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Andrews	Thursday, January 23	3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
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		4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
Introduction to WordPerfect 5.1 for IBM		
Sandoz(IBM)	Wednesday, January 22	3:00 - 4:30 p.m.
	Thursday, February 6	3:00 - 4:30 p.m.
Advanced WordPerfect 5.1 for IBM		
Sandoz(IBM)	Wednesday, February 5	3:00 - 4:30 p.m.



Shaun Sartir/DN

Mark Roper, a funeral director for Roper and Sons, shows one of many caskets the mortuary offers. Roper said the business, established at the turn of the century, had entered its fourth generation of family ownership.

To be buried or to burn Dead? Time to sort out options

By Anne Steyer
Senior Reporter

Most people assume it's all over after one dies. Many think the body is simply put in a box and the box is put into a hole in the ground.

While the fundamentals of this assumption may be correct, certainly more options are available than a simple wooden box and a hole in the ground.

A burial is not mandatory; cremation is also a viable option. But if burial is chosen, the actual logistics are endless.

Mike McQuiston, a funeral di-

rector at Roper and Sons Mortuary, 4300 O St., said the mortuary would "make the removal" of the body. After returning to the mortuary, the mortuary waits for instructions from the family.

Decisions whether or not to embalm must be made within 24 hours, McQuiston said. The Nebraska Department of Health requires burial within one day if the family chooses direct burial.

The direct-burial option requires nearly immediate interment after death. The body is sanitized, dressed and placed in a casket. But when the family has relatives and friends

coming from out of town for a service, McQuiston said embalming before burial is the best option.

If the family is planning a service before burial, the morticians prefer to begin embalming soon because the blood will begin to coagulate shortly after death, McQuiston said.

The health department requires that the embalming fluid contain at least 5 percent formaldehyde gas. But before the fluid can be injected, all bodily orifices must be plugged with absorbant cotton and the body bathed with a strong

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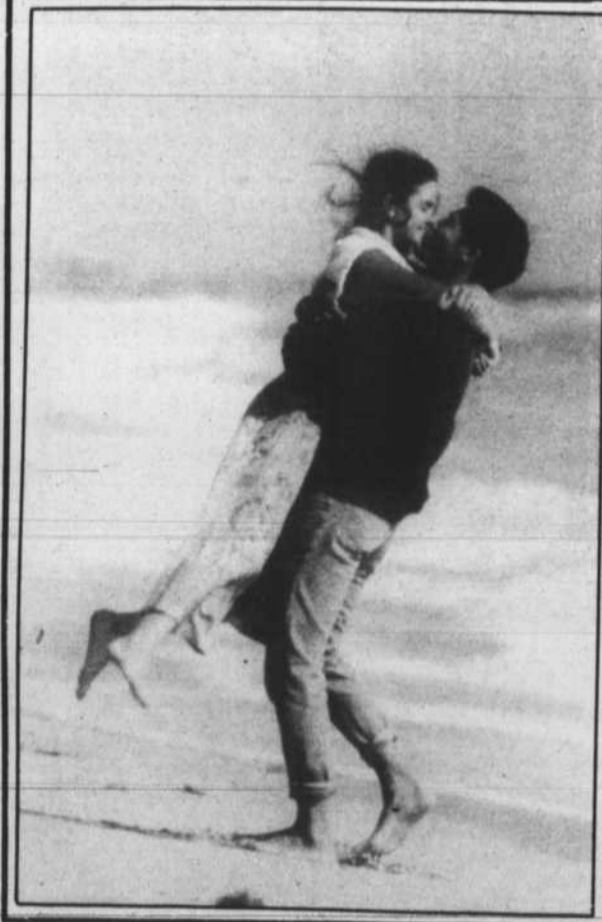
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