 20 at Mary

Hospital, Hastings, Nebraska A book signing will be held at Livingston Butler Volland Funeral Home Wednesday, October 27, 2010;

Lanning Memorial



4:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. with family present. Private family inurnment will be in Saint Mark's Episcopal Pro-Cathedral All Souls Chapel, Hastings, Nebraska. There will be no visita-

Memorials may be given to the family's choice. Condolences may sent to www.lbvfh.com Livingston-Butler-Volland Funeral Home & Cremation Center is in charge of arrangements.

Doris was born April 5, 1926 in Yankton, South Dakota to Harry E. & Josephine (Fitzgerald) Nieland. She graduated from Yankton High School in 1944 and went to Washington DC and worked for the U.S. Government. She returned to South Dakota and married James Crosby in Avon, South Dakota in 1946. They had two sons, Robert J. and David F. She married W. W. Laird on August 27, 1971 and moved to Hastings. She was a homemaker and was active in PEO Chapter GZ and was

Doris was preceded in death by her parents; and sister, Geraldine J. Moses.

a Mary Lanning Pink Lady.

Survivors include husband: W. W. "Bill" Laird, Hastings, NE; sons and fiancé: Robert J. Crosby and Lori Opp, York, NE; David Fitzgerald, Denver, CO; Niece and Spouse: Mary Jo and David Orton, Omaha, NE; step-children and spouses: Lynn and Ron Julianelle, Norfolk, NE; Judy Bauer, Denver, CO; Debby and Skip Heidler, Hinsdale, IL; grandchildren and spouse: Summer Crosby and fiancé Jason Kent; Tyson and Megan Crosby; Danika Fitzgerald; 10 step-grandchildren and six step-great-grandchildren.

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### Patricia Coursey

ELK POINT — Patricia Coursey, 81, of Elk Point, SD formerly of Vermillion, SD, passed away Thursday, October 21 at the Wel-Life assisted living in Elk

Patricia was born February 22, 1929 in Chicago, IL to James and Anne (Huttemann) Coursey. She graduated from the Amundson High School in Chicago in 1947, and attended the Bryant and Stratton Business College in

Pat worked as an associate Director at the Elgin Mental Health Center in Elgin, IL, retiring in 1992.

She was a longtime volunteer at the Dakota Hospital in Vermillion and greatly enjoyed travel, visiting most of the states in Mexico, many European countries including Iceland, Japan and

Helen was preceded in death

She is survived by her sister Helen Coursey Burton of Vermillion, and a brother James Coursey of Chicago, IL and several nieces and nephews; Linda Burton (Bruce Cargin), Laura (Farrel) Christensen, Kathryn (William) Cover, Kathleen (Charles) Funk, and James Alison) Coursey and three great

11:00 a.m. Monday. October 25 at the St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Vermillion. In Lieu of flowers, please make

donation to a charity of your choice in Patricia's name.

Online condolences and obituarv: hansenfuneralhome.com. Yankton Press & Dakotan October 23, 2010

### Donald 'Don' Pechous

TYNDALL — Donald G. "Don" Pechous, 85, of Tyndall died Thursday (Oct. 21, 2010) at the Tyndall Good Samaritan Center. Funeral services are at 11 a.m.

Duane Coates officiating. Visitations will begin at 5 p.m. Tuesday at Opsahl-Kostel Memorial Chapel, Tyndall, with a Scripture service at 7 p.m. Visitations will resume one hour

Church, Tvndall, with the Rev. R.

### Alberta Fikse

funeralhome.com.

VIBORG — Alberta Fikse, 90,

Services are at 2 p.m. Monday Visitation is 1-8 p.m. Sunday,

Chicago.

China.

by her parents.

nieces and two great nephews.

Memorial services will be

Wednesday at United Methodist

Burial of the cremated remains will be 10 a.m. Thursday, Oct. 28, at the Czech National Cemetery, Tyndall.

prior to the service at the church.

died Wednesday (Oct. 20, 2010) at Pioneer Memorial Nursing Home, Viborg.

at First Baptist Church, Viborg. with family present from 7-8 p.m., at the Viborg Funeral Home. Register online at www.viborg-

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# **THANK YOU**

The family of **Harvey Gevens** wishes to thank everyone for all the cards, phone calls, memorial gifts, flowers and food given to us. We want to thank Pastor Jon Cooke and Pastor Terry of Calvary Baptist for their visits to Harvey at the hospital. Thank you Pastor Cooke for the beautiful service you gave for Harvey. Thanks to Betty Larson and Tim Kelly for the special songs they sang for him. Thank you to Tami Keller and Kevin Opsahl of Opsahl-Kostel Funeral Home for their loving care. Thank you to the ladies who served the lunch at church. Thank you to honorary and active pallbearers. Thank you to everyone at Avera Sacred Heart Hospital and Rehab Unit that took care of Harvey. Thank you to Dr. Farver, Dr. Cammock, Dr. Fournier, Dr. Peterson and his staff at the Cancer Center. Words cannot express our heartfelt thanks to each one of you.

Evelyn, John, Jim & families

Many times a short 1 or 2 minute impromptu answer to an issue, without dialogue, only clouds the real answer.

### **CLARIFICATION**

After reviewing my answer and the comments I made on the county Mag Water issue at The Center forum on October 14th I can see how it may have been misinterpreted. I would like to thank the individual that heard my comments, second hand, for calling me for clarification of that issue.

My opinion is that once the county begins a project they are obligated long term. That being said I personally feel the county should have been proactive and open minded enough to experiment with several other products that are currently available and being used nationally, with success, at a much lower cost.

I do not favor any further expansion of Mag Water use (except in the areas currently being treated) unless we are willing to look at and experiment with other long term and more cost effective options. If those options do not work, and are truly found not to be more cost effective, we can at the very least say we attempted to save the taxpayer some money. If it works, and is cost effective, there is always the possibility of expanding dust control to other areas of the county with the savings realized.

I hope this clarifies my stance on this issue and if anyone should have questions please feel free to contact me.

Thank you.

# **Garry Moore**

Candidate for County Commission

Paid for by Garry Moore



From Page 1A

Goss said several indicators in the survey suggest 2010 has been a good year for farmers in the region. The agricultural equipment sales index jumped to 61 in October from 56.2 in September.

The farmland price index increased to 60 in October from September's 57.7 and August's 55.3. Terry Engelken, CEO of Federation Bank in Washington,

lowa, said recent farmland auctions attracted prices of more than \$9.000 per acre.

The home sales index declined to 42.1 in October from September's 47.6, suggesting

The October retail sales index was 45.1, slightly lower than September's 45.2

Two of the bank indicators, checking deposits and CDs, remained at healthy levels above 50 for the eighth straight month. But the loan volume index fell to 48.4 in October from September's strong 57.4.

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