

Family

Deaths

Roberta (Bert) Casey

Roberta (Bert) Casey, 58, of Colby, died Saturday, Oct. 1, 2005 at Citizens Medical Center in Colby. She died as a result of a ve-

hicle/motorcycle accident.

Services are pending with Kersenbrock Funeral Chapel, 745 S. Country Club Dr., Colby.

Roger Blau

Roger Blau, 55, of Colby, died Saturday, Oct. 1, 2005 at Citizens Medical Center in Colby. His death was the result of a vehicle/motor-

cycle accident. Services are pending with Kersenbrock Funeral Chapel, 745 S. Country Club Dr., Colby.

Happenings

Girl Scouts plan food drive

The Colby Girl Scouts are once again planning their "Trick-Or-Treat-So-Others-Can-Eat" food drive from 2 to 4 p.m., Sunday, Oct. 16.

Girl Scouts from the Colby community join together for this event by going door-to-door collecting food for Genesis before the winter months set in, a spokesperson for

the organization said last week.

For those who will not be home or for their convenience, items may be left in a bag on the porch for the scouts to pick up.

Only non-perishable items are being accepted for the food drive.

Markets

Quotes as of close of previous business day Hi-Plains Co-op

Wheat	\$3.50
Corn	\$1.81
Milo	\$2.80
Soybeans	No bid

Babies

Kally Anne Alexander

Jessica and Justin Alexander of Colby announce the birth of their daughter, Kally Anne Alexander on Monday, Sept. 26, 2005, at Gove County Medical Center. Kally weighed 7 pounds, 14 1/2 ounces and was 19 1/2 inches long.

Grandparents are Pat and Jacqui Haffner of Hoxie; Walt and Melody Rauch of Tribune; and Ron and Dawn Alexander of Redmond, Ore.

Kally was welcomed home by siblings Kaleb Alexander, 5, and Renee Alexander, 3.

Kacy Jo Dirks

Brandon and Kristi Dirks of Ludell announce the birth of their daughter, Kaci Jo Dirks on Wednesday, Sept. 28, 2005, at Citizens Medical Center in Colby.

Kaci weighed 7 pounds, 5 ounces and was 19 inches long.

Grandparents are Linda Dirks of Gem, Dan Dirks of North Platte, Neb. and Jerry and Jolene Fortin of Oberlin.

Great-grandparents are Dixie Stock of McCook, Neb., Ardis Roe of Oberlin and June Fortin of Oberlin.

Old home week celebrated in Winona



Jean Lowe

• Winona Correspondent

little "department store."

The business ceased operating in 1981 following the death of Mr. Lamb. The building has remained in the family. In the latter half of the 20th century Lamb's Store along with many other thriving business enabled Winona to become a bustling town.

Going to town in those days meant downtown Winona. It's dif-

Last Sunday afternoon was like old home week in Winona. The Lamb Mercantile building came alive again with chatter, hugs and tales of the past. An auction was held to dispose of remnants of antique fixtures and odds and ends.

Some came in quest of finding a token reminiscent of their childhood and others came to meet friends. Strangers' curiosity about the history of the store was stimulated when they captured the air of sentiment amid the crowd.

The late Charles and Mabel Lamb purchased the business 70 years ago from J. Paul Jones. It was a hardware and mortuary at that time. In ensuing years it became a

Commodity distribution Oct. 12

United States Department of Agriculture commodities will be distributed on Wednesday, Oct. 12 from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. at the Retired and Senior Volunteer Program office at the Senior Progress Center in Colby.

Eligible people may receive them according to income guidelines on that date and time only. Distribution is on a first-come, first-served basis. Participants are asked not arrive at the distribution site before 1 p.m. Items include instant potatoes,

cranberry juice, walnuts, sweet potatoes, peanut butter, trail mix, milk and cranberry sauce.

For information, call 462-6744.

friends and family, Ron and Karol Katt of Grainfield.

In addition to towns mentioned above they came from Sharon Springs, Wallace, Leoti, Russell Springs, Brewster, Levant, Arvada, Colo. and Baker City Ore.

Marge Ausmus accompanied Lawrence and Louise Denning of Sharon Springs to Hutchinson the last weekend of the State Fair. They were guests of Elmer and Rhoda Denning and Rhonda.

Marge was pleased to find purple ribbon on her grandson Wyatt Werth's, photography entry.

The gyms and football field were idle this week except Thursday when Triplains Middle School hosted Wallace County volleyball and football teams.

Another excerpt from the third grader's essay:

When grandmothers take us for walks, they slow down passing things like pretty leaves or caterpillars. They never say, "Hurry up."

Community Calendar

Wednesday, Oct. 5

- Booked for Lunch, noon, Ray Imhof and Doris Johnson will review, *As I Remember It*.
- Colby Senior Center, 11:30 a.m., presentation on "Protecting Nest Eggs," with speaker Bonnie Lynch, Kansas Office of the Securities Commission
- Colby Grade School Book Fair, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., hosted by PTO
- Parent-Teacher-Organization Meeting, noon
- All-Sports Booster Club Meeting, 7 p.m., Colby High School

Thursday, Oct. 6

- Colby Public Schools dismiss at 1:30 p.m. for Parent-Teacher Conferences, 2 p.m., 4 p.m., 5:30 p.m., 9:15 p.m.
- Family Night Story Time, 7 p.m., Pioneer Memorial Library
- Money Sense Seminar — Month-long program, 7 p.m., Colby College library basement.
- Childbirth education classes, 7 to 10 p.m., Colby College, Health Science Building.

Friday, Oct. 7

- Singles dance, 8 p.m.-Midnight, Swing N' Country, City Limits Convention Center
- No school at Colby Public Schools, staff development
- Colby College nursing staff to participate in potluck breakfast, 8:30 a.m., Senior Progress Center
- Annual Ogallala Commons Fall Conference and Field Tours Day, 8:30 a.m., City Limits Convention Center

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