## Family

### Death

### **Fern Souders Johnson**

DALLAS, Tex. - Fern Souders Johnson, died Sunday, Sept. 15, 2002 Roulier and had lived and attended in Dallas. No services will be held. Her body was given to the Scientific Re-

search Center in Dallas. Ms. Johnson was a sister of Marge school in Colby. She is survived by two sons and four grandsons.

### Happenings

LINK, (living independently in northwest Kansas,) is making a concerted effort to advise seniors of upcoming election issues.

They are not campaigning for any candidate. Their primary goal is that all area seniors will be made aware of the election issues, which include senior benefits, voting rights and issues common to those with disabilities.

Rick Knight of Goodland is a disability advocate for LINK. Knight, a disabled veteran, will be making a special presentation covering these issues on Tuesday, Oct. 1, at 11:30 a.m., at the Senior Progress Center.

All area seniors are invited to attend this informative presentation.

All writers and interested persons are invited to the fall meeting of the Seventh District Kansas Author's Club, Sept. 21, at the Dodge House Restaurant. The program will consist of two presentations.

Tracy Million Simmons will be discussing how to write for the Internet in "Words in her workshop, Cyberspace". Simmons, a Kansas Author's Club Seventh District member, leads a Creative Writing club for 4-H youth and home-schoolers in Ford County.

She has published essays and articles on regional-area parenting websites such as LifeServ.com, childslife.com, Emphasis on Moms newsletter, and BabyCorner.com. as well as writing for a web-based romantic proposal service. She has also written for print pul lications such as A Wanting Paren House, Home & Garden, and Coun Families Magazine.

The second presentation will b 'Origins of Writing" with Professor Jeff Mills. He is currently an instructor of English at Dodge City Community College.

### Hospital

CITIZENS MEDICAL CENTER Tuesday, September 17, 2002 Admissions Doris Barnett, Colby **Dismissals** Ellen Moore, Colby

He earned his bachelor of arts degree from Northwest Missouri State University and his master's from The University of Northern Iowa. He lived and taught for several years in southwestern Iowa until last August when he came to Dodge City.

The Dodge House Restaurant is located at 2408 W. Wyatt Earp Blvd. Registration begins at 9:30 a.m., and the program begins at 10 a.m. A dutch treat lunch and business meeting will passed away after a long illness. follow. For more information call (620) 338-8707.

sas invites you to a new series of informal meeting for this fall, which will be held the third Sundays of the month. Dates will be Oct. 20, Baby Arrives:

the First Weeks; Nov. 17, Avoiding Difficulties; Dec. 15, Nutrition and Weaning

ers with nursing babies, and their partners/support people are invited to attend.

It is up to you to determine if older children will be happiest with you or at home.

Call (785) 462-7188 for breast feeding information, to rent a breastpump, or more information on meetings.

### Markets

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Love - Your family & friends

### Many givers brighten up Brewster Senior Center

I have a couple of big "thank you's" for helping make Sept. 11 a more bearable day. Bonnie Reid brought in a very patriotic flower arrangement that brightened the Senior Center up. Carolyn Richards helped with the feeling, also, by bringing her talented fingers to play the songs that make the American Spirit soar. We appreciated the effort these ladies put forth and enjoyed both the flowers and the music.

Marge Westover made it home just about in time to turn around and head back to Colorado. Last week, she attended the wedding of her granddaughter, Tamara and after getting home, heard that a nephew from Denver

The word is that Frances Jones is coming along just fine, and continuing her recuperation at the home of her daughter and Son-in-law, Paula and Charlie Webb, of Wichita.

Many fine folks have been sharing

### Clubs

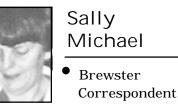
**Mary Group** 

Christian Women's Fellowship Mary group, of First Christian Church, met for their first 2002-2003 scheduled meeting. Maxine Zeigelmeier hosted the meeting at her home on Wednesday, Sept. 11, at 3 p.m., with ten members present.

A special "remembrance" for Sept. 11, 2001, along with the loss of Gwen Sloan, was held. Lois Myers presented the lesson on "Power and Promise." The Christian Women's Fellowship mission country for the coming year is Sudan. Lois told of a website, www.thehungersite.com, which will donate 1.1 cups of grain to the hungry

October's meeting will be hosted by Bobbie Heaton, with Mary Oard as program leader.

Winners for this week bridge game



their produce and such with the Senior Center and it is good to have the fresh vegetables. Paula and Cliff Fox have shared cucumbers and also some syrup, jellies, and hot mustard. The mustard's description says it is from "a very hot place," so it is hard to find someone brave enough to try it. Gloria Tiedeman has brought in lots of squash and folks are appreciating and enjoying them.

Betty Jo Carpenter has brought in some gorgeous flowers also, and the roses have been so beautiful as well as the daisies, marigolds, dahlias, etc. Bonnie and Betty Jo certainly have a knack, not only for growing flowers

were Helen Donelan (1st), Thelma Shalz (2nd); Joy Davis (3rd). Winners for the one lady scramble golf game were: Audrey Hines (1st for flight one) and Mary Lou Jones (1st for flight two)

Next weeks game will be best ball. On Oct. 8, the Country Club Ladies

Association will be meeting. Dinner will be served at 7 p.m. with a meeting to follow at 8 p.m.

Thank You...

I would like to thank my relatives, neighbors, and friends who came to my recent 90th birthday celebration at the Comfort Inn in Colby. The party and open house was pro-

vided by family members and attended by all 33 of my living family members who came from three states for the special day.

I wish also to thank many unable to attend who sent greetings in several different ways.

For eighty years, I have called Colby my home and I am still blessed to be living among good relatives, neighbors, and friends. You are all the best to me! May God bless you all for making my 90th birthday celebration so special to me.

Sincerely - Vida Toburen

but also for arranging them. Thanks to all for the generous giving.

Roger and I and Allie will be in Salina and Hays for a good part of the coming week and it will be good to get away for awhile. Seems like we've become pretty much stay at homes, lately, mainly because every trip seems to take more and more organizing. Time seems to be the major culprit to organize and I don't know where all ours goes. But, we are looking forward to spending time with the kids and grandkids.

this evening. This is his 86th birthday, which I'm sure is hard for him to believe. He had just turned 40 when I met him for the first time and it sure doesn't seem that long ago. Of course, I was quite a bit younger too.

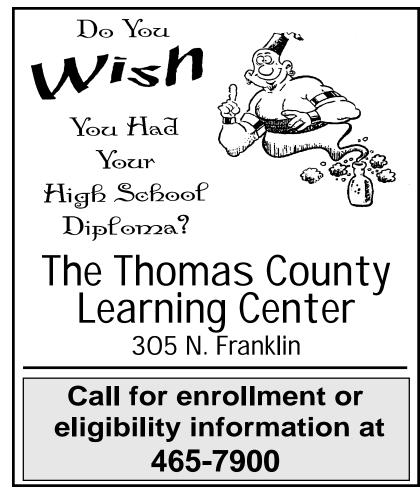
The Lord has blessed us with some wonderful moisture this week. Thursday night we received about 75 points and adding that to the 1.70 from last week, we aren't feeling so traumatized by drought conditions. There are a few more smiles on people's faces.

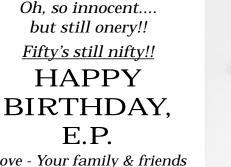
Private services were held for a former Brewster resident this week. Phyllis Hoyt Master, graduate of Brewster High School in 1955, passed away in Colorado Springs after a long illness. She was the daughter of Ernest and Mary Hoyt and the sister of Leon We're having LaVelle in for supper Hoyt, another former resident. Our sympathy to the Hoyt family.

That's it for this week and you'll probably hear all about our grandkids in the next column. Don't cancel your subscriptions though, I'll try to keep it brief. See you next time.

### **Community Calendar FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20**

Brown bag Al Anon (non-smoking), 775 E. College Drive, noon Wings Upon the Prairie drop-in center, 485 N. Franklin, 5-8 p.m. New Hope Narcotics Anonymous, City Hall Basement, 8 p.m.







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